

BEN: Hello, listeners!

JAMES: Hello.

DAN: I'd keep quiet if I were you, James.

JAMES: Why?

DAN: Because everything you say incriminates you. I mean you performing a standup routine where you brazenly admit to punching me?

JAMES: You misunderstand, I said I was joking.

DAN: Oh come on, who would ever believe you were joking about that, when you've famously been prosecuted for crashing several of my cars?

JAMES: It's a different type of offence, isn't it?

DAN: I disagree. Both are violent.

JAMES: You're saying I've been violent towards cars?

DAN: Exactly.

JAMES: Violence has to cause pain. You're saying cars feel pain?

DAN: No, you're wrong. What about if you hit someone with a rare condition meaning he couldn't feel pain? You're saying that wouldn't be violence?

JAMES: You have to make the most out of opportunities...

DAN: What are you saying?

JAMES: If someone can't feel pain, hit them. You'll feel better, but he won't mind at all. A victimless crime.

DAN: Oh my God.

JAMES: What now?

DAN: You can still injure the poor person!

JAMES: Yes, but he wouldn't mind.

DAN: What if you blinded him?

JAMES: Just punch him on the arm, that's what I'm saying.

BEN: Wow, James's super deep philosophies. Do you have any others?

JAMES: Sure.

DAN: Let me guess, crashing cars is ok if they belong to me?

JAMES: ... and as long as you can get away with it, yes.

DAN: You're so predictable.

JAMES: You really think so? I'll tell you what's predictable: Me totalling your sports car and you getting angry. YOU'RE so predictable.

BEN: That is predictable, Dan.

DAN: What??

BEN: Just humour him. He can't keep behaving like this, he'll get tired.

DAN: He's been behaving this way for decades!

JAMES: Exactly right, Dan. I live a lifestyle I believe passionately in. I'm never getting tired, my choice of living simply means too much to me.

BEN: What does that even mean?

JAMES: You know... Just live in the now and break Dan's possessions.

BEN: You're saying that like it's a normal way to behave...

JAMES: Everyone says it. Live in the now... and break Da...

DAN: You've made that saying up. Well half of it.

BEN: Here's something else James could say: Better late than never... to crash Dan's car.

JAMES: Or hit him.

DAN: So you admit it!

JAMES: No. Anyway, I have heard that saying before, too.

BEN: No you haven't you've heard half of it! The rest was made up be me!

DAN: Right!

JAMES: Wrong.

BEN: Here's another thing James could say 'Flogging a dead horse'.

JAMES: I've heard that before, too.

BEN: Yes, but you'd take it literally.

DAN: I bet James is thinking 'you have to make the most out of situations...'

JAMES: Live in the now and crash Dan's car!

DAN: You don't really mean that do you?

JAMES: I would crash Dan's car. But not flog a dead horse. Or a living one.

BEN: What about a dead Dan?

JAMES: No!

BEN: Well that's something.

JAMES: I'm just wondering what the point would be, because he has to feel pain.

BEN: How much pain?

JAMES: Oh, agony.

DAN: WHAT HAVE I DONE TO YOU?? WHAT HAVE I DONE TO YOU??? WHAT HAVE I DON...

JAMES: Oh no, Dan has malfunctioned again.

BEN: Aren't you supposed to be in your mental home now?

JAMES: That's a complicated one. Technically yes, but at the same time there are only so many nurses you can force to take sick leave.

BEN: How many have you got through now?

JAMES: A few thousand. So the home got tired and said to me 'this country's health care system simply can't keep going on like this. Just go home and if you're feeling stressed, wear a straightjacket.'

BEN: And do you?

JAMES: Nope.

BEN: And I'm guessing you do nothing when you're feeling stressed?

DAN: HE'S GOING TO SAY HE CRASHES MY CARS!!!!

JAMES: Actually, I do that when I'm in a good mood as it gives me something to look forward to.

BEN: If you're too draining on the NHS's resources, I think me and Dan should work on a care plan for you right now, James.

JAMES: I see...

BEN: First up, make sure James is never happy. It's just too dangerous.

DAN: Makes sense so far.

BEN: Yes, and we do that by gluing his face to the pavement in the rain.

JAMES: Not going to work. I like the rain.

BEN: Do you like your face glued to the pavement?

JAMES: Swings and roundabouts.

BEN: You're telling me you're happy with the general public pointing and laughing at you and calling you 'glue face'?

JAMES: Refreshing weather, so...

DAN: I can't wait that long, glues his face to the table, Ben.

BEN: I only have Pritt Stick around here...

DAN: That'll have to do for now.

JAMES: What's the going to achieve??

DAN: You getting manhandled and covered in glue is just the start. What follows that is something far darker. Something disturbing. Something bad.

JAMES: What?

DAN: I'm going to poke you in the eye. Maybe not today, maybe not tomorrow, but the moment you let your guard down, you're getting jabbed. And you know what? I could plead insanity, too. Just like all those thousands of nurses can.

JAMES: But you'll go to a mental home...

DAN: I FEEL LIKE I'M ONE NOW!

BEN: Calm down, Dan. Don't let him get to you.

DAN: DON'T LET HIM GET TO ME?? Have you heard the things he's being saying?? He doesn't stop!

JAMES: My lifestyle choice, isn't it?

BEN: Yes, but why choose the lifestyle, James?

JAMES: You just don't understand passions, that's all.

BEN: Please explain.

JAMES: No.

BEN: JAMES!

JAMES: Ok, I'll try. You see...

(A phone rings)

CALLER: Hello, it's one of James's mental health nurses. Please go back to the home and... I'm sorry I can't face talking to him anymore, I'm going to pass out, so sorry, by....

BEN: Well that was a quick call...

JAMES: Imagine whole rows of unconscious bodies...

BEN: Wow.

JAMES: It has an effect on you, you know?

BEN: What kind of effect?

JAMES: It's just a weird thing to see, that's all.

BEN: I see. Well we're all out of time, so I guess bye!

JAMES: Byeeeee!

DAN: Bluegh.