

# The Narcissist Trap

## Program Notes

A lust for prestige? Extreme charisma and ambition? No empathy? Pathological lying? You might just have yourself a narcissist! But how was it possible?! There weren't any warning signs... or so it seemed. Perhaps you turned a blind eye. But it's too late now, you've fallen into the narcissist trap!

### **I. Dinner at the Copacabana Palace**

Drop everything and let's fly away now! Budapest? Casablanca? Macau? Of course! The coast of Rio de Janeiro couldn't have been a more perfect choice. And what better way to spend the night than dinner at the Copacabana Palace. A place where cosmopolitan meets the old-world glamour in a Michelin-starred restaurant. One course after another; it was excusable to lose count. But it seems the more you eat, the emptier you feel...

### **II. Rhapsody for a Midnight Bar Hop**

The night starts upon a rooftop bar, taking in the Chilean winds of Valparaíso. Below, the vibrant streets buzz away with activity. Suddenly, midnight strikes, and you are pulled through the pulsating nightlife down below. From bar to bar, the scenery changes so quickly you can't keep up! The energy of the city reaches a fever pitch and the golden lights of the city merge together in a beautiful blur. Swept up in the energy of the night, you feel like you're soaring over the city. But soon the rush starts to wear off. The world around you starts to move slower, before everything goes black...

### **III. Gaslight Tango**

Upon the cobblestone streets of Buenos Aires, the anticipation of tango is in the air. But soon, the alluring promises of lamp-lit rooms and red silk dresses reveal themselves to be nothing but a façade. Each step of the tango draws you deeper into deceit and manipulation. And now, the true nature of the narcissist emerges from the shadows! Ugly, malevolent, and ruthless. But it's too late, you've fallen in the narcissist trap!