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Jeanne d'Arc au Bûcher

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Jeanne d'Arc au Bûcher

(Joan of Arc at the Stake)

Dramatic Overture

Text by Paul Claudel

Speaking Roles

Jeanne d'Arc Vera Zorina
Frère Dominique Raymond Geronme

Singing Roles

The Virgin Frances Yeend (soprano)
Marguerite Carolyn Long (soprano)
Catherine Martha Lipton (contralto)
A Voice
Jean de Luxembourg
Regnault de Chartres
Percus
First Herald David Lloyd (tenor)
Guillaume de Flavy
A Voice Kenneth Smith (bass)
Second Herald

Narrators: Anne Carrere, Charles Mahieu, Jean Julliard
John H. Brown (boy soprano)

Temple University Choirs (Elaine Brown, director)
St. Peter's Boys Choir (Harold Gilbert, director)

Eugene Ormandy - The Philadelphia Orchestra

Producer's Note

The present transfer was made from the best portions of two first edition blue label American Columbia pressings. There are some instances of distortion, dropout and studio noises which are on the original LP master tape.

Mark Obert-Thorn

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Producer and Audio Restoration
Engineer: **Mark Obert-Thorn**

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photograph of **Vera Zorina** as
Joan of Arc

Recorded 16 November and 21
December 1952 in the Academy
of Music, Philadelphia

Total duration: **72:12**

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- 1 Prologue (7:22)
- 2 I - The Voices from Heaven (1:59)
- 3 II - The Book (3:08)
- 4 III - The Voices of the Earth (3:26)
- 5 IV - Joan Given Up to the Beasts (7:56)
- 6 V - Joan at the Stake (3:05)
- 7 VI - The Kings, or the Invention of the Game of Cards (5:18)
- 8 VII - Catherine and Margaret (2:27)
- 9 VIII - The King Sets Out for Rheims (10:29)
- 10 IX - The Sword of Joan (13:34)
- 11 X - Trimazo (1:04)
- 12 XI - The Burning of Joan of Arc (12:24)

The Philadelphia Orchestra Eugene Ormandy

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