

## ABOUT FRANK WILDHORN

Multi-Grammy, Tony, and Emmy Award nominated composer/producer Frank Wildhorn's works span the worlds of popular, theatrical, and classical music. In 1999, Frank became the first American composer in 22 years to have three shows running simultaneously on Broadway with *Jekyll & Hyde*, *The Scarlet Pimpernel* and *The Civil War*. Also for Broadway: *Bonnie & Clyde*, *Dracula*, *Victor/Victoria*, *Wonderland*, and the revival of *Jekyll & Hyde*. West End: *Bonnie & Clyde*, *Death Note the Musical in Concert*, and *Your Lie In April the Musical in Concert*. International: *Carmen*, *Camille Claudel*, *Casanova*, *Cyrano*, *Death Note*, *Fist of the North Star*, *Mata Hari*, *Mitsuko*, *Never Say Goodbye*, *No Longer Human*, *Rudolf*, *Tears of Heaven*, *The Count of Monte Cristo*, *The Man Who Laughs*, *Your Lie in April* and *Xcalibur*. Upcoming: *Song of Bernadette*, *Reunion & Einstein*. He Produced *Harlem Song* at the famed Apollo Theatre. The Korea Times recently proclaimed Wildhorn as "Korea's most popular musical composer".

In November 2022, the Vienna Symphony Orchestra World Premiered Wildhorn's full length "Danube Symphony" at the famed Musikverein. Europe's Musical Zentrale noted, "With his "Donau Symphonie" he (Wildhorn) manages to completely reinvent himself and to overcome the separation between light and serious music." Conducted by Koen Schoots, the performance also featured suites from the Wildhorn musicals *Jekyll and Hyde* and *Dracula*. The "Danube Symphony" was released on CD and streaming services in December 2021 through HitSquad Records.

Frank served as music director for the Goodwill Games in New York City (1998). He wrote the song "Gold", the opening number for the 2002 Winter Olympics. Among the artists who have recorded and performed Frank's works: Whitney Houston (#1 international hit "Where Do Broken Hearts Go?"), Natalie Cole, Kenny Rogers, Sammy Davis, Jr., Liza Minnelli, Julie Andrews, Hootie & the Blowfish, The Moody Blues, Johnny Mathis, Linda Eder, Freddie Jackson, Trisha Yearwood, Stacy Lattisaw, Molly Hatchet, Blues Traveler, Trace Adkins, Patti LaBelle, Jeffrey Osborne, BeBe Winans, Amy Grant, Anthony Warlow, to name a few.

He received the prestigious Charles Dickens Award from USC, where there is a scholarship under his name and is an Associate Artist at the Alley Theatre in Houston.