



BIS-CD-1080 STEREO

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Total playing time: 73'15

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JÓN Leifs (1899-1968)

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| 1 | Viking's Answer (Vikingasvar) | World Première Recording | 3'47 |
| Intermezzo for wind ensemble, percussion, violas and double basses, Op. 54 | | | |
| 2 | The Lay of Helgi the Hunding-slayer (Helga kviða Hundingsbana) | | 8'22 |
| for alto, bass and small orchestra, Op. 61 | | | |
| 3 | Gróa's Spell (Grógaldur) | for alto, tenor, and orchestra, Op. 62 | 18'38 |
| 4 | Jónas Hallgrímsson in memoriam (Jónasar minni Hallgrímssonar) | | 6'48 |
| for mixed choir and orchestra, Op. 48 | | | World Première Recording |
| 5 | Spring Song (Vorvís) | for mixed choir and orchestra, Op. 46 | World Première Recording 4'48 |
| 6 | Landfall – Overture (Landsýn – forleikur) | for male chorus and orchestra, Op. 41 | 9'50 |
| 7-13 | Iceland Cantata (Þjóðhvöt – Íslandskantata) | for mixed choir and orchestra, Op. 13 | 19'07 |

Guðrún Edda Gunnarsdóttir, alto; Finnur Bjarnason, tenor; Ólafur Kjartan Sigurðarson, bass
Hallgrímskirkja Motet Choir and Schola Cantorum, choral direction: Hörður Áskelsson
Fótbæður Male Choir, choral direction: Árni Harðarson
Kársnesskóli boys' choir, choral direction: Þórunn Björnsdóttir

Iceland Symphony Orchestra • Hermann Bäumer, conductor