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COMPACT DISC ONE

1 **William Walton** 'Spitfire' Prelude 4:25
Academy of St Martin in the Fields / Neville Marriner
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2 **William Walton** 'Spitfire' Fugue 4:13
Academy of St Martin in the Fields / Neville Marriner
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3 **Ralph Vaughan Williams** *The Lark Ascending* 15:28
Michael Davis / London Symphony Orchestra / Bryden Thomson
CHAN 9775 Vaughan Williams: Norfolk Rhapsody etc

4 **Gustav Holst** 'Jig' from *St Paul's Suite* 3:09
City of London Sinfonia / Richard Hickox
CHAN 9270 Holst: St Paul's Suite etc

5 **George Butterworth** *The Banks of Green Willow* 6:10
London Symphony Orchestra / Richard Hickox
CHAN 9902 Vaughan Williams: A London Symphony etc

6 **Edward Elgar** *Chanson de matin* 2:50
Bournemouth Sinfonietta / Norman Del Mar
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7 **William Walton** 'Popular Song' from *Façade: Suite No. 2* 2:21
London Philharmonic Orchestra / Jan Latham-Koenig
CHAN 9148 Walton: Façade Suites etc

8 **Ron Goodwin** *633 Squadron* 2:55
BBC Philharmonic / Rumon Gamba
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9 **Eric Coates** 'March' from *The Dam Busters* 4:00
BBC Philharmonic / Rumon Gamba
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10 **Malcolm Arnold** *Tam o' Shanter* 8:15
BBC Philharmonic / Rumon Gamba
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11 **Edward Elgar** *Salut d'amour* 3:20
Bournemouth Sinfonietta / Norman Del Mar
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12 **Ralph Vaughan Williams** *Fantasia on 'Greensleeves'* 4:28
London Symphony Orchestra / Bryden Thomson
CHAN 9775 Vaughan Williams: Norfolk Rhapsody etc

13 **Frederick Delius** *On Hearing the First Cuckoo in Spring* 6:07
London Philharmonic Orchestra / Vernon Handley
CHAN 10174 X Vaughan Williams / Delius: Orchestral Works etc

14 **Gustav Holst** 'Jupiter' from *The Planets* 7:27
Royal Scottish National Orchestra / Alexander Gibson
CHAN 6633 Holst: The Planets

15 **Benjamin Britten** 'Fugue' from *Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra* 2:51
Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra / Richard Hickox
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COMPACT DISC TWO

1 **William Walton** *Crown Imperial* (Coronation March) 6:38
Philharmonia Orchestra / David Willcocks
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2 **Edward Elgar** Cello Concerto, Mvt. I (extract) 8:47
Ralph Kirshbaum / Scottish National Orchestra / Alexander Gibson
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3 **Benjamin Britten** 'Playful Pizzicato' from *Simple Symphony* 2:54
I Musici de Montréal / Yuli Turovsky
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4 **John Ireland** *The Holy Boy* 2:46
English Chamber Orchestra / David Garforth
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5 **Edward Elgar** 'Nimrod' from *'Enigma' Variations* 3:26
Royal Scottish National Orchestra / Alexander Gibson
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6 **Frank Bridge** 'Seascape' from *The Sea* 6:53
Ulster Orchestra / Vernon Handley
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7 **Peter Warlock** 'Basse-Danse' from *Capriol Suite* 1:26
Bournemouth Sinfonietta / George Hurst
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8 **Hamilton Harty** *The Londonderry Air* 5:26
Ulster Orchestra / Bryden Thomson
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9 **Edward Elgar** 'Allegro piacevole' from *Serenade in E minor* 3:20
Bournemouth Sinfonietta / George Hurst
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10 **Frederick Delius** *Summer Night on the River* 6:55
London Philharmonic Orchestra / Vernon Handley
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11 **Benjamin Britten** 'Dawn' from *Four Sea Interludes* 3:43
Ulster Orchestra / Vernon Handley
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12 **Arnold Bax** *Tintagel* 14:56
Ulster Orchestra / Bryden Thomson
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13 **Arthur Bliss** 'March' from *Things to Come* 3:36
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14 **Edward Elgar** *Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1* 6:05
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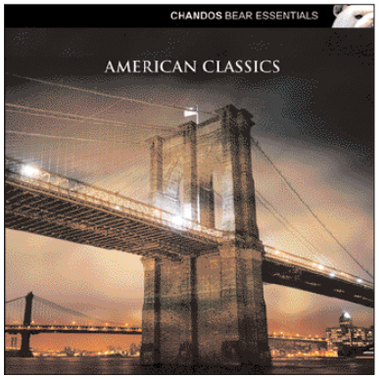

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