

JULY KENTUCKY TOUR
Teddy Abrams, conductor

Leonard BERNSTEIN	<i>Overture to Candide</i>
Tyler TAYLOR	New Work
Bedřich SMETANA	"The Moldau" from <i>Má vlast</i>
Teddy ABRAMS	<i>Overture to The Greatest</i>
Bill MONROE arr. Teddy Abrams	<i>Blue Moon of Kentucky</i>
Gioachino ROSSINI	<i>Overture to William Tell</i>
TJ COLE	<i>Megalopolis</i>
George GERSHWIN	<i>Rhapsody in Blue</i>
Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	<i>1812 Overture, Op. 49</i>

The Louisville Orchestra under the baton of Teddy Abrams brings an exciting program of orchestral favorites to residents all over the Commonwealth of Kentucky. It's a concert of overtures - Bernstein kicks it off with his hugely popular *Overture to Candide*, Teddy Abrams conducts the overture to his ground-breaking rap opera about Muhammed Ali, Rossini gives us a bit of "Hi Ho Silver", and Tchaikovsky wraps up the program with his rousing *1812 Overture*. Along the way, we'll float down the Moldau River through the Czech countryside, experience contemporary pieces by two composers of the LO's Creators Corps - Kentucky native Tyler Taylor and TJ Cole, sing along with an arrangement of *Blue Moon of Kentucky*, and revel in the jazz themes of Gershwin's iconic *Rhapsody in Blue*.

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