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GUEST RECITAL

Aldo Mancinelli
Pianist

Two sonatas

E major (L. 23)
C Major (L. 3)

Domenico Scarlatti
(1685-1757)

Tocatta in D Major

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

Prelude, Chorale and Fugue (1884)

César Franck
(1822-1890)

Intermission

Sonata in E-flat Major, Opus 31, No. 3

Allegro
Scherzo : Allegro vivace
Menuett : Moderato e grazioso
Presto con fuoco

Ludwig van Beethoven
(1770-1827)

Mephisto Waltz (1883)

Franz Liszt
(1811-1886)

The sixty-first program of the 1997-98 season

Kemp Recital Hall
Thursday Evening
January 15, 1998
8:00 p.m.

Aldo Mancinelli

Internationally acclaimed pianist, **Aldo Manicnelli**, the first American to win the coveted *Ferruccio Busoni International Piano Competition*, made his debut at the age of eleven performing Beethoven's First Piano Concerto with the Wheeling Symphony Orchestra. After graduating from the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, he continued his piano studies with Rudolf Firkusny and later with Claudio Arrau. As the recipient of two successive Fulbright scholarships, Mr. Manicinelli studied with Carlo Zecchi at the Accademia di Santa Cecilia in Rome, and upon graduation, he was awarded the *Don Luigi Sturzo Prize* as the outstanding graduate of the year. Mr. Mancinelli has performed over 950 concerts throughout Europe, North Africa, the Middle East, and the United States. He made his New York debut as soloist with the National Orchestral Association in Carnegie Hall, and has appeared as guest soloist with major symphony orchestras in the United States and Europe, including: The Hague Philharmonic, Royal Liverpool Philharmonic, N.D.R. Symphony (Hamburg), Cleveland Orchestra, Santa Cecilia Orchestra (Rome), La Scala Orchestra (Milan), Dallas Symphony, etc. His recording of *Piano Music of Charles Griffes*, released by Musical Heritage Society, has received wide critical acclaim. In late June of this year, Aldo Mancinelli will record the Beethoven Fourth Concerto in Prague with the Czech National Symphony Orchestra. Also on the CD will be the Beethoven Sonata, Opus 31 No.3, which is included on today's program.