



C MUSIC TV - JUNE 2009 VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

LIBERA 'VESPERA'



Libera are an all boys choral choir from South London who have captivated audiences around the world with their enchanting & evocative sound. A decade since releasing their self-titled debut album, Libera have had a string of hugely successful songs, topping both the mainstream & classical charts. The track 'Vespera' is from the group's second album 'Luminosa'.

LA BOHEME 'GELIDA MANI'



La Bohème is an opera written by Giacomo Puccini in 1896 & is essentially a tragic love story between a seamstress called Mimì & a poet called Rodolfo. This performance of 'Gelida Mani' performed by Inva Mula & Aquiles Machado, was recorded live at the Teatro Real de Madrid in March 2006, directed by Giancarlo del Monaco & conducted by Jesús Lopez Cóbos. Costing over 1 million Euros to produce, this lavish production of Puccini's masterpiece is one of the most celebrated interpretations in recent years.

DUEL 'DANSE MACABRE'



Greg Scott & Craig Owen formed the classical violin act Duel after graduating from The Royal Northern College of Music. The duo were discovered by producer Pete Waterman who immediately signed them to the record label Decca. Their debut album proved popular with audiences across Britain & reached No.1 in the classical album chart in 2004. The piece 'Danse Macabre' was written by Camille Saint-Saens & is a haunting tune based on an old French superstition about 'Death' appearing at midnight every Halloween.

TAKE THAT 'RULE THE WORLD'



Stardust (2007) is a fantasy film about the hunt to find a fallen star in the magical realm of Stormhold. Directed by Matthew Vaughn, the film stars Michelle Pfeiffer, Robert De Niro & Claire Danes & was popular with audiences the world over. British pop group Take That wrote & recorded 'Rule the World' for the film which similarly peaked highly in the singles chart.

LAMB 'GABRIEL'



Lamb is an electronic music duo from Manchester, England. The group comprises of producer Andy Barlow & singer-songwriter Louise Rhodes who have worked together since 1996. Lamb have released a number of successful singles & albums including 'Gabriel' & 'Gorecki', but in the last few years have dedicated more time to working on solo projects.

C MUSIC TV CLOSE UP - FUSE



FUSE is the British electronic violin act, bringing together the talents of Linzi Stoppard & Ben Lee. Acclaimed solo violinists in their own right, FUSE have helped to promote the appeal of the electric violin amongst younger & mainstream audiences & encouraged more school pupils to learn an instrument. Chosen as 'The face of C Music TV' in 2008, the duo have since gone on to have remarkable worldwide success.

The latest C Music TV Close up sees Fuse performing live for the channel at the Cannes Television Festival. Speaking exclusively to C Music TV between their hectic rehearsal schedule, Linzi & Ben talk about their backgrounds as solo violinists as well as looking ahead & discussing the direction they see band taking in the years to come.