YAD B'ZEMER ORCHESTRA:
The YAD B'ZEMER ORCHESTRA, established two years ago as a division of the New York School of Jewish Song, has virtually overnight made a name for itself for its fine quality bands and has yet to be surpassed. Under the leadership of Shelly Gordon and direction of Hershel Lebovits, the YAD B'ZEMER ORCHESTRA has quickly moved to the top of the music field. The music on this and other albums is a true indication of its abilities. There is no orchestra today that can match quality and dependability with the YAD B'ZEMER ORCHESTRA. A must for your next simcha!

Hershel Lebovits
No other arranger can interpret a song with the same genius as Hershel can. His orchestration has been acclaimed from New York to Tel Aviv as brilliant. Without doubt, this album once again reaffirms his leadership as the top arranger in Jewish music today. It is this vast knowledge that enables Hershel to direct the most complex music in the Jewish field.

The beautiful melodies found on this record were composed by the Melitzer Rebbe, Rabbi Elimelech Horowitz ztl, whose fantastic musical talents have long been legendary. Melitzer Niggunim are well known and highly popular all over the world. The famous Melitzer Yedid Nefesh is an established favorite among young and old alike.

The Melitzer Rebbe was born in Melitz but he lived many years in Cracow where he had a very large following. The windows of his Bais Hamedrash opened on to the Cracow market place and many hundreds of Cracow citizens used to gather under these windows, especially Friday nights and Shabbos afternoons (Shlosh Seudos time) to listen and to enjoy the sound of the niggunim that would emanate majestically from inside.

Cantor David Werdyger was the chosen "Mesherer" of the Melitzer Rebbe when he personally selected the niggunim for this record. One of the selections Hu Elokenu was composed by David Werdyger himself and for several others he chose the words to go with the Niggunim.

Cantor Werdyger has issued many other albums which mostly contain his own compositions. His work is widely known and admired throughout the Torah world.

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