



# The Music of **Johan de Meij**





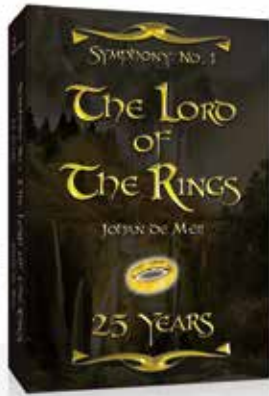
Johan de Meij (1953) studied trombone and conducting at the Royal Conservatory of Music at The Hague, Netherlands. He has earned international fame as a composer and arranger. De Meij's Symphony No.1 The Lord of the Rings was his first substantial composition and received the prestigious Sudler Composition Award in 1989. Other major works such as Symphony No. 2 The Big Apple, Symphony no. 3 Planet Earth, T-Bone Concerto (trombone concerto) and Casanova (cello concerto) and shorter works such as Extreme Makeover and Extreme Beethoven have also gained worldwide recognition.

Besides composing and arranging, Johan de Meij is active as a performer, conductor, adjudicator and lecturer. As a trombone and euphonium player he has performed with the major orchestras and ensembles in The Netherlands, such as the Netherlands Wind Ensemble, the Dutch Brass Sextet, the Radio Chamber Orchestra, the Amsterdam Wind Orchestra and Orkest 'De Volharding'. He has conducted some of the leading wind orchestras of Europe, Asia, Australia, North and South America and has led master classes around the world. In 2010, he was appointed regular guest conductor of the renowned Simón Bolívar Youth Wind Orchestra from Caracas, Venezuela.

Publications

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Order No. De Haske	Order No. Hal Leonard	Title	Instrumentation	Composer, arranger	Grade	Performance time
Compositions						
AM 01-010	4000004	Gandalf (part I from The Lord of the Rings)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4+	06'25"
AM 02-010	4000008	Lothlorien (part II from The Lord of the Rings)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	07'40"
AM 03-010	4000012	Gollum (part III from The Lord of the Rings)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5+	09'40"
AM 04-010	4000016	Journey in the Dark (part IV from The Lord of the Rings)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	09'00"
AM 05-010	4000020	Hobbits (part V from The Lord of the Rings)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	08'58"
AM 06-010	4000024	The Lord of the Rings (Complete Edition)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	43'00"
AM 52-341	4000095	The Lord of the Rings (Complete Edition)	Study Score	Johan de Meij	5	43'00"
AM 62-010	4000146	The Lord of the Rings (Excerpts)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij, Paul Lavender	3+	09'30"
AM 07-010	4000034	Loch Ness	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	12'07"
AM 08-020	-	Pentagram	Fanfare	Johan de Meij	5	12'00"
AM 11-010	4000036	Aquarium	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3	09'02"
AM 16-010	4000028	Skyline (part I from The Big Apple)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5+	13'50"
AM 17-010	4000029	Gotham (part II from The Big Apple)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5+	19'40"
AM 19-010	4000033	The Big Apple (Complete Edition)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5+	36'00"
AM 53-341	4000097	The Big Apple (Complete Edition)	Study Score	Johan de Meij	5+	36'00"
AM 23-010	4000038	Polish Christmas Music	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3	11'10"
AM 24-020	-	Polish Christmas Music	Fanfare	Johan de Meij	3	11'10"
AM 25-050	4000083	Polish Christmas Music	Choir part	Johan de Meij	3	11'10"
AM 47-010	4000105	Continental Overture	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	06'50"
