# PRIMA CLASSIC PRESENTS



After **Mirror Touch** and **The Sky** Pianist and Composer Elena Kole presents her new work:

# PURPLE BIRD

Purple Bird flaps its wings. Follow him! Fly over a Thousand Islands; spend a Summer Afternoon in Boston; be mesmerized by a Purple Sunset, and dive into the depths of your own soul.

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# Elena Kole

Elena lives in Barcelona, Spain. She was educated at the Rimsky-Korsakov State Superior Conservatory in Saint Petersburg, a center where she already began to work as an accompanist pianist. In 1990 he received the Diploma of Honor from the Ministry of Culture in the 1st National Contest of Accompanying Pianists held in Kazan and participated in other international competitions, accompanying, for example, I. Strunin to Toulouse, France (First Prize), Y. Ivshin to Wroclaw, Poland (Second Prize) or to T. Menchikova in Vienna, Austria (First Prize) and Barcelona, Spain (Special Prize). She also worked in the Lied masterclasses of R. Hall and J. Jansen in Saint Petersburg, Russia, and performed recitals in prominent halls such as the Philharmonic Hall in that city, the Concertgebouw in Amsterdam (as part of the Hermitage Series), the Caja Auditorium. Madrid, the Gran Teatre del Liceu Barcelona or the Palau de Congresos de Ibiza. Her work as a specialist in piano repertoire has also been reflected as a teacher at the Liceu of Barcelona Conservatory and as an official pianist for the finalists of the Francesc Viñas (Barcelona) International Singing Competition in various editions.

#### Credits

All songs composed and performed by Elena Kole (Kolesnikova) Executive Producer: Edgardo Vertanessian Recorded, Mixed, and Mastered in Hi-Res 96/24 by Edgardo Vertanessian Available on Dolby ATMOS



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