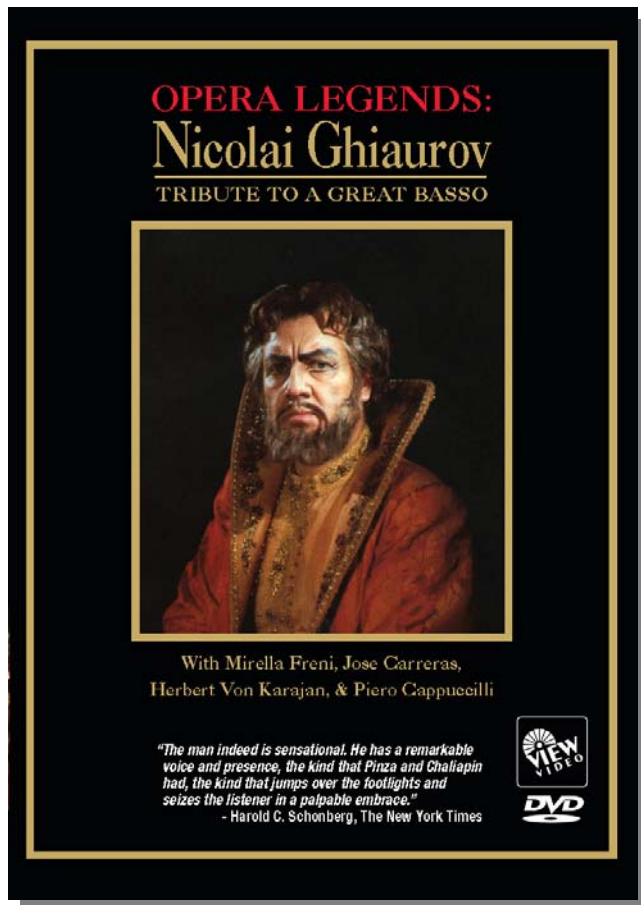




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His triumphant career brought him to world famous stages across the globe, performing with equal aptitude in French, Russian, and Italian at opera houses from the Bolshoi Theater and Covent Gardens to La Scala and Metropolitan Opera in New York. His vast repertoire includes all the major bass roles: Faust, Don Carlos, Boris Godunov, La Forza del Destino, La Favorita, Medea, Don Giovanni, Barber of Seville & more. His performances have been conducted by such luminaries as Von Karajan, Solti, Klemperer, Abbado and Muti.

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