

THE WILLIAM ALWYN FOUNDATION

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CD DISCOGRAPHY

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[A listing of Alwyn works currently available on compact disc]

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The following list of recorded works by William Alwyn is arranged alphabetically by record company and includes only those discs that are to my knowledge currently available. All deletions have been excluded from the listing. Record companies that have released only one CD of a work(s) are listed at the end of the main section under the heading of Miscellaneous. All of these discs may be purchased on line through the following sites: www.amazon.co.uk, www.amazon.com, www.mdt.co.uk, and some directly through the record companies themselves. I have indicated the respective website addresses of these companies that offer this service after the record company name below. Alternatively, you can purchase through your local record shop.

ASV - WHITELINE

**Suite of Scottish Dances (Brian Kay's British Light Music Discoveries)
Royal Ballet Sinfonia/Gavin Sutherland (CDWHL-2113)
Also on British Light Music World Premieres (CDWHL-2116)**

**Overture: The Moor of Venice – Orchestral version
(British Light Overtures 2)
Royal Ballet Sinfonia/Gavin Sutherland (CDWHL-2137)**

CHANDOS (www.chandos.net)

**Piano Concertos 1 & 2
Overture to a Masque
Elizabethan Dances
Howard Shelley-Piano/LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9935)**

Symphony No. 1
Piano Concerto No. 1
Howard Shelley-Piano/LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9155)

Symphony No. 2
Overture to a Masque
Symphonic Prelude: The Magic Island
Overture Derby Day
Fanfare for a Joyful Occasion
LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9093)

Symphony No. 3
Violin Concerto
Lydia Mordkovitch-Violin/LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9187)

Symphony No. 4
Elizabethan Dances
Festival March
LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 8902)

Symphony No. 5 (Hydriotaphia)
Sinfonietta for String Orchestra
Piano Concerto No. 2
Howard Shelley-Piano/LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9196)

Complete Symphonies (1-5)
Sinfonietta for String Orchestra
LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9429) 3 disc set

Oboe Concerto
Three Concerti Grossi
Nicholas Daniel-Oboe/CLS/Richard Hickox (CHAN 8866)

Autumn Legend for Cor Anglais and String Orchestra
Pastoral Fantasia for Viola and String Orchestra
Tragic Interlude
Lyra Angelica – Concerto for Harp and String Orchestra
**Rachel Masters-Harp/Nicholas Daniel-Cor anglais/
Stephen Tees-Viola/CLS/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9065)**

Film Music Vol. 1:
Suite from 'Odd Man Out'
Suite from 'The History of Mr Polly'
Suite from 'The Fallen Idol'
Calypso from 'The Rake's Progress'
LSO/Richard Hickox (CHAN 9243)

Film Music Vol. 2:
Overture 'The Crimson Pirate'
Green Girdle
Take My Life
A Night To Remember-Main Titles
Suite from 'The Card'
Suite from 'Desert Victory'
Libera Me from 'Svengali'
Suite from 'The Winslow Boy'
Ship's Waltz and Rumba from 'In Search of the Castaways'
Suite from 'State Secret'
Susan Bullock-Soprano/Canzonetta/BBC PO/Rumon Gamba
(CHAN 9959)

Film Music Vol. 3:
Suite from 'The Magic Box'
Waltz from 'The Million Pound Note'
March from 'The Way Ahead'
Suite from 'Swiss Family Robinson'
Paul's Last Ride from 'The Rocking Horse Winner'
Suite from 'Geordie'
Waltz from 'The Cure For Love'
Suite from 'Penn of Pennsylvania'
March from 'The True Glory'
Suite from 'The Running Man'
BBC PO/Rumon Gamba (CHAN 10349)

Overture: The Moor f Venice (Brass from the Masters Vol. 1)
Williams Fairy Band/Bryan Hurdley (CHAN 4547)

**Adagio from 'Lyra Angelica'/Prelude from 'Odd Man Out'
Rachel Masters-Harp/CLS/LSO/Richard Hickox
(Byways of British Music) CHAN 6611**

**Ship's Waltz and Rumba from 'In Search of the Castaways'
Prelude from 'Odd Man Out'
BBC PO/Rumon Gamba/LSO/Richard Hickox
(British Film Classics) CHAN 241-12 (2-CD's)**

**Flute Concerto (Orch. John McCabe)
Coupled with works by Lennox Berkeley, Jonathan Dove and Poulenc
Emily Beynon-Flute/BBC National Orchestra of Wales/Bramwell Tovey
(CHAN 10718)**

DUTTON (www.duttonvocalion.co.uk)

**Barbirolli Conducts Alwyn
Symphonies 1 & 2
BBC SO/Hallé Orchestra/John Barbirolli (CDSJB 1029)**

**String Quartets 1-3/Three Winter Poems
The Rasumovsky Quartet (Frances Mason, Hilary Sturt-Violins,
Christopher Wellington-Viola, Ian Pressland-Cello) (CDLX 7168)**

