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Roy Harris's Symphonies (1) *Malcolm Robertson*

György Kurtág's Instrumental Music 1988-98 *Rachel Beckles Willson*

Foxes and Vixens: an Update on Vic Hoyland *Roger Marsh*

Reich's 'Hindenburg' in Munich *Graham Lock*

Ives's 'Emerson' Concerto in Cleveland *Richard Tiedman*

Morton Feldman on CD *John Warnaby*

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The 80's

Towards the Millennium on the South Bank
Music and literature from the 1980's
6 March - 26 March 1999

Saturday 6th March
RFH 7.30pm

**City of Birmingham
Symphony Orchestra**

Sir Simon Rattle *conductor*
John Williams *guitar*
Christine Pendrill *oboe d'amore*
City of Birmingham
Symphony Chorus
Lutoslawski Symphony No 3
Takemitsu To the Edge of Dream
Takemitsu Vers L'arc en ciel, Palma
Adams Harmonium
Tickets £11 (£6 Consc.)

Sunday 7th March
QEH 7.45pm

London Sinfonietta

James Wood *conductor*
Sound Intermedia
London Sinfonietta Voices*
Steve Reich Tehillim*
Jonathan Harvey Bhakti
Tickets £15 £10 (Consc. £6)
QEH at 6.30pm: pre-concert talk
with Jonathan Harvey

Monday 15th March
RFH 7.30pm

**City of Birmingham
Symphony Orchestra**

Sir Simon Rattle *conductor*
Illustrated talk by Simon Rattle
and members of the Orchestra
followed by
Nicholas Maw Odyssey
Tickets £11 (£6 Consc.)

Wednesday 17th March
QEH 7.45pm

London Sinfonietta

Oliver Knussen *conductor*
Sound Intermedia
Knussen Higglety Pigglety Pop
(concert performance)
Where the Wild Things Are
(concert performance)
Tickets £15 £10 (Consc. £6)

Monday 26th March
RFH 7.30pm

**City of Birmingham
Symphony Orchestra**

Sir Simon Rattle *conductor*
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Kurtag Grabstein for Stephan
Gubaydullina Offertorium
Birtwistle Earth Dances
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