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Gustav Mahler – Symphony No.9 D major

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Begun in 1909 in the composer's idyllic Austrian mountain retreat, at a time when Mahler was preoccupied by thoughts of his own mortality, his last completed symphony has been described as his most death-haunted work. Scored for forces which are modest, by Mahlerian standards, this extended work is characterized by its unusual construction, often soloistic orchestral writing, evocative use of keys and haunting use of motives and references to traditional Austrian folk dance..

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GUSTAV MAHLER (1860–1911)

SYMPHONY NO.9 IN D

CD 1

1. *I. Andante comodo*.....27:57
2. *II. Im Tempo eines gemächlichen Ländlers. Etwas täppisch und sehr derb*.....15:54

CD 2

1. *III. Rondo-Burleske. Allegro assai. Sehr trotzig*.....12:55
2. *IV. Adagio. Sehr langsam und noch zurückhaltend*.....25:10

TOTAL TIMING.....81:56

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‘No British orchestra has done more than the Hallé to advance the cause of Gustav Mahler, and of all the composer’s symphonies, the Ninth most closely resembles the Matterhorn.’

The Daily Telegraph

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