

US quotes for Genticorum, LaBibournoise

“music that sounds as if it were made by six people, not three”
Washington Post, Jan 9, 2009 Amy Orndorff



“Overall, Genticorum builds its excellent compositions with layers of measure and clarity... An atmosphere of friendliness resonates throughout the album, shining especially on the title song, with its cheerful, catchy, and chiming half-nonsense lyrics... the album has real warmth and rewards with repeated listens.”

Pop Matters, January 2009

“With only three albums to its credit, this young Quebecois trio already plays its Celtic-rooted Francophone hybrid with the combination of restraint, drive and exuberance that distinguishes the very best traditional bands in the world. Genticorum storms the doors of this small club with “La Bibournoise,” displaying a casual virtuosity on the dance numbers and a confident authority on the vocals that calls to mind such greats as the Bothy Band and the House Band.”

Boston Herald, January 16, 2009 Kevin R. Convey

“Even though 2009 is just two weeks old, “La Bibournoise,” the CD by Quebec string trio Genticorum, will stand as one of the year’s most unusual and beautiful collections of folk music. The melodies lie in the shadows of Acadian fiddles and Appalachian Mountain rhythms. Add to that combination vocal work (all sung in French) that seems snatched from medieval madrigals. This is uncommon, simple folk music played with virtuoso skill that will have a timeless appeal. “

New York Post, January 13, 2009 Dan Aquilante

“The group's sound is sweet and rustic, leavened with bits of humor, but the playing is serious, making the album a wonderful little gem.”

New Jersey Star Ledger, December 26, 2008 Marty Lipp

“And for the top choice of the week, from Quebecois Genticorum, is **La Bibournoise**. The disc is ripe with gorgeous harmonies, both instrumental and vocal. The voice is on full display in the title track with an a cappella number backed up by perfect rhythmic tapping. ...Genticorum is a special group with a wonderful ambience to their sound.”

Edge New-York , January 7, 2009 Michael Wood

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