

Famous Violists



Christian B. Anfinsen (1943 - 1950), scientist



Johann Sebastian Bach (1685 - 1750), composer



Rudolf Borisovich Barshai (b.1924), violist and conductor



Sally Beamish (b.1956), composer



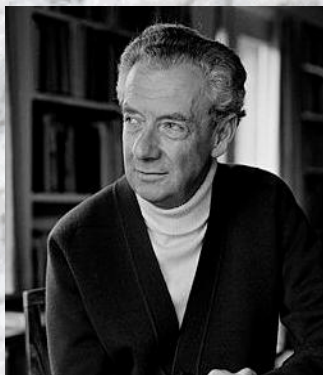
Ludwig van Beethoven (1770 - 1827), composer



York Bowen (1884 - 1961). Composer



Frank Bridge (1879 - 1941), composer



Benjamin Britten (1913 - 1976), composer



John Cale (b. 1942), Rock star, ex Velvet Underground



Rebecca Clarke (1886 - 1979), composer



Eric Coates (1886 - 1957), composer



Ross Cohen, Absolute Zero Viola Quartet



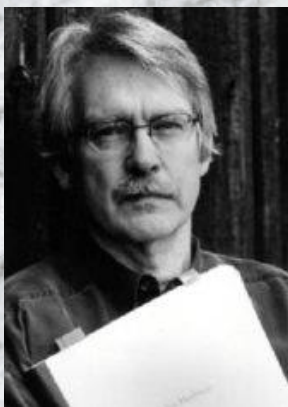
Charles Dutoit (b. 1936), conductor



Antonín Dvořák (1841 - 1904), composer and violist



Carlo Maria Giulini (1914 - 2005), conductor



John Harbison (b. 1938), composer



Joseph Haydn (1732 - 1809), composer



Jimi Hendrix (1942 - 1970), rock guitarist



Dudley Herschbach (b.1932), scientist



Paul Hindemith (1895 - 1963), composer and violist



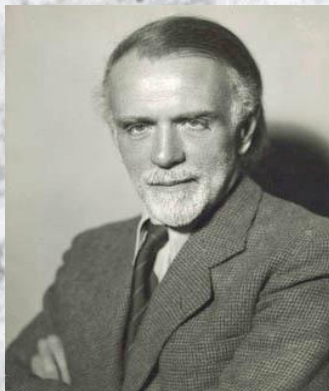
Mariss Jansons (b. 1943), conductor



Rae Jenkins, conductor



Dominic Jewel, Absolute Zero Viola Quartet



Zoltán Kodály (1882 - 1967), composer



Edouard Lalo (1823 - 1892), composer



Ania Leadbeater, Absolute Zero Viola Quartet



Christa Ludwig (b. 1928), singer



Felix Mendelssohn (1809 - 1847), composer



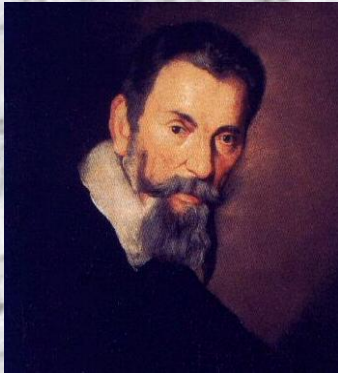
Darius Milhaud (1892 - 1974), composer



Anna Moffo (1932 - 2006), singer



Pierre Monteux (1875 - 1964), conductor



Claudio Monteverdi (1567 - 1643), composer



Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756 - 1791), composer



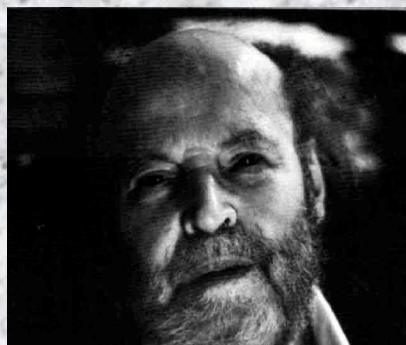
Naruhito (b.1960), Crown Prince of Japan



David Oistrakh (1908 - 1974) violinist



Niccolo Paganini (1782 - 1840), violinist and composer



Allan Pettersson (1911 - 1980), composer



Franz Schubert (1797 - 1828), composer



Ottorino Respighi (1879 - 1936), composer



Rudolf Schwarz (1905 - 1994), conductor



Elizabeth Schwarzkopf (1915 - 2006), singer



Hans Sitt (1850 - 1922) Violinist



Leonard Slatkin (b. 1944), conductor



Carl Stamitz (1745 - 1801),



Johann Strauss Jr. (1825 - 1899), composer



Peter Taylor, Absolute Zero Viola Quartet



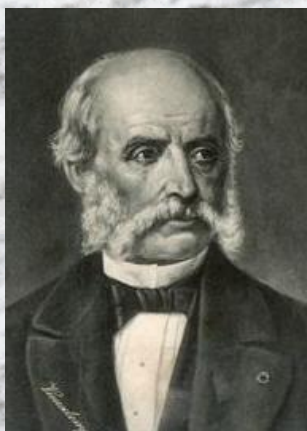
Bruno Walter (1876 - 1962), conductor



William Waterhouse (b. 1931), bassoonist



Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872 - 1958), composer



Henry Vieuxtemps (1820 -1881) violinist