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Angel Beats?? - June 12, 2014, 5:54 am

<http://hardworkandguts.wordpress.com/2010/09/17/if-you-thought-angel-beats-was-good-you-are-wrong-here-is-why/>

What do you think of this?

I personally think it was still a very good anime but the budget cuts if they are true meant that it couldn't be the best ever anime :(

But yeah apparently he is just recycling the same story over and over :(

Programmargorp - June 12, 2014, 5:58 am

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I honestly really loved the way he fit both in. I love the way it played with your emotions too

Happheh - June 12, 2014, 6:18 am

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Gladly - June 12, 2014, 7:09 am

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Hmm, there are several theories about Otonashis delayed arrival, many people saying due to memory loss or something

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semi_blind - June 12, 2014, 9:50 am

Sure budget cuts made the anime a bit choppy but c'mon hell you've just got to admit Angel Beats was awesome. I would have loved to know what would happen in the after-after-life but oh well...

Professor Pantsu - June 12, 2014, 12:16 pm

It wasn't bad nor was it amazing. It was good, nothing more nothing less.

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I was just summing up what the whole thing is about - I mean I could spend a paragraph explaining each but there's no need. Matter is they are only close because it involves a boy, who meets a girl.

Either way you can't say he writes bad stories just because they're similar. I mean they are some of the highest-rated animes and are very influential. I mean your name is "Angel Beats". Without him there wouldn't be any of these.

Ryxa - June 12, 2014, 3:15 pm

It was great, but not that amazing. Ending was terrible, they rushed through it and there was just too much content and not enough episodes.

neightworks - June 12, 2014, 10:06 pm

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Chips Ahoy McCoy - June 12, 2014, 10:11 pm

Personally the series would've been great imo. not to say that i didn't like it, but i just felt like they rushed the last 4 episodes or so WAY too much. introduced way too many characters, etc.

cacnecac - June 13, 2014, 3:00 am

It wasn't that bad, of course the only thing good about Angel Beats was the ending. The show just had way too many plot holes, it was a good anime wasn't GREAT though.

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Dragon. - June 13, 2014, 9:41 am

Angel Beats is as hyped up by the anime community as Sword Art Online. Both of which aren't as bad as all the haters make them out to be, but they aren't jaw droppingly unique and amazing either.

0x1027 - June 13, 2014, 1:05 pm

He also pointed out that some of the background characters didnt have faces and this is just laziness i find that if their face it blanked out i.e. no face it means they arent important. Simple, i thought that how they all worked.

Kanade Tachibana - June 13, 2014, 2:04 pm

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))It is explained why Otonashi landed in purgatory long after Kanade. He was floating through Insert name for nothingness here because he couldn't remember anything and therefor didn't have any regrets but something pulled him into purgatory. In the series itself it had a one liner at the beginning that explained this. People need to pay more fucking attention but you didn't watch the end of AB! after the credits either until someone told you to so why should i expect this.

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It makes sense but it is an illogical answer.

cacnecac - June 13, 2014, 4:37 pm

They all die, and got reincarnated we get it. No need to keep fighting over it. So he was floating in purgatory space until Kanade got there, ok makes sense.

LethalNET - June 13, 2014, 4:46 pm

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80% is kinda high but I agree on some points, a lot of the high rated anime are pretty overrated due to the hype of it.

Example School Days, I love boats and I will destroy anyone who say they don't like boats. ?

nickchan - June 13, 2014, 5:11 pm

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Yeah I agree. I wasn't told by any of my friends that it is great its just the first I picked. And so far it

is by far my favourite.

Rippin™ - *June 13, 2014, 9:27 pm*

I thought it was a decent anime 8/10.