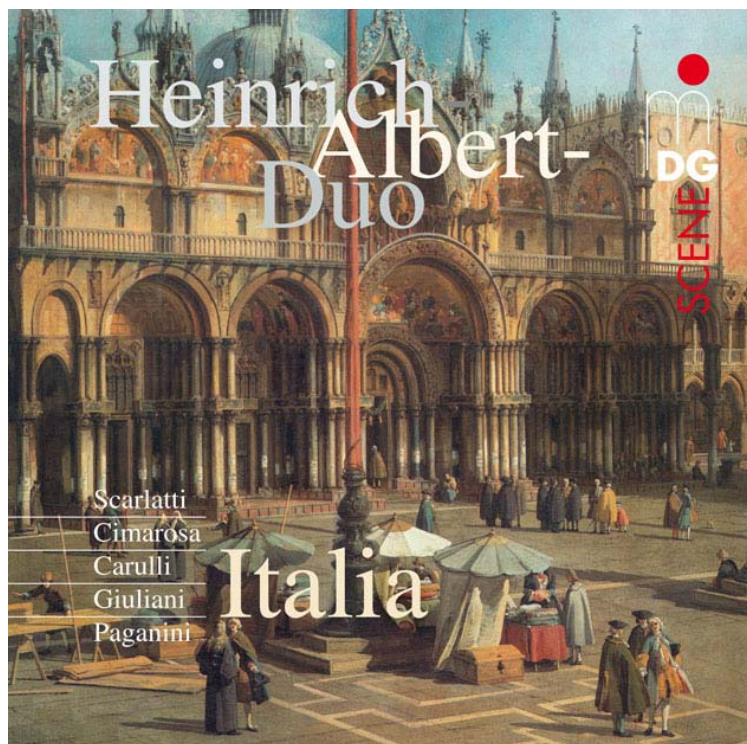


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Golden Age

The Heinrich-Albert-Duo continues its European tour. After German romanticism and Spanish vivaciousness, Jan Eler and Joachim Schrader now set out in search of the golden age of the guitar in Italy during the early nineteenth century. This superb collection includes works by Carulli, Cimarosa, Giuliani, Paganini, Rossini, and Scarlatti.

Guitar Wizardry

As a violin virtuoso Niccolò Paganini was beloved and just as feared by his fellow musicians. His enormous capabilities as a guitarist, however, remained a carefully guarded secret. Hardly a single one of his compositions was published during his lifetime; his virtuosic feats thus enjoyed only a more limited circulation. The Heinrich-Albert-Duo presents two of these works, "Cantabile" and "Tarrantella," and they do indeed confirm his reputation as a wizard.

Supreme Talent

Ferdinando Carulli began his career as a cellist but later developed such a great love for guitar that he compiled an oeuvre of more than three hundred works for this instrument. A special gem: the Serenade in A major op. 96 for two guitars recorded here. And when Mauro Giuliani left Italy to settle in Vienna, some of the guitarists resident by the Danube are said to have taken to their heels.

Splendid Display

Of course all Italy was in Rossini fever. No wonder that Giuliani out of enthusiasm or owing to clever financial calculations wrote arrangements for two guitars consisting of excerpts from Rossini's operas. The sonatas by Cimarosa and Scarlatti also belong to this tradition. A splendid display of guitar artistry that will make even those not so familiar with the guitar absolute fans of this filigree instrument!

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Works for Two Guitars by Turina, Tarrega, Albéniz, Ibert, Moreno-Torroba, Esplá etc.
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