



ALMANACK PIANISTICO

COMPOSED & PERFORMED BY
CARSON COOMAN

CONVIVIUM
RECORDS

TRACKLIST

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1	Mesclun	3.01	20	A Poynte	1.50
2	Turba	2.27	21	Jhala	1.11
3	Pine	3.43	22	Grain	1.37
4	Fourth	0.59	23	Duotone	1.15
5	Hill Song	1.26	24	Bass Rocks Surf	1.01
6	Popping Third	0.54	25	Changes	1.03
7	Visible	1.06	26	Triadic Chorale	1.28
8	Arietta (Two Rooms)	2.04	27	Slides	0.57
9	Horizon Chorale	3.02	28	Low Thirds	1.36
10	Flock	1.02	29	Snow Day	2.52
11	Slow Scythe	2.15	30	Lightship	1.57
12	Waypoint	1.45	31	Quasi-Tango	2.02
13	Close	1.28	32	Chorale (with Holes)	1.57
14	Return	0.53	33	The Beginning	1.21
15	Diminishing Returns	1.39	34	Accompagnato	1.45
16	Strand	0.58	35	Mystery Box	2.06
17	Parable	4.57	36	Valentine	2.27
18	Prince of Whales	2.21	37	Portentum	5.42
19	Decisions	3.13		Total running time	73.27

BIOGRAPHY

Carson Cooman (b. 1982) is an American composer with a catalogue of hundreds of works in many forms — from solo instrumental pieces to operas, and from orchestral works to hymn tunes. His music has been performed on all six inhabited continents in venues that range from the stage of Carnegie Hall to the basket of a hot air balloon. Cooman's music appears on over forty recordings, including more than twenty-five complete CDs on the Naxos, Albany, Artek, Gothic, Divine Art, Métier, Diversions, Convivium, Altarus, MSR Classics, Raven, and Zimbel labels. Cooman's primary composition studies were with Bernard Rands, Judith Weir, Alan Fletcher, and James Willey. As an active concert organist, Cooman specializes in the performance of contemporary music. Over 300 new compositions by more than 100 international composers have been written for him, and his organ performances can be heard on a number of CD releases and more than 7,500 recordings available online (representing the work of more than 800 composers). Cooman is also a writer



on musical subjects, producing articles and reviews frequently for a number of international publications. He serves as an active consultant on music business matters to composers and performing organizations, specializing particularly in the area of composer estates and archives.

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