

Aside from conducting, Skrowaczewski was a talented composer, with works including symphonies, concertos, and chamber music pieces. His compositions often reflect his deep musical insights and emotional depth.

Throughout his career, Skrowaczewski received numerous awards and honors for his contributions to music, including honorary doctorates and the Commander's Cross of the Order of Merit of the Republic of Poland. His legacy continues to inspire musicians and music lovers around the world.



Stanislaw Skrowaczewski was a renowned Polish-American conductor and composer. He was born on October 3, 1923, in Lwów, Poland (now Lviv, Ukraine), and passed away on February 21, 2017, in the United States. Skrowaczewski was known for his exceptional talent and deep understanding of music, particularly in conducting orchestras.

Skrowaczewski began his musical career as a pianist, studying at the Academy of Music in Kraków. He later shifted his focus to conducting and studied under renowned conductors such as Hermann

Abendroth and Felix Weingartner.

Skrowaczewski's conducting career took off in the 1950s, and he gained international recognition for his interpretations of composers like Beethoven, Brahms, and Bruckner.

One of his notable roles was as the Music Director of the Minnesota Orchestra from 1960 to 1979, where he made significant contributions to the orchestra's growth and reputation. He also served as the Principal Conductor of the Hallé Orchestra in Manchester, England, from 1984 to 1991.

# Schubert Symphony In B Minor "Unfinished" Incidental Music To "Rosamunde"

Stanislaw Skrowaczewski, Minneapolis Symphony

## Symphony In B Minor, D. 759 ("Unfinished")

1 Allegro Moderato 11:51

2 Andante Con Moto 11:59

## "Rosamunde", Incidental Music

3 Overture 10:08

4 Entr'acte, No. 2 7:50

5 Ballet, No. 2 7:34

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