AM 48-010	4000109	Madurodam	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3	09'20"
AM 54-010	4000125	La Quintessenza	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	12'00"
AM 58-010	4000134	Voice of Space (from The Venetian Collection)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	08'20"
AM 59-010	4000137	The Red Tower (from The Venetian Collection)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	08'20"
AM 60-010	4000140	Magic Garden (from The Venetian Collection)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	08'00"
AM 61-010	4000143	Empire of Light (from The Venetian Collection)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	09'25"
AM 68-040	-	The Venetian Collection	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	34'00"
AM 67-341	4000149	The Venetian Collection	Study Score	Johan de Meij	5	34'00"
AM 72-010	4000169	The Wind in the Willows	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	17'00"
AM 72-341	4000172	The Wind in the Willows	Study Score	Johan de Meij	4	17'00"
AM 77-040	4000189	Klezmer Classics	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	08'00"
AM 78-030	4000195	Extreme Make-Over	Brass Band	Johan de Meij	6	16'30"
AM 80-010	4000214	Extreme Make-Over	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	6	16'30"
AM 110-020	-	Extreme Make-Over	Fanfare	Johan de Meij	6	16'30"
AM 79-070	4000192	Ceremonial Fanfare	Brass Ensemble	Johan de Meij	4	04'00"
AM 118-030	4000302	Ceremonial Fanfare	Brass Band	Johan de Meij	4	04'00"
AM 81-010	4000217	Windy City Overture	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	05'15"
AM 89-010	4000201	Hobbits Dance & Hymn	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij, Paul Lavender	2+	04'00"
AM 90-010	4000225	Symphony no. 3 Planet Earth (Complete Edition)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	49'00"
AM 91-011	4000226	Lonely Planet (part I from Planet Earth)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	16'50"
AM 91-050	4000227	Lonely Planet (part I from Planet Earth)	Choir part	Johan de Meij	5	16'50"
AM 92-011	4000228	Planet Earth (part II from Planet Earth)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	16'00"
AM 93-011	4000229	Mother Earth (part III from Planet Earth)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	16'30"
AM 93-050	4000230	Mother Earth (part III from Planet Earth)	Choir part	Johan de Meij	5	16'30"
AM 94-341	4000231	Symphony no. 3 Planet Earth (Complete Edition)	Study Score	Johan de Meij	5	49'00"
AM 104-010	4000243	Dutch Masters Suite	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	21'00"
AM 100-010	4000239	Festive Hymn	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3	05'30"
AM 101-020	-	Festive Hymn	Fanfare	Johan de Meij	3	05'30"
AM 111-020	-	Evolution	Fanfare	Johan de Meij	4	16'37"
AM 113-010	4000275	Spring	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	10'43"
AM 114-010	4000272	At Kitty O'Shea's	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4+	16'15"
AM 115-010	4000282	Wind Power	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	09'30"
AM 116-030	4000286	Sinfonietta no. 1	Brass Band	Johan de Meij	3+	15'00"
AM 117-010	4000289	Sinfonietta no. 1	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3+	15'00"
AM 120-010	4000292	Cloud Factory	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	14'14"
AM 123-010	4000298	Songs from the Catskills	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3+	08'45"



