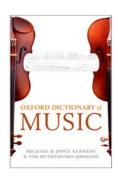
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works in series:

Two Instruments (1–8) (1998); Landschaft mit Wörtern

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Str Qt (1988);

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Lovaty, 2 spkr (1996);

Metal, Stone, Skin, Foliage, Air, 4 perc (1996–2001); Str Qt no.2 (1998–2000);