



DANIEL BEHLE

Lyric Tenor

Daniel Behle's interpretation of Tamino in René Jacobs's award-winning recording of Mozart's "Die Zauberflöte" earned glowing praise from music critics and brought him recognition from a wider audience.

The young tenor has also made a name for himself as a Lied singer. His debut CD with works by Schubert, Beethoven, Grieg, Britten and Trojahn was selected by the Metropolitan Opera Guild as one of the 15 best new releases of 2009. His second CD, "Die schöne Müllerin / Auf dem Strom", released on the Capriccio label in summer 2010, also received outstanding reviews.

His third CD, "Dichterliebe / Der Hirt auf dem Felsen", will be released in spring 2011.

Opera engagements have taken him to Milan's La Scala, the Frankfurt Opera, the Cologne Opera, the Royal Opera in Stockholm, Opéra National de Lyon, the State Operas of Vienna, Munich, Berlin and Hamburg and to the Aix-en-Provence Festival and Salzburg's Mozart Week.

He has given concerts with the WDR Radio Orchestra, the Concertgebouw Orchestra Amsterdam and the Capella Augustina. In December 2011 he makes his debut with the Staatskapelle Dresden under Christian Thielemann.

After studying trombone and composition, Daniel Behle completed his studies in voice at the University of Music and Theatre in Hamburg with distinction. He won first prize at several prestigious vocal competitions, among them the Robert Stolz Competition and the Queen Sonja International Music Competition in Oslo. The Hamburg native currently lives in Basel.

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