Record Nr. UNINA9910790976903321 Autore Sylvester Richard D **Titolo** Rachmaninoff's complete songs: a companion with texts and translations / / Richard D. Sylvester Pubbl/distr/stampa Bloomington, Indiana: ,: Indiana University Press, , 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 0-253-01259-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (328 p.) Collana Russian Music Studies Disciplina 782.42168092 Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and indexes. Early years (1873-1892) -- Nine unpublished songs (1890-1899) --Nota di contenuto First published songs, opus 4 (1893) -- Six romances, opus 8 (1896) -- Twelve romances, opus 14 (1896) -- Twelve romances, opus 21 (1902) -- Song 46, without opus (1900) -- Fifteen romances, opus 26 (1906) -- Song 62, without opus (1900) -- Fourteen romances, opus 34 (1912-1915) -- Song 77, without opus (1914) -- Six poems, opus 38 (1916) -- After Russia (1917-1943) -- Two unpublished songs (1916). Sommario/riassunto Sergei Rachmaninoff--the last great Russian romantic and arguably the finest pianist of the late 19th and early 20th centuries--wrote 83 songs, which are performed and beloved throughout the world. Like German Lieder and French melodies, the songs were composed for one singer, accompanied by a piano. In this complete collection, Richard D. Sylvester provides English translations of the songs, along with accurate transliterations of the original texts and detailed commentary. Since Rachmaninoff viewed these ""romances"" primarily as performances and painstakingly annotated the scores, this v