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The Lord of the Rings  
Anthony Fiumara, Johan de Meij  
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AM 119-010	4003405	Extreme Beethoven	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	18'00"
AM 133-010	4003422	Via Claudia	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	15'00"
AM 134-010	4003790	Symphony No. 4 Sinfonie der Lieder (Symphony of Songs)	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	30'00"
AM 135-401	4003793	Symphony No. 4 Sinfonie der Lieder (Symphony of Songs)	Voice and Piano	Johan de Meij, Anthony Fiumara	4	30'00"
AM 137-010	4003797	Summer	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	11'30"
AM 138-010	4003915	Downtown Divertimento	Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	3	11'00"

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AM 09-010	4000040	Jupiter Hymn (from The Planets)	Wind Orchestra	Gustav Holst	2	02'20"
AM 10-020	-	Jupiter Hymn (from The Planets)	Fanfare	Gustav Holst	2	02'20"
AM 12-010	4000042	Jig (from St. Paul's Suite)	Wind Orchestra	Gustav Holst	3	03'07"
AM 13-020	-	Jig (from St. Paul's Suite)	Fanfare	Gustav Holst	3	03'07"
AM 14-010	4000044	Aladdin Suite	Wind Orchestra	Carl Nielsen	4	10'36"
AM 15-020	-	Oriental Festival March (from Aladdin)	Fanfare	Carl Nielsen	3+	03'05"
AM 20-010	4000046	Ratatouille Satirique	Wind Orchestra	Erik Satie	3	07'00"
AM 21-020	-	Ratatouille Satirique	Fanfare	Erik Satie	3	07'00"
AM 22-010	4000048	Trois Rag-Caprices	Wind Orchestra	Darius Milhaud	4+	08'00"
AM 31-010	4000052	To my Country (from Symphony no. 3)	Wind Orchestra	Bernard Zweers	2	03'15"
AM 32-020	-	To my Country (from Symphony no. 3)	Fanfare	Bernard Zweers	2	03'15"
AM 26-010	4000050	Funeral Music (from the melodrama Bergliot)	Wind Orchestra	Edvard Grieg	3	08'06"
AM 27-020	-	Funeral Music (from the melodrama Bergliot)	Fanfare	Edvard Grieg	3	08'06"
AM 28-010	4000078	Jazz Suite No. 2 (Complete Edition)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	3-4+	18'00"
AM 37-010	4000054	March (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	4	02'57"
AM 38-010	4000058	Lyric Waltz (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	3	02'36"
AM 39-010	4000062	Dance I (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	4+	02'52"
AM 29-010	4000066	Waltz No. 2 (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	3	03'45"
AM 30-020	-	Waltz No. 2 (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Fanfare	Dmitri Shostakovich	3	03'45"
AM 40-010	4000070	Dance II (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	4	03'48"
AM 41-010	4000074	Finale (from Jazz Suite no. 2)	Wind Orchestra	Dmitri Shostakovich	4	02'11"
AM 82-010	4000204	Andante e Alla Marcia (from Symphony no. 4)	Wind Orchestra	Antonín Dvořák	4	05'45"
AM 83-010	4000207	Triumphal March (from Mlada)	Wind Orchestra	Modeste Moussorgsky	3	05'15"
AM 84-010	4000210	Der Tod und das Mädchen	Wind Orchestra	Franz Schubert	1+	03'15"
AM 99-010	4000247	Dance of the Amazon	Wind Orchestra	Anatoli Liadov	3	03'30"
AM 102-010	4000250	Edgar (symphonic suite from the opera)	Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	4	13'30"
AM 103-010	4000253	La Fanciulla del West (symphonic suite from the opera)	Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	4	16'00"

AM 105-010	4000256	Duet from 'Don Carlo'	Two trombones (euph.) and Wind Orchestra	Guseppe Verdi	4	04'00"
AM 106-010	4000259	Ch'ella mi creda (from La Fanciulla del West)	Trombone (euph.) and Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	3	02'30"
AM 107-010	4000263	Requiem Aeternam (from Edgar)	Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	4	03'30"
AM 108-010	4000266	Te Deum (from Tosca, Finale 1st act)	Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	3	05'15"
AM 109-010	4000269	The Witches' Sabbath ('La Tregenda' from Le Villi)	Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	4	03'30"

AM 121-010	4000278	Angelo del Cielo	Cello and/or soprano and Wind Orchestra	Giacomo Puccini	4/3+	05'15"
Music for the Theatre						
AM 55-010	4000147	Elisabeth - the Musical	Wind Orchestra	Sylvester Levay, Johan de Meij	4	08'30"
AM 56-020	-	Elisabeth - the Musical	Fanfare	Sylvester Levay, Johan de Meij	4	08'30"
AM 63-010	4000176	Tintin - Prisoners of the Sun	Wind Orchestra	Dirk Brossé, Johan de Meij	4	13'40"
AM 64-020	-	Tintin - Prisoners of the Sun	Fanfare	Dirk Brossé, Johan de Meij	4	13'40"
AM 86-010	4000211	Henry V	Wind Orchestra	Patrick Doyle, Johan de Meij	4	14'00"
AM 87-010	-	The Woman in White	Wind Orchestra	Andrew Lloyd Webber, Johan de Meij	4	12'30"
AM 88-020	-	The Woman in White	Fanfare	Andrew Lloyd Webber, Johan de Meij	4	12'30"
AM 122-010	4000295	The Seville Suite (Highlights from)	Wind Orchestra	Bill Whelan, Johan de Meij	4	13'10"
AM 136-010	4003794	Riverdance (Highlights from)	Wind Orchestra	Bill Whelan, Johan de Meij	4	12'30"

