

David Robinowitch - Clip 8

## The surface quality of the work

"The surface is crucial to a work's viability but only in the context of the whole. It should not be judged as a separate state. Perhaps this will be seen clearly if we ask ourselves, for example, to separate out the tone of Heifetz's Del Jesu while he is performing the Chaconne. This will quite miss the point of the music."