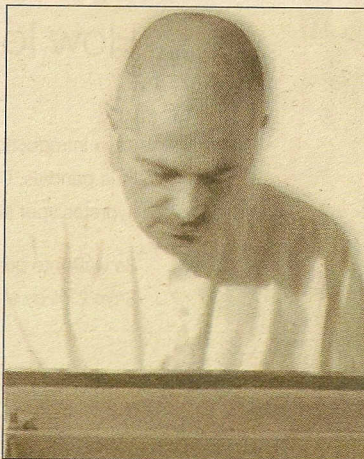


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## Tagore songs in translation

**R**abindranath Tagore Centre, ICCR, Calcutta, Italian Embassy Cultural Institute, India and Alain Danielou Foundation, Italy host *Tagore Songs of Love and Devotion*, translated into English and specially transcribed for the piano by Alain Danielou. Italian vocalist Dr Francesca Cassio will render the repertoire of six songs selected for this evening's performance: *Hey nuton, Tomar holo shuru, Gagane gagane, Hingshaye unmatto prithibi, Gram chhara oei rangamatir path and Kharo bayu boye bege*. She will be accompanied on the piano by noted Italian pianist Maestro Ugo Bonessi. A few songs, like *Jodi prem, Dinguli mor sonar khnachaye* and *Somukhe shanti parabar* will be rendered in the original by Dr Reba Som, who will also introduce the programme.



Maestro Ugo Bonessi



Dr Francesca Cassio

● **Event:** An evening of Tagore songs in English and Bengali ● **When:** Today at 6.30 pm

● **Where:** Satyajit Ray Auditorium, Rabindranath Tagore Centre, ICCR, 9A Ho Chi Minh Sarani