Solo Concertos

AM 42-010	4000084	Rare (part I from T-Bone Concerto)	Trombone and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	10'30"
AM 43-010	4000085	Medium (part II from T-Bone Concerto)	Trombone and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	4	08'30"
AM 44-010	4000086	Well Done (part III from T-Bone Concerto)	Trombone and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	06'20"
AM 45-010	4000091	T-Bone Concerto (Complete Edition)	Trombone and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	25'00"
AM 46-401	4000092	T-Bone Concerto	Trombone and Piano	Johan de Meij, Frank Mol	5	25'00"
Rental	Rental	T-Bone Concerto	Trombone and Brass Band	Johan de Meij	5	25'00"
AM 57-010	4000126	Casanova	Cello and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5+	26'00"
AM 95-010	4000236	Canticles	Bass Trombone and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	19'00"
AM 96-401	4000237	Canticles	Bass Trombone and Piano	Johan de Meij , Wijnand van Klaveren	5	19'00"
AM 98-341	4000238	Canticles	Study Score	Johan de Meij	5	19'00"
AM 124-010	4003405	UFO Concerto	Euphonium and Wind Orchestra	Johan de Meij	5	24'00"
AM 125-030	4003411	UFO Concerto	Euphonium and Brass Band	Johan de Meij	5	24'00"
AM 126-401	4003416	UFO Concerto	Euphonium and Piano	Johan de Meij, Anthony Fiumara	5	24'00"

Music for Symphony Orchestra (rental material)

	Symphony No. 1 The Lord of the Rings *	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	43'00"
	Symphony No. 2 The Big Apple (A New York Symphony) *	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	36'00"
	Symphony no. 3 Planet Earth *	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	49'00"
	Casanova (for cello and orchestra)	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	26'00"
	Klezmer Classics	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	08'00"
	Windy City Overture	Symphony Orchestra	Johan de Meij	05'15"

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## **Symphony No. 1 – The Lord of the Rings** The Amsterdam Wind Orchestra (Arie van Beek)

Symphony No. 1 The Lord of the Rings (Gandalf; Lothlórien; Gollum; Journey in the Dark; Hobbits)

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## **Symphony No. 2 – The Big Apple** The Amsterdam Wind Orchestra (Heinz Friesen)

Symphony No. 2 The Big Apple (Skyline; Gotham) (De Meij) - Lonely Town (from "On the Town") (Bernstein) - Candide Suite (Bernstein, arr. Grundman)

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## **Symphony No. 2 – The Big Apple** North Netherlands Symphony Orchestra (Jurjen Hempel)

Symphony No. 2 The Big Apple (A New York Symphony) (De Meij) - Slonimsky's Earbox (Adams)

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## **Symphony No. 3 – Planet Earth** La Artística Buñol (Henrie Adams)

Windy City Overture (De Meij) - Extreme Make-Over (De Meij) - Symphony No. 3 Planet Earth (De Meij)

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## **Symphony No. 3 – Planet Earth** The North Netherlands Orchestra The North Netherlands Concert Choir (Otto Tausk)

Symphony No. 3 Planet Earth (De Meij)

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## **Canticles** Orquestra de Vents Filharmonia (José R. Pascual-Vilaplana) The Danish Concert Band (Jørgen Misser Jensen)

Canticles (De Meij) - T-bone Concerto (De Meij) - Ch'ella mi creda (Puccini, arr. De Meij) - Duet from 'Don Carlo' (Verdi, arr. De Meij) - Rapsodia Borealis (Søren Hylgaard)

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## **The Puccini Legacy** Senzoku Gakuen College of Music Wind Ensemble (Johan de Meij) Orquestra de Vents Filharmonia (José R. Pascual-Vilaplana) Johan Willem Friso Military Band (Alex Schillings)

The Witches' Sabbath - Edgar - Angelo del Cielo - La Fanciulla del West - Te Deum - Requiem Aeternam - Ch'ella mi creda

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## **Ratatouille** The Arnhem Symphonic Winds (Johan de Meij)

Jazz Suite No. 2 (Shostakovich, arr. De Meij) Funeral Music (Grieg, arr. De Meij) - Aladdin Suite (Nielsen, arr. De Meij) - Jupiter Hymn (Holst, arr. De Meij) - Jig (Holst, arr. De Meij) - To My Country (Zweers, arr. De Meij) - Polish Christmas Music part 1 (De Meij) - Trois Rag-Caprices (Milhaud, arr. De Meij) Ratatouille Satirique (Satie, arr. De Meij)

