

THE LOTTE LEHMANN FOUNDATION

Presents

The World of Song Award
to
Dominick Argento

*For your dedication and supreme skill
in writing for the human voice;*

*For creating innovative and pathbreaking songs and cycles
that engage and enliven performers and audiences alike;*

*For your profound sensitivity to the word, in both your choice of texts
and the clarity and brilliance with which you set them;*

*In recognition of your long teaching career
and your nurturing of young composers;*

*With gratitude for a lifetime of inspired and inspiring work
and in honor of the thirtieth anniversary of the premiere of
"From the Diary of Virginia Woolf."*



In Testimony whereof this fifteenth day of December 2005 in New York City

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