

# MUSIC ACCORD

BRUCE ADOLPHE

*A Thousand Years of Love* (2001)

## Program Notes

**"A Thousand Years of Love"** (20 minutes)

song cycle of love poems from around the world spanning 1000 of history. Commissioned by Millennium Consortium, Music Accord, for soprano Sylvia McNair. Premiered at The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center, October 2001, with Sylvia McNair, soprano, and Bruce Adolphe, piano. Performed by them around the US. Touring in 2003 with soprano Lauren Skuce and pianist Anne-Marie McDermott for The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center.

## A Thousand Years of Love

Composer: Bruce Adolphe

Instrumentation: soprano and piano

Premiering Artists: Sylvia McNair, soprano;  
Bruce Adolphe, piano

Duration: 20'

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Sylvia McNair official site

<http://sylviamcnair.com/>

Bruce Adolphe. Credit: Barbara Luisi



Sylvia McNair. Credit: Roni Ely

## About Music Accord

Comprised of top classical music presenting organizations throughout the United States, Music Accord is a consortium that commission new works in the chamber music, instrumental recital and song genres. The Consortium's goal is to create a significant number of new works and to ensure presentation of these works in venues throughout this country and, if the occasion arises, internationally. Music Accord awards commissions principally to performers who are US citizens or reside in the US and assists these performers in selecting composers who are United States citizens or who reside in the United States.

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