

Concert in honor of Vladimir Spivakov's 65th Birthday

September 12, 2009 - 7:00 PM

The Svetlanov Hall at the Moscow Performing Arts Centre

(Kosmodamianskaya nab., 52-8)

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Concert dedicated to the 65th Birthday of Vladimir Spivakov

The National Philharmonic Orchestra of Russia

Conductor – Vladimir Spivakov

Part I

Tchaikovsky “The Sleeping Beauty”: Waltz

Bizet-Shchedrin “Carmen-Suite”: Bolero and Torero

Poulenc Concerto for two pianos and orchestra, D minor

Soloists – Helen Mercier and Lous Lortie, piano duet

Verdi “La forza del destino”: Overture

Verdi “I masnadieri”: Recitative and Aria of Amalia «*Tu del mio Carlo al seno*»

Cilea “Adrienne Lecouvreur”: Aria of Adrienne «*Io son l'umile ancella*»

Dvorak “Gypsy Melodies”, op.55, # 4: «*Kdyz mne stará matka*»

Soloist – Hibla Gerzmava, soprano

Part II

Tchaikovsky Symphony # 4, F minor, op 36,: Finale

Rachmaninoff Concerto # 2 for piano and orchestra, C minor, op. 18

Soloist – Denis Matsuev

Verdi “I vespri siciliani”: Overture

Puccini “La rondine”: Aria of Magda «*Ch'il bel sogno di Doretta*»

Puccini “La Madama Butterfly”: Aria of Cio-Cio San «*Un bel di vedremo*»

Puccini “Gianni Schicchi”: Aria of Lauretta «*O mio babbino caro*»

Soloist – Angela Gheorghiu, soprano