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TRISTAN UND ISOLDE

RICHARD WAGNER (1813–1883)

Glyndebourne's celebrated production of Nikolaus Lehnhoff's *Tristan und Isolde* is a supremely intelligent achievement; gravely beautiful, haunting and meditative, it is deeply reflective rather than visceral, fortified by Roland Aeschlimann's stunningly effective set, a womb-like space through which the protagonists move like gods. Conductor Jiří Bělohlávek mirrors Lehnhoff's approach in his sophisticated reading of the score's depths, with every shift in texture carefully laid bare by an inspired London Philharmonic Orchestra. Nina Stemme's Isolde and Robert Gambill's Tristan – both gloriously lyrical – are matched by superb performances from René Pape as the betrayed and vulnerable King Marke, Katarina Karnéus as a sharp Brangäne and Bo Skovhus as Kurwenal, deeply touching in his helpless devotion to Tristan. This High Definition recording of a production of uncommon intimacy reveals the opera's music and drama in a new light.

SUNG IN GERMAN WITH ENGLISH, FRENCH, GERMAN, SPANISH AND ITALIAN SUBTITLES

ISOLDE NINA STEMME • **TRISTAN** ROBERT GAMBILL • **BRANGÄNE** KATARINA KARNÉUS
KURWENAL BO SKOVHUS • **KING MARKE** RENÉ PAPE • **MELOT** STEPHEN GADD
YOUNG SAILOR/SHEPHERD TIMOTHY ROBINSON • **STEERSMAN** RICHARD MOSLEY-EVANS
LONDON PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA • THE GLYNDEBOURNE CHORUS

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A film by Reiner E. Moritz
- *On the set* (photo animation
by Mike Hoban)
- *Trimborn on Tristan*
A talk by Richard Trimborn

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