

## Immaculate bu Oliver Lansley

Lucifer turns to the audience

LUCIFER:

You know, I don't know why I bother. I keep plugging away, trying to make a difference but nobody wants to listen. You know, I try and I try, trying to save you people from eternity in that dull as dishwater place, but everything I do seems to get twisted and taken the wrong way.

Garden of Eden - you want an apple? Have an apple, it's called fruit, doctors recommend you have five portions a day, it'll help with your digestion...What, and now I'm the bad guy? Ok, so maybe I should stay out of other people's gardens but I was just trying to help... People have such a warped perception of me and, well, if I'm honest, it can be quite upsetting at times.

You know he has all these followers and all these songs about him...OK, so I have followers and songs but have you seen those people? All the black nails and greasy hair, it creeps me out a bit if I tell you the truth. I mean, I'm not a bad person....

But what can you do when they've got the Kingdom of Heaven PR machine blowing on full tilt? I tell you that book will be the death of me...and the thing that gets me is that it's not even any good. Have you read the thing? It's tedious! Parts of it aren't even legible, but then it sells more than Harry Potter, go figure.

And does anybody want to listen to my side of the story? For a religion that isn't supposed to judge, they were pretty quick to damn me. I've sat there for centuries while all these lies have been spread about me. I've kept a quiet, dignified silence in the firm belief that at some point the truth will out, taken the higher ground as it were but....while they continue to play dirty like this....

{Getting upset} I'm sorry, I'm sorry...You know I liked it up there and whatever the book says, me and the big man got on well, there was a time when we were very close, but it was always 'Jesus this, Jesus that'....I gave that man the best years of my life and what thanks did I get?

Fallen Angel indeed...I didn't fall. I was pushed.