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## **SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY ANNOUNCES PROGRAM CHANGE FOR JUNE 23-26, 2010**

**All-Berlioz program featuring *Les Nuits d'été* and *Harold in Italy* to feature mezzo-soprano Sasha Cooke and SF Symphony Principal Viola Jonathan Vinocour**

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**WHAT:** Michael Tilson Thomas and the San Francisco Symphony (SFS) will be performing an all-Berlioz program June 23-26, 2010, featuring *Les Nuits d'été* and *Harold in Italy*. These works replace the originally scheduled Berlioz's *Roméo et Juliette*. Mezzo-soprano Sasha Cooke and new SF Symphony Principal Viola Jonathan Vinocour will perform during these concerts, which open with Berlioz's *Roman Carnival Overture*. The SFS will also perform works from the revised program in its summer 2010 Lucerne Festival appearances.

**WHO:** Michael Tilson Thomas, conductor  
Sasha Cooke, mezzo-soprano ([click here for bio](#))  
Jonathan Vinocour, viola  
San Francisco Symphony

**REVISED PROGRAM:** Berlioz / *Roman Carnival Overture*, Opus 9  
Berlioz / *Les Nuits d'été*, Opus 7  
Berlioz / *Harold in Italy*, Opus 16

**WHEN:** Wednesday, June 23, Friday, June 25, and Saturday, June 26, 2010 at 8:00 p.m.  
Thursday, June 24 at 2:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Davies Symphony Hall, 201 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco

**PRE-CONCERT TALK:** "Inside Music," an informative talk free to ticketholders, begins one hour prior to the concerts. Free to all concert ticketholders; doors open 15 minutes before.

**BROADCAST:** Portions of these concerts will be broadcast on Classical 102.1 KDFC.

**TICKETS:** \$15-\$135. Available through the SFS Box Office at (415) 864-6000, or at [sfsymphony.org](http://sfsymphony.org).