MATTHEW AUCOIN ORPHIC MOMENTS [1084]

Paul Appleby, tenor
Conor Hanick, piano
Anthony Roth Costanzo, countertenor
Keir GoGwilt, violin
Matthew Aucoin, conductor/piano
Coleman Itzkoff, cello
Doug Balliett, bass
Davóne Tines, bass-baritone
Emi Ferguson, flute
Miranda Cuckson, violin
Jonny Allen, percussion

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Matthew Aucoin: Orphic Moments marks the beginning of a long-term collaboration between BMOP and composer Matthew Aucoin's American Modern Opera Company. Both discs feature soloists from AMOC, and the release provides a stunning portrait of works by Aucoin, a rising star in the world of American classical music.



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