


YOUKALI

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*A journey through love with
music by Rodrigo, Villa Lobos, Ginastera,
Brecht, Weill, Barber, Händel ...*

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Susanne Mecklenburg, voice
William Hancox, piano

Lauderdale House, Highgate, London, 15 January 2008 8 pm
Corpus Christi College, Oxford, 17 January 2008 8 pm

Tickets £10 (box office 07902 233622)

The programme will be a journey through the surprises of love and life with music by Rodrigo, Villa Lobos, Ginastera, Brecht, Weill, Barber, Händel and others, to which one answer might be YOUKALI, the title of a tango by Brecht, which “ ... is the land of our desires, it means happiness and pleasure, it the land where we leave cares behind ... But it’s only a dream ... ”

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Georg Friedrich Händel (1685 - 1759)	<i>Ariodante</i> Qui d'amor, nel suo linguaggio
Joaquín Rodrigo (1901 - 1999)	Cuatro madrigales amatorios
Georg Friedrich Händel (1685 - 1759)	<i>Ariodante</i> Scherza infida
Frédéric Chopin (1810 - 1849) <i>(piano)</i>	Berceuse
Hanns Eisler (1898 - 1962)	On suicide
Samuel Barber (1910 - 1981)	Solitary hotel
Heitor Villa-Lobos (1887 - 1959)	Dinga-Donga (Realistic Poem) <i>Cantilena, Bachianas Brasileiras no.5</i> Aria
Alberto Ginastera (1916 - 1983)	<i>Las horas de una estancia</i> El Alba La mañana El mediodía La tarde La noche
Enrique Granados (1867 - 1916) <i>(piano)</i>	<i>Goyescas (no 1)</i> Los requiebros
Hector Berlioz (1803 - 1869)	Villanelle
Eduardo Toldrà (1895 - 1962)	Después que te conocí
Xavier Montsalvatge (1912 - 2002)	Punto de Habanera
Kurt Weill (1900 - 1950)	Youkali