Trails for Early Music: Poems, Pilgrims, Parodies

Series intro.....

MUSIC: Bach: Jesu meine Freude 96R06 #6

KANE: Bach's famous setting of "Jesu meine Freude", 'Jesu my joy', a

poem by lawyer, public official and poet Johann Franck. It'll be opening the Early Music programme series in April, which will have a sub-title of 'poems, pilgrims and parodies'. Hear it on

Sunday mornings, Radio 4, between 10 and 11.

MUSIC: same to end

Sunday 1st April:

MUSIC: Brossard: Stabat Mater 98R09 # 1

KANE: One of more than 200 recordings of the long medieval poem

'Stabat Mater dolorosa'; this one, by Frenchman Sebastien de Brossard appears in Sunday morning's new Early Music series 'poems, pilgrims and parodies'. The pilgrims are going to Compostela, and the parody is on the bridge at Avignon.

Early Music, Radio 4, Sunday 10:00 a.m.

MUSIC: [end of same track]

Sunday 15th April:

MUSIC: Purcell: Ode for Queen Mary's b'day 95R 05 # 1

KANE: The symphony that begins Henry Purcell's Ode for Queen Mary's

birthday in 1692, "Love's goddess sure was blind". That's the major item in this Sunday morning's Early Music programme with me, Ciaran Kane. There's also Lassus, Nivers, and another song

for the road to Santiago de Compostela. Radio 4, Sunday

morning, just after 10.

MUSIC: same to end

Sunday 8th April:

MUSIC: Bach: Bleib bei uns (BWV 6) CD 34443 # 9

KANE: From an early Bach cantata for Eastertime : from a medieval play

of the pilgrims to Emmaus; from a Mass based on a popular song called 'The Armed Man' --- the main contents of this Sunday's Early Music programme of poems, pilgrims and

parodies: on air on Radio 4, between 10 and 11 in the morning.

MUSIC: same to end.

Sunday 22nd May:

MUSIC: Vivaldi: Clarae stellae, scintillate 98R05 # 9

KANE: The introduction of one of Vivaldi's sacred motets, "Bright stars,

shine!" There's also the stories of St Nicholas and of St Ursula and 11,000 virgins; plus a poem of Hildegarde of Bingen, and part of Missa Ego Flos Campi from 17th century Mexico: all in

Sunday's Early Music programme at 10:00 am on radio 4

MUSIC: same to end

Sunday 29th May:

MUSIC: Anon: Hanaq pachap kusikuynin CDA 67380 # 1

KANE: Music from Latin American baroque, English 16th-17th century,

Portugal and late Italian baroque in this week's Early Music, on Sunday morning. It's the last of this month's selection of music *roughly* falling into categories of poems, pilgrims and parodies. I'm Ciaran Kane, presenting this Early Music choice on Sunday

morning, on this channel, just after 10. Join me then.

MUSIC: same to end