

# Alex Cox Quotes

*Film, Hollywood, Language, Study, Thinking, Stuff, World, Play, Mexico,  
Motorcycle, Surrealism, Can't Change, Nice Day, Revolutionary, Mexican,  
Stories, Nice, Compass, Real, Prime*

And Walker was made with a Mexican crew, although it was shot in Nicaragua.

~Alex Cox

Justin Salinger showed up one day with a pink cowboy hat on and everyone else got really annoyed because somehow he'd managed to get the pink cowboy hat.

~Alex Cox

The future is always a dystopia in movies.

~Alex Cox

One of my contemporaries, a colorless chap who worked much harder at his law studies, is now Prime Minister.

~Alex Cox

Everybody gets a little dose of Shakespeare. He's the greatest playwright in the English language, but his politics are fairly square.

~Alex Cox

I'm a good actor in that sense for directors because I always do what they say.

~Alex Cox

Shakespeare, who is probably the greatest writer and poet of the English language, lived in a time that was politically very conservative and it's reflected in his writings.

~Alex Cox

I thought that punk in its original state was a revolutionary movement. But like surrealism, it failed in its revolutionary attempt.

~Alex Cox

The greatest crime in a Shakespeare play is to murder the king.

~Alex Cox

The way that a handful of corporations in Los Angeles dictate how our stories are told creates a real poverty of imagination and it's a big problem.

~Alex Cox

Yeah, I'd be happy to go back to Mexico or Japan to make another film.

~Alex Cox

I don't think about Hollywood at all.

~Alex Cox

No, I did a film called 'Death and the Compass' as well.

~Alex Cox

It's always nice when the eccentrics show up.

~Alex Cox

You'd never have a motorcycle policeman out on the Indian reservation.

~Alex Cox

Unfortunately my career began in Hollywood, doing a negative pickup for Universal pictures.

~Alex Cox

My film is intentionally political. And I think that's really the issue.

~Alex Cox

You can't change the system through violence.

~Alex Cox

The original deal we made was that Walker would be treated like a regular movie, rather than an arthouse thing.

~Alex Cox

I did not find my studies particularly enthralling.

~Alex Cox

Sorry, but there is no pleasure in finding new ways of saying the same stuff about projects which tanked.

~Alex Cox

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