**Concerto for Flute and Eight Wind Instruments
Naiades for Flute and Harp
Divertimento for Solo Flute
Sonata for Flute and Piano
French Suite for Flute, Violin, Viola and Harp
Philippa Davies-Flute and members of The Nash Ensemble
(CDLX 7176)**

**Pastoral Fantasia for Viola and String Orchestra coupled with the
following works for Viola and Orchestra: Elizabeth Maconchy-
Romanze, David Matthews-Winter Remembered, John McCabe-
Concerto Funebre and Holst's Lyric Movement.
Sarah-Jane Bradley-Viola, Orchestra Nova conducted by George Vass
(CDLX 7186)**

Blackdown – a Tone Poem from the Surrey Hills, Peter Pan Suite, Prelude, Ad Infinitum – a Satire for Orchestra, and Overture in the Form of a Serenade. This disc is coupled with works by Vaughan Williams, York Bowen, and Hubert Parry.

All are world premiere recordings.

Micaela Haslam (soprano) The London Chorus,

BBC Concert Orchestra

Conducted by John Wilson

(CDLX 7237)

Prelude and Derrybeg Fair from the opera “The Fairy Fiddler”

Coupled with John Joubert Symphony No. 2

and Carlo Martelli Symphony Op.4

All are world premiere recordings

Royal Scottish National Orchestra

Conducted by Martin Yates

(CDLX 7270)

Sir John Barbirolli conducts William Alwyn

Lyra Angelica/Symphonic Prelude, The Magic Island/Autumn Legend

Sidonie Goossens – Harp/Roger Winfield – Cor Anglais

BBC Symphony Orchestra/Hallé Orchestra

Conducted by Sir John Barbirolli

(CDSJB 1077)

LYRITA (www.lyrita.co.uk)

Symphonies 1 & 4

LPO/William Alwyn (SRCD 227)

Symphonies 2, 3 & 5

LPO/William Alwyn (SRCD 228)

Overture Derby Day
The Magic Island
Four Elizabethan Dances
Sinfonietta for String Orchestra
Festival March
LPO/William Alwyn (SRCD 229)

Concerto Grosso No. 2 for String Orchestra
Autumn Legend for Cor Anglais and String Orchestra
Lyra Angelica – Concerto for Harp and String Orchestra
Osian Ellis-Harp/Geoffrey Browne-Cor Anglais/LPO/William Alwyn
(SRCD 230)

Miss Julie (Opera in Two Acts)
Jill Gomez-Soprano/Benjamin Luxon-Baritone/Della Jones-Mezzo
Soprano/John Mitchinson-Tenor/Philharmonia Orchestra/Vilem
Tausky (SRCD 2218) 2 CD's

Mirages Song Cycle for Baritone and Piano
Divertimento for Solo Flute
Naiades Fantasy Sonata for Flute and Harp
Fantasy Waltzes for Piano Solo*
Sonata alla Toccata for Piano Solo*
Benjamin Luxon-Baritone/David Willison-Piano/
Christopher Hyde-Smith-Flute/ Marisa Robles-Harp/
Sheila Randell-Piano* (SRCD 293) 2 CD's

The Magic Island
LPO/William Alwyn
(Celebrating 50 Years Devoted to British Music Set 1 –
William Alwyn to John Ireland)
(SRCD 2337) 4 CD's (also available combined with Set 2 – Gordon
Jacob to William Wordsworth 8 CD's SRCD 2339)

NAXOS (www.naxosdirect.co.uk)

Elizabethan Dances

The Innumerable Dance-An English Overture

Concerto for Oboe, Harp and String Orchestra

Aphrodite in Aulis-an eclogue for small orchestra

Symphonic Prelude “The Magic Island”

Festival March

Jonathan Small-Oboe/RLPO/David Lloyd-Jones (8.570144)

Symphonies 1 & 3

RLPO/David Lloyd-Jones (8.557648)

Symphonies 2 & 5

Lyra Angelica – Concerto for Harp and String Orchestra

Suzanne Willison-Harp/RLPO/David Lloyd-Jones (8.557647)

Symphony No. 4

Sinfonietta for String Orchestra

RLPO/David Lloyd-Jones (8.557649)

Piano Concertos 1 & 2

Overture Derby Day

Sonata alla Toccata for Piano Solo

Peter Donohoe-Piano/BSO/James Judd (8.557590)

Chamber Music and Songs:

Rhapsody for Piano Quartet+

Sonata Impromptu for Violin and Viola

Ballade for Viola and Piano+

Two Songs for Voice, Violin and Piano*:

Wood Magic and Lament of the Tall Tree

Three Songs to Words by Trevor Blakemore*:

