



## Diallo, Claude Situation / Spoerri, Bruno Homage To Richard

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For nearly three decades, the Villa on Scheckenmann, with its spectacular views of Lake Zurich and the city, has been a port-of-call for Classical, Jazz and World music musicians. Their harbor master is a unique gentleman, the musician's protagonist, a protector of melody, harmony and composition. Richard Irniger is an energetic, exuberant, buoyant spirit, who nourishes us with the food of the soul, music. Over 1500 events have graced the walls of the villa's salon (during Winter) or the outdoor portico (during Summer). The villa is also refuge for the musician, a place to be inspired, to compose, to practice in its many rooms, to allow the artist to reenergize or to rest, welcomed, embraced and supported by the life-force that is its master. He is a colossus, a giant, a patron of the arts. In late January 2024, the Claude Diallo Situation with special guest, Bruno Spoerri, a founder of Swiss Jazz at age 88, presented two inspiring, thought-provoking, exhilarating sets in the sold-out salon. Dot Time Records captured that evening's celebration and presents a Homage To Richard.

Recorded January 21st, 2024 at the Villa Irniger, Zurich, Switzerland

Dominik Meier, Recording Engineer

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Mastered by Lou Gimenez, The Music Lab, Elmont NY

Produced by Johanan 'Jo' Bickhardt

### Featured artist

**Spoerri, Bruno**

### Band member

<b>Bruno Spoerri</b>	alto and tenor saxophones, electronics, soprano
<b>Claude Diallo</b>	piano
<b>James Williams</b>	drums
<b>Luques Curtis</b>	bass

### Tracklist

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| 1. | Sunrise In Manhattan<br>M: Claude Diallo | 03:59 |
| 2. | Amar Polos Dais<br>M: Luisa Sobrai       | 05:06 |
| 3. | Michigan Girl                            | 06:39 |

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	M: Isla Echinger	
4.	<b>Warm Blue Stream</b>	07:13
	M: Sara Cassey	
5.	<b>Blues For Ritchie</b>	07:22
	M: Bruno Spoerri	
6.	<b>January 10th</b>	05:29
	M: Bruno Spoerri	
7.	<b>Emily</b>	04:51
	M: Johnny Manuel	
8.	<b>The Boy From Panama</b>	04:51
	M: Bruno Spoerri	
9.	<b>Dorine</b>	06:00
	M: Bruno Spoerri	
10.	<b>Chick to Chick</b>	03:52
	M: Bruno Spoerri	
11.	<b>Swissair Adieu</b>	06:11
	M: Bruno Spoerri	