



Philip Glass

Famous Contemporary Composers

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About his life:

- He was born on 31st January 1937 in Baltimore, USA.
- He is an American keyboard player and composer.
- He is regarded as one of the most influential musicians of the late 20th century.
- He studied at the Juilliard School of Music in New York and in Paris with the distinguished composition teacher Nadia Boulanger.
- His music has a minimalist style.
- He has collaborated with a wide range of artists including Paul Simon, Linda Ronstadt, Yo-Yo Ma and David Bowie.
- He has written many operas, musicals, symphonies, concertos and film scores.
- Three of his film scores have been nominated for Academy Awards.