

Japan Society Annual Dinner

Tuesday, 6 December 2011

Hotel Russell, London

- 7.00pm** Reception
- 7.30pm** Dinner
- after starter** Presentation of the Japan Society Awards
introduced by Lady Gomersall
- after dessert** Entertainment 'Picture Book Suite'
- coffee** Toasts
(all stand) Her Majesty the Queen
proposed by His Excellency the Japanese Ambassador
- (remain standing) His Majesty the Emperor
proposed by the Chairman of the Japan Society

Short speech by Christopher Purvis CBE



Picture Book Suite ~Reading, Images & Music~

The Restaurant of Many Orders

Story: Kenji Miyazawa / Pictures: Koji Suzuki

Music: I: Prologue / II: Interlude / III: Romanza / IV: Epilogue [2 violins version]

Director & Composer: Motoki Hirai

Reader: Neil Latchman

Performers: Anastasios Mavroudis (violin I), John Pearce (violin II)

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【童話絵本(スライド)】 『注文の多い料理店』(作:宮沢賢治、画:スズキ・コージ)

【音楽】 平井元喜作曲 『絵本のための組曲』(2つのヴァイオリン版)

【監督・演出】 平井元喜

【朗読】 Neil Latchman

【ヴァイオリン】

Anastasios Mavroudis (第1 ヴァイオリン)、John Pearce (第2 ヴァイオリン)