Nocturne, Illumination, Harvest

Sonatina for Violin and Piano+

Three Winter Poems for String Quartet

Chaconne for Tom for Treble Recorder and Piano*

**Madeleine Mitchell-Violin, Roger Chase-Viola, Andrew Ball-Piano+,
Jeremy Huw Williams-Baritone, Iain Burnside-Piano*, Bridge String
Quartet, John Turner-Recorder (8.570340)**

Songs:

Mirages: Song Cycle for Baritone and Piano

Six Nocturnes: Song Cycle for Baritone and Piano

Slum Song for Baritone and Piano

Invocations: Song Cycle for Soprano and Piano

Seascapes for Soprano, Treble Recorder and Piano

**Jeremy Huw Williams-Baritone, Elin Manahan Thomas-Soprano,
John Turner-Recorder and Iain Burnside-Piano (8.570201)**

Piano Music Vol. 1:

Sonata alla Toccata

Green Hills

Cricketty Mill

Prelude and Fugue formed on an Indian Scale

Haze of Noon

**Harvest Home-4 piano pieces: The Tinker's Tune, The Village Band,
Harvest Moon, The Church Bells Ring**

Fancy Free: Sunday Morning, Snowdrops, Twilight, Happy-Go-Lucky

Fantasy Waltzes

Ashley Wass-Piano (8.570359)

Piano Music Vol. 2:

Twelve Preludes

Hunter's Moon

Two Irish Pieces

Contes Barbares – Homage to Paul Gauguin

Cinderella

Water Lilies

Night Thoughts

Movements

Ashley Wass-Piano (8.570464)

Orchestral Music:

Overture to a Masque

Concerto Grosso No.1

Pastoral Fantasia for Viola and String Orchestra

Five Preludes

Tragic Interlude

Autumn Legend for Cor Anglais and String Orchestra

Suite of Scottish Dances

Philip Dukes-Viola/Rachel Pankhurst-Cor anglais/

RLPO/David Lloyd-Jones (8.570704)

String Quartets 1-3/Novelette

Maggini Quartet – Lorraine McAslan, David Angel-Violins, Martin

Outram-Viola, Michal Kaznovsky-Cello (8.570560)

Seascapes for Soprano, Recorder, and Piano (Sea Pictures)

Along with works by Bridge, Britten, Elgar, and Vaughan Williams

Elinor Manahan-Thomas (Soprano), John Turner (Recorder), Iain

Burnside (Piano) (Classics Online – 9.00036-37)

Clarinet Sonata/Oboe Sonata/Viola Sonatina/

Suite for Oboe and Harp/String Trio/Conversations

Robert Plane (Clarinet), Sarah Francis (Oboe),

Sarah-Jane Bradley (Viola), Lucy Gould (Violin),

Sophia Rahman (Piano), Lucy Wakeford (Harp),

The Hermitage String Trio (8.572425)

Violin Concerto/Miss Julie Suite/Fanfare for a Joyful Occasion

Lorraine McAslan (Violin)

Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra

Conducted by David Lloyd-Jones (8.570705)

Dramatic Overture The Moor of Venice/Concerto Grosso No. 2/

Serenade/Seven Irish Tunes/Concerto Grosso No. 3

Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra

Conducted by David Lloyd-Jones (8.570145)

Film Music arranged for Wind Band by Martin Ellerby:

Overture The Crimson Pirate/The History of Mr. Polly Suite/

The Way Ahead March/State Secret Suite/The Million Pound Note/

**Swiss Family Robinson Suite/The True Glory March/Geordie Suite/
In Search of the Castaways/Desert Victory Suite
RNCM Wind Orchestra
Conducted by Clark Rundell and Mark Heron (8.572747)**

SILVA SCREEN (www.silvascreenmusic.com)

**Pirate Capers from the film 'The Crimson Pirate'
Part of 4-CD set entitled 'EPICS' (SILCD 1170)
Also on 'The Great British Film Music Album' (2CD's) along with the
Prelude and End Titles from 'A Night To Remember' (FILMCD 309)
City of Prague Philharmonic Orchestra/Paul Bateman**

SOMM RECORDINGS (www.somm-recordings.com)

**Symphony No. 3 (World Premier Performance 10th October 1956)
BBC Symphony Orchestra/Sir Thomas Beecham
Coupled with works by Mozart and Grieg
(The Beecham Collection) Vol. 23) (SOMM-BEECHAM 23)**

**Fantasy Waltzes
Funeral Rites for the Death of an Artist
Bicycle Ride
Piece for Piano
Sonata alla Toccata
The Weather Vane
Coupled with Carwithen – Sonatina for Piano Solo
Mark Bebbington – Piano (SOMMCD 0133)**

