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THE BEST

Messiaen organ cycles by Gail Archer and John Scott

Born one day before Carter, Olivier Messiaen passed away well before his 100th birthday. Thankfully, plenty of artists kept his music alive this year, including these two organists. Archer played her series all over town, while John Scott stayed home at St. Thomas Church.