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DEIDAMIA

GEORGE FRIDERIC HANDEL 1685-1759

David Alden's witty and sensual production of Handel's last Italian opera is a bold reclamation of a hitherto-neglected work. In an internecine Greek political struggle before the Trojan war, military glory crushes personal fulfilment, embodied by Deidamia's journey from holiday girl to tragic heroine. Sally Matthews gives 'a captivating performance' in the lead role, combining 'vocal acrobatics with physical ones', (New York Times), and she is complemented by a cast of Baroque opera stars and one of Europe's most dynamic period-instrument orchestras. Filmed in High Definition and recorded in true Surround Sound.

Sung in Italian with English, French, German and Dutch subtitles

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Deidamia SALLY MATTHEWS
Nerea VERONICA CANGEMI
Achille OLGA PASICHNYK
Ulissee SILVIA TRO SANTAFÉ
Fenice ANDREW FOSTER-WILLIAMS
Licomedes UMBERTO CHIUMMO
Nestore JAN WILLEM SCHAAFSMA

CONCERTO KÖLN

Conductor IVOR BOLTON
Director DAVID ALDEN
Set design PAUL STEINBERG
Costume design CONSTANCE HOFFMAN
Lighting design ADAM SILVERMAN

Directed for the screen by JOOST HONSELAAR

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