MISCELLANEOUS

**Fanfare for a Joyful Occasion
Concerto for Flute and Eight Wind Instruments
(Music for Joyful Occasions)
Coupled with works by Lambert and Schuller
Mary Stolper-Flute**

DePaul University Wind Ensemble/Donald DeRoche
(ALBANY – TROY1006) (www.albanyrecords.com)

Rhapsody for Piano Quartet (An English Rhapsody)
Along with works by Ireland, Howells and Wilson
The Holywell Ensemble (Margaret Ozanne-Piano, Kate Bailey-Violin,
Daniel Lyness-Viola, Spike Wilson-Cello, Peter Nicholls-Clarinet)
(BRITISH MUSIC LABEL – BML010) (www.cornucopia-music.co.uk)

Suite for Oboe and Harp (Oboe)
Along with works by Mozart, Poulenc, Francaix, Elgar and Crussell
The Fibonacci Sequence -
(Christopher O’Neal-Oboe, Gillian Tingay-Harp)
(DEUX-ELLES CLASSICAL RECORDINGS – DXL1121)
(www.deux-elles.co.uk)

Sonata for Flute and Piano (By the River in Spring)
Along with works by Leighton, German, Dunhill, Head, Harty,
and Stanford Robinson
Kenneth Smith – Flute, Paul Rhodes – Piano
(DIVINE ART – DDA 25069) (www.divine-art.com)

The Rakes Progress – Calypso Music
(British Film Music from the 1940’s and 1950’s)
LSO/Muir Mathieson
(EMI – 724382884422)

Shake Hands With The Devil – (Original Soundtrack)
Sinfonia of London/Muir Mathieson
(The MGM Soundtrack Treasury)
Part of 12 CD Box Set – Limited Edition of 1,200 copies
(FILM SCORE MONTHLY – FSM BOX 03)
(www.filmscoremonthly.com)

Naiades for Flute and Harp (Beyond the Dark)
Along with works by Bennett, Britten, Dodgson, Elgar and Heath
Anna Noakes (Flute), Gillian Tingay (Harp)
(GUILD – GMCD 7202) (www.guildmusic.com)

Sonata for Flute and Piano (Flight: British Flute Music)
Coupled with works by Benjamin, Bowen, Gerhard and Maconchy
Ingrid Culliford-Flute, Dominic Saunders-Piano
(LORELT-LNT 107) (www.lorelt.co.uk)

Rhapsody for Piano Quartet
Along with works by Bridge, Howells and Scott
The Primrose Quartet (Susanne Stanzleit-Violin, Susie Mészáros-Viola,
Bernard Gregor-Smith-Cello, John Thwaites-Piano)
(MERIDIAN-CDE 84547) (www.meridian-records.co.uk)

Naiades for Flute and Harp coupled with works by Bax, Dodgson,
Harty and Maw
Emily Beynon-Flute, Catherine Beynon-Harp
(METIER-MSVCD 92006) (www.divine-art.com)

Naiades for Flute and Harp coupled with works by Debussy, Persichetti,
Nielsen, Payne, Tournier and Jolivet
Judith Hall-Flute, Elinor Bennett-Harp
Only available as part of a 4CD set entitled ‘Meditations for all Seasons’
(NIMBUS-NI 1737) (www.wyastone.co.uk)

Sonatina No. 2 for Viola and Piano (The Scottish Viola – a Tribute to
Watson Forbes) coupled with works by Nardini, J.S. Bach, Rameau,
Alan Richardson, Sebastian Forbes and Robin Orr
Martin Outram-Viola, Julian Rolton-Piano
(NIMBUS-NI 6180) (www.wyastone.co.uk)

Desert Victory March+
The Rakes Progress – Calypso Music*
Grenadier Guards Band+
LSO/Muir Mathieson*
(British Film Music Vol. 3)
(PEARL – GEM 0141) (www.pavilionrecords.com)

Sonata for Oboe and Piano (Impression)
Coupled with works by Kalliwoda, Dutilleux, Rota, Pasculli
Katsuya Watanabe – Oboe, David Johnson – Piano
(PROFIL – PH08038)

Calypso Music from ‘The Rake’s Progress’
Theme Music from ‘The Cure for Love’*
Sidney Crook – Piano Solo*
LSO/Muir Mathieson
(Music From the Movies)
(VOCALION – CDEA 6146) (www.duttonvocalion.co.uk)

Midsummer Night Aria from ‘Miss Julie’
Kate Royal – Soprano
Orchestra of English National Opera
Conducted by Edward Gardner
(EMI Classics – 50999 2 68192 2 8)

Sonata for Clarinet and Piano
Coupled with works by John Carmichael,
Clive Jenkins, Cecil Armstrong Gibbs
and John Ireland
(English Fantasy)
Peter Cigleris (Clarinet) Antony Gray (Piano)
(Cala – CACD77015) (www.calarecords.com)

