

## **LAURA VIZZUTTI**

Laura Vizzutti has performed and presented workshops in Japan, New Zealand, Canada and Europe, and throughout the United States. She began studying piano at the age of 4 and was a young artist competition winner at the age of 14. As a scholarship student at the famed **Eastman School of Music** in Rochester , New York, Ms. Vizzutti studied with Brooks Smith and Eugene List and earned a Bachelor of Music Degree in piano performance.

After completion of her undergraduate studies, Ms. Vizzutti performed as accompanist for the Washington Choral Arts Society at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. after which she moved to Los Angeles to attend the University of Southern California. She coached there with **Jasha Heifetz** and Brooks Smith. Ms. Vizzutti was subsequently awarded a Master of Music Degree in Chamber Music and Accompanying. Her CDs include " A Trumpeter's Dream" , recorded in Japan with her husband, Allen Vizzutti, "The Carnival of Venus", also with Mr. Vizzutti, and "Ten Of The Best", which was recorded in Germany and includes Ms. Vizzutti performing George Gershwin's "Rhapsody In Blue" with an international ensemble.

Ms. Vizzutti's recent activities have included solo and ensemble concerts throughout the U.S., Japan, the U.K., in Austria and Germany, and on two extended cruises aboard the luxury ship MS. Europa. As well as appearing with the Northwest chamber Orchestra, she has performed on sound track recordings for television and movies such as "Hallmark Hall Of Fame" and "Zeus And Roxanne". A strong proponent of music education Ms. Vizzutti has taught at the college level and maintains a small private teaching studio.