

Concert for the Earth SPECIAL TICKET OFFER- 2 FOR 1

The ASO has embarked on a bold artistic venture with their Concert for the Earth - presenting a unique musical interpretation of the issue of climate change, the major global issue facing us today.

On this great musical journey you'll hear the world premiere of award winning composer Gerard Brophy's *The Blue Thread*, inspired by the River Murray and created especially for our own **Natsuko Yoshimoto, ASO Concertmaster**.

'Natsuko is a superb musician blessed with sublime musical gifts and she is more than capable of reflecting all the nuances implicit in the metaphor of the Murray's relationship with the environment.' Brophy said.

This special event also features **Les Murray, outstanding poet of his generation** in moving readings of his thought-provoking poetry on the environment. It is a major coup for the orchestra to welcome Murray back to Adelaide after his long absence.

Continuing the theme is an Australian work "Earth Spirit Songs" by Ross Edwards, with one of "Australia's finest young singers" as special guest, **soprano Greta Bradman**.

This concert aims to conjure up the very lifelines of our planet with *The Oceanides* by Jean Sibelius and comes to a brilliant climax with Debussy's *La mer* taking you into voluptuous soundscapes inspired by the sea.

Join us on **Saturday 27 November, 8pm at the Adelaide Town Hall** for this evocative and ultimately inspiring musical experience.



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Bookings for the ASO's Concert for the Earth can be made through BASS. Quote 'environment' when booking by phone 131 246 and secure your tickets at half price.