

Matei Varga's artistry has garnered superlative reviews from critics around the world, who have found his performances "magical" (Süddeutsche Zeitung), as well as "colorful, vivacious [and] engaging" (Le Diapason). A top prizewinner at the Maria Canals and George Enescu piano competitions, Mr. Varga has appeared as a soloist and recitalist in many of the world's leading concert halls, among them Carnegie Hall and Avery Fisher Hall, Konzerthaus (Berlin), the Auditorium du Louvre and Salle Gaveau (Paris). He is a graduate of Mannes College of Music, where he studied with Pavlina Dokovska.

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**SUNDAY**

**Nine Preludes** (1975– 1977)

Tudor Dumitrescu (1957–1977)

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|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| I Lento languido                | VI Sereno           |
| II Allegro impetuoso            | VII Largo e sonoro  |
| III Andante molto rubato        | VIII Andante (1975) |
| IV Allegretto (tempo di valzer) | IX Andante (1977)   |
| V Molto animato ed agitato      |                     |

Celebration of Silence :: Two Minutes

**Keyboard Sonata in A flat major** Wq. 49/2, H31 (1744)

Carl Philipp Emanuel Bach (1714–1788)

- I Un poco allegro
- II Adagio
- II Allegro

**Gigi Bella, Mercedes Holtry, & Eva Crespín**

spoken word

Current ABQ Women of the World Poetry Slam (WOWPS) champ, **Gigi Bella**, former 2x ABQ IWPs and WOWPS Champ, **Mercedes Holtry** and 2x Outspoken Champ, **Eva Crespín** join Chatter today.

This trio of women has represented ABQ in many national and international competitions, including the 2016 National Group Piece Finals in which Gigi, Cedez and Eva helped the ABQ city team win 1<sup>st</sup> place in the nation for the best poetry slam group work.

**Piano Sonata** opus 109, in E major (1820)

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770–1827)

- I Vivace ma non troppo / Adagio espressivo
- II Prestissimo
- III Gesangvoll, mit innigster Empfindung. Andante molto cantabile ed espressivo

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Performed by **Felberg, Randall, Holland** and **Ditlow**

**Olivia Gatwood** spoken word

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Sun, Apr 30 at 5:00pm at the Albuquerque Museum

Pianist **Lara Downes** performs music from her new Sono

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