

# Zhe Nancy Xiong, Classical Voice - Mezzo Soprano

Nobuko Amemiya, piano

GIOACHINO ROSSINI  
(1792–1868)

*La regata veneziana*  
*Anzoleta avanti la regata*  
*Anzoleta co passa la regata*  
*Anzoleta dopo la regata*

CLARA SCHUMANN  
(1819–1896)

*Liebst du um schönheit*, Op. 12, no. 4  
  
*Warum willst du and're fragen*, Op. 12, no. 11  
  
*Ich stand in dunkeln Träumen*, Op. 13, no. 1  
  
*Lorelei*, Op. 12, no. 8

MUZIKA A. GRETCHANINOV  
(1864–1956)

Сентябрь (*September*) from Осенние Мотивы (*Autumn Sketches*), Op. 43

PYOTR ILYICH TCHAIKOVSKY  
(1840–1893)

Забыть так скоро (*Too Soon to Forget*)

## *Intermission*

GEORGES BIZET  
(1838–1875)

*Ouvre ton cœur*  
  
*Pastorale*  
  
*Chanson d'avril*

WILLIAM WALTON  
(1902–1983)

“I was a constant faithful wife” from *The Bear*

JAKE HEGGIE  
(b. 1961)

*In the Beginning* from *Of Gods and Cats*

ROBERT STOLZ  
(1880–1975)

“Spiel auf deiner Geige” from *Venus in Seide*

JOSEPH KOSMA  
(1905–1969)

*Les feuilles mortes*

(arr. Zhe Nancy Xiong)

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