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Verdi: Rigoletto (ROH)

Paolo Gavanelli, Marcelo Alvarez, Christine Schaefer
 Orchestra & Chorus of the Royal Opera House / Conductor: Edward Downes, Director: David McVicar

Puccini: Tosca (Teatro Real)

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