

# Year 2024 *Friends of the Wanamaker Organ* Gift Premiums

—our gift to you in appreciation for your contribution

Any one of items A through H is available for a gift of \$85; two items for a gift of \$150; three or more for larger gifts (as detailed on the contributions envelope). Please enter your choice(s) by marking the appropriate letter(s) *on the envelope* when mailing in your renewal, and thank you for your support!

NEW!



**A Hazel Wright Organ:** David Ball's bold performance takes full advantage of this "King of Instruments" potential—tapping some 17,000 pipes, 300 stops and 300 ranks. "Hazel" plays from all four corners of Christ Cathedral, wrapping listeners' in true "surround sound."

NEW!



**E Beckerath Retrospective:** Alison J. Luedecke gives a workout to four major pipe organs by the influential Organ Revival builder Rudolf von Beckerath in this superb and highly praised *Double CD* anthology. It showcasing large, timeless instruments in Florida, Cleveland, Pittsburgh and Montreal.

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**B Passages on the Journey** taps the rich resources of the formidable Methuen Memorial Music Hall Organ. Angela Kraft Cross displays many of her captivating works on a spectacular CD. She is acclaimed as one of our most gifted and listenable composers today—find out why!



**F Michel Boulnois - Organ Music:** The phenomenal Dobson organ at St. Thomas Church in New York City is given a high-octane workout by Jeremy Filsell in French repertoire by Michel Boulnois. Not as well known as Vierne and Dupré. Boulnois nonetheless wrote with the same French passion and verve!

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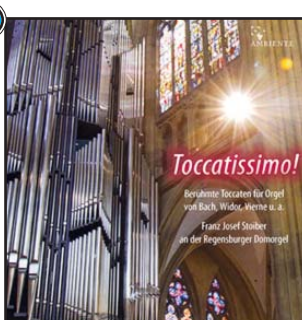


**C French Organ Works of Pierre Kunc:** A student of Gigout, Kunc (1865–1941) was possibly the most award-winning composer of France's long music history (*The Diapason*). Damin Spritzer showcases many gems on a grand, resonant 1849 French cathedral organ.

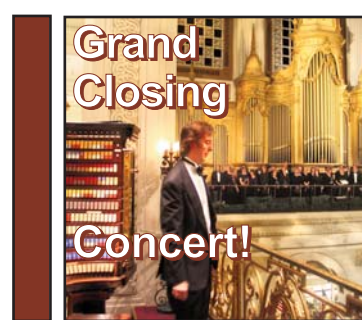


**G Peter Richard Conte: Grand Halloween Concert DVD!** Toccata and Fugue in D Minor, Pièce Heroïque, Grand Chorus with Thunder, Bald Mountain, More! Exclusively ours—the Wanamaker Organ at its spookiest in this DVD of our October 2020 streamcast.

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**D Toccatissimo! Famous Organ Toccatas at the Regensburg Cathedral:** Favorite toccatas thunder down the nave of St. Peter's Cathedral under the touch of cathedral organist Franz Josef Stoiber, in this stunning, superbly recorded CD of a 32-ton instrument suspended by steel cables. *Wow!*



**H Friends of the Wanamaker Organ Grand Closing Concert disc, Vol. 1:** Exclusively ours, offered again this year! Organ, choral and instrumental highlights from our famous June Grand Closing Concerts are showcased in this incredible disc. No collection is complete without it!

**ALSO AVAILABLE:** THE DVD THE WANAMAKER ORGAN CENTENNIAL CONCERT; PETER RICHARD CONTE'S WANAMAKER RECORDINGS CHRISTMAS IN THE GRAND TRADITION, LEGACY, MY HEART AT THY SWEET VOICE, VIRGIL FOX REMEMBERED, RACHMANINOFF AND MAGICI; OUR REPRODUCTION ELECTROLIAN COLOR BOOKLET ON THE ORGAN AT THE WORLD'S FAIR; OR THE PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA/WANAMAKER CD A GRAND CELEBRATION. FOUR ASTERISKS QUALIFIES FOR THE 305-PAGE BOOK *MUSIC IN THE MARKETPLACE*. FOR ANY OF THESE ITEMS, SIMPLY ENCLOSE A NOTE WITH YOUR RENEWAL.

- PARTICIPATION IN OUR premium program has allowed your Society to sponsor professional concert presentations. Kindly consider increasing your support as the Wanamaker Organ comes into increasing prominence and we strive to sustain our streamcasts, restoration programs and ambitious concerts.

Items below count as a *double premium* (two asterisks in the category field on the contributions envelope). Each is available individually for a gift of \$150; two for a gift of \$250. More choices in fine print at bottom!

**I Hazel's Story: Deluxe DVD:** This exciting new Blu-Ray production highlights the fascinating story of the iconic 17,000-pipe organ from Robert Schuller's "Hour of Power" Crystal Cathedral—now newly restored as part of the spectacularly refurbished Christ Cathedral in Garden Grove California!



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**J Virgil Fox: The Dish plus a Heavy Organ CD and DVD showcasing Richard Morris on the Spivey Auditorium Ruffatti.** Exclusively ours, this *special edition* of the spicy Fox bio comes with a bonus powerhouse CD and DVD set.



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**K Virgil Fox In the Beginning:** Dennis Block's engaging, meticulously researched chronicle of Fox's formative years traces his musical roots, giving key insights on his teachers, technique and career trajectory. Included: fascinating detail on Paris encounters with Vierne and Dupré. This *tour-de-force* covers territory omitted in *The Dish*.



**L Wanamaker stop-tablet tie!** This smart, quality hand-crafted & colorful necktie features broad color-coded stripes made up of the vibrant stop tablets of the technicolor Wanamaker Organ console.

Exclusively ours. A must-have attention-getting accessory for any wardrobe!



**ALSO AVAILABLE AS A DOUBLE PREMIUM:** THE DVD WANAMAKER ORGAN CURATORS TOUR, THE DVD WANAMAKER ORGAN DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY CONCERT, THE SYMPHONIC SPLENDOR CD/DVD, THE VIRGIL FOX PLAYS THE WANAMAKER ORGAN CD/DVD, THE SONIC ODYSSEY CD/DVD, OR THREE THOMAS MURRAY CDs, OR THE BOOK VIRGIL FOX: THE DISH, THE BOOK WANAMAKER'S OR A WANAMAKER ORGAN TOTE BAG. FOR ANY OF THESE ITEMS, PLEASE ENCLOSE A NOTE WITH YOUR RENEWAL. TWO MORE ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR ONLINE RENEWERS. SHOULD ANY ITEM CEASE TO BE AVAILABLE, WE WILL CONTACT YOU REGARDING A SUBSTITUTE.