

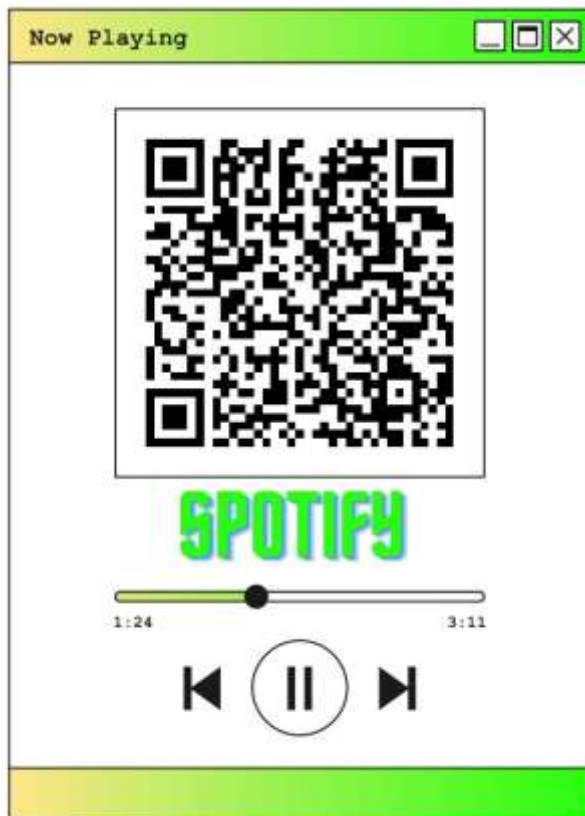
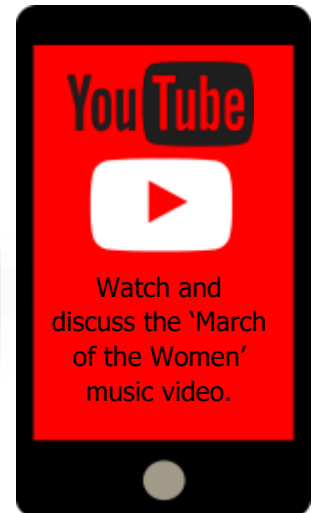


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November's Musician of the Month

*Ethel
Smyth*



About: Dame Ethel Mary Smyth DBE was an English composer and a member of the women's suffrage movement. Her compositions include songs, works for piano, chamber music, orchestral works, choral works and operas. Smyth tended to be marginalised as a 'woman composer', as though her work could not be accepted as mainstream. Yet when she produced more delicate compositions, they were criticised for not measuring up to the standard of her male competitors. Nevertheless, she was the first female composer to be honoured with a damehood.

Genres: Classical and Opera

Active from: c.1877 - c.1927

Origin: Sidcup, United Kingdom

Books to read...

If you like Ethel Smyth, try...



- Johannes Brahms
- Augusta Holmès
- Louise Farrenc



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