
Subject: from Lori - and please pass this along to Elena too, thanks

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Dear Tanya,

Good to see you on FB this morning.

While I didn't have time to listen to your entire CD, I didn't want to lose any more time before writing to congratulate you and Elena.

The Respighi songs are so beautiful - and I didn't know any of them. Each one is exquisite – with beautiful sensitivity to the text and great vocal writing.

The two of you have a great ensemble - every nuance is beautiful and beautifully matched.

I am so pleased by your rendition of my song cycle -- the phrasing and colors and understanding of the transitions are just superb - and I want to thank you both so much for the time and dedication you took to bring my music to life so beautifully!

I will try to listen to the remainder before too long -- but it's great that you have released an album dedicated to women composers:)

What a terrific compilation of songs. Thank you for including me!

Hope you are having a wonderful Thanksgiving.

all best,

Lori