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## **The Scandinavian Connection** The Danish Concert Band (Jørgen Misser Jensen) Harmonie St. Michaël Thorn (Heinz Friesen) Trombone soloist: Christian Lindberg

Continental Overture (De Meij) - Madurodam (De Meij) T-Bone Concerto (De Meij) - Marche Americana (Hylgaard) - Hans Christian Andersen Suite (Hylgaard) - Tivoli Festival Overture (Hylgaard)

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## **The Venetian Collection** Peabody Wind Ensemble (Harlan Parker) Bläserphilharmonie Südwest (Johan de Meij) Cello soloist: Stefan Faludi

The Venetian Collection (De Meij) - Casanova (De Meij)

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## **Casanova** The Johan Willem Friso Military Band (Alex Schillings) Cello soloist: Johan van Iersel

La Quintessenza (De Meij) - Casanova (De Meij) Aquarium (De Meij) - Loch Ness (De Meij)

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## **The Wind in the Willows** The Danish Concert Band (Jørgen Misser Jensen) The JWF Military Band (Alex Schillings, Tijmen Botma, Jan de Haan)

The Wind in the Willows (De Meij) - Tintin - Prisoners of the Sun (Brossé, arr. De Meij) - Elisabeth - The Musical (Kunze, Levay, arr. De Meij) - The Lord of the Rings - Excerpts from Symphony no. 1 (De Meij, arr. Lavender)

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## **Klezmer Classics** Freiburg Wind Orchestra (Johan de Meij)

Triumphal March (Moussorgsky, arr. De Meij) - Andante & alla Marcia (Dvorák, arr. De Meij) - Der Tod und das Mädchen (Schubert, arr. De Meij) - Extreme Make-Over (De Meij) - Henry V (Doyle, arr. De Meij) - The Woman in White (Webber, arr. De Meij) - Klezmer Classics (De Meij)

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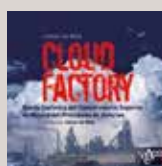


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## **Dutch Masters** Orquestra de Vents Filharmonia (José R. Pascual-Vilaplana)

Dance of the Amazon (Liadov, arr. De Meij) - La Fanciulla del West (Puccini, arr. De Meij) - Edgar (Puccini, arr. De Meij) - Duet from 'Don Carlo' (Verdi, arr. De Meij) - The King's March (Hylgaard, arr. De Meij) - Dutch Masters Suite (De Meij) - Festive Hymn (De Meij) - Hobbits Dance & Hymn (De Meij, arr. Lavender)

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## **Cloud Factory** Banda Sinfónica del Conservatorio Superior de Música del Principado de Asturias (Johan de Meij)

Spring (Johan de Meij) - Cloud Factory (Johan de Meij) - Wind Power (Johan de Meij) - Highlights from The Seville Suite (Bill Whelan/Arr. Johan de Meij) - At Kitty O'Shea's (Irish Folk Song Suite) (Johan de Meij)

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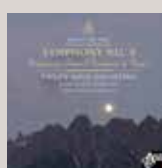


Amstel Classics 2013-01

## **Extreme Beethoven** Banda de Lalin (Bram Sniekers) Euphonium soloist: David Childs

Extreme Beethoven (Johan de Meij) - UFO Concerto (Johan de Meij) - Sinfonietta No. 1 (Johan de Meij) - Angelo del Cielo (Giacomo Puccini/Arr. Johan de Meij) - Songs from the Catskills (Johan de Meij) - Joropo (Moisés Moleiro/Arr. Johan de Meij) - Dance of the Elves (David Popper/Arr. Johan de Meij)

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Amstel Classics 2014-01

## **Symphony No. 4 – Sinfonie der Lieder** (Symphony of Songs) Philips Wind Orchestra (Johan de Meij)

Via Claudia (Johan de Meij) - Spring (Johan de Meij) - Symphony No. 4 Sinfonie der Lieder (Johan de Meij)

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