## Radio Swiss Classic - for the music lover

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I have been told that my taste in music runs through 'eclectic', 'catholic' and simply 'confused'. I am prepared to defend any of these classifications however, and I will have the temerity to make a suggestion to those who enjoy listening to carefully selected, impeccable fine music.

It requires access to internet radio, readily available through such apps as *Tune-In* or *Audials* at very little or no cost at all.

Once you have the software simply search for a station called *Radio Swiss Classic* and you will have unlimited access to quality listening.

You might like to simply put 'Radio Swiss Classics' into Google and you will get access to the station directly.

The Swiss, being the careful, conservative and thorough people they are, provide multilingual options in their announcers via three different channels. Not that there is a great deal of talking at all, just the simple announcement of the next item. I tend to be comfortable with German but French and Italian are also obviously available.

The choice of music could possibly be regarded as conservative, even traditionally classic however I find it consistently satisfying and pleasurable.

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