

IRISH MUSIC FOR GUITAR

arranged for solo/classic guitar by

JOHN LOESBERG

Here is an exciting collection of new material for the guitarist, drawn from Ireland's rich musical tradition. Included are arrangements of harp music, folksongs and traditional dance tunes. This album offer no less than 27 pieces, many of them suitable for players in their first year of study. Also featured are compositions by the 17th century harper/composer O'Carolan. These are arranged here for more advanced players. The lively, tuneful pieces in this collection will make a welcome addition to the repertoire of beginner and recitalist alike. All arrangements are carefully and lovingly treated by John Loesberg, who already has published collections of folksongs, arrangements and original compositions which received wide recognition. The accompanying recording made by Simon Taylor illustrates the music perfectly and will give listeners a taste for these arrangements and the music of Ireland in general.

This represents a first-class introduction to Ireland's musical tradition'
Raymond Burley in 'Classical Guitar'

'Mr Loesberg clearly understands what the music is about'
Charles Acton in 'Books Ireland'

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