

Alfred Nobel Quotes

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Contentment is the only real wealth.

~Alfred Nobel

If I have a thousand ideas and only one turns out to be good, I am satisfied.

~Alfred Nobel

My dynamite will sooner lead to peace than a thousand world conventions. As soon as men will find that in one instant, whole armies can be utterly destroyed, they surely will abide by golden peace.

~Alfred Nobel

Nature is man's teacher. She unfolds her treasures to his search, unseals his eye, illumines his mind, and purifies his heart; an influence breathes from all the sights and sounds of her existence.

~Alfred Nobel

I intend to leave after my death a large fund for the promotion of the peace idea, but I am skeptical as to its results.

~Alfred Nobel

A heart can no more be forced to love than a stomach can be forced to digest food by persuasion.

~Alfred Nobel

My home is where I work, and I work everywhere.

~Alfred Nobel

Second to agriculture, humbug is the biggest industry of our age.

~Alfred Nobel

Good wishes alone will not ensure peace.

~Alfred Nobel

A recluse without books and ink is already in life a dead man.

~Alfred Nobel

Justice is to be found only in the imagination.

~Alfred Nobel

Lying is the greatest of all sins.

~Alfred Nobel

Hope is nature's veil for hiding truth's nakedness.

~Alfred Nobel

Lawyers have to make a living, and can only do so by inducing people to believe that a straight line is crooked.

~Alfred Nobel

For my part, I wish all guns with their belongings and everything could be sent to hell, which is the proper place for their exhibition and use.

~Alfred Nobel

Worry is the stomach's worst poison.

~Alfred Nobel

One can state, without exaggeration, that the observation of and the search for similarities and differences are the basis of all human knowledge.

~Alfred Nobel

The truthful man is usually a liar.

~Alfred Nobel

Kant's style is so heavy that after his pure reason, the reader longs for unreasonableness.

~Alfred Nobel

It is not sufficient to be worthy of respect in order to be respected.

~Alfred Nobel

The savants will write excellent volumes. There will be laureates. But wars will continue just the same until the forces of the circumstances render them impossible.

~Alfred Nobel

I would not leave anything to a man of action as he would be tempted to give up work; on the other hand, I would like to help dreamers as they find it difficult to get on in life.

~Alfred Nobel

The only true solution would be a convention under which all the governments would bind themselves to defend collectively any country that was attacked.

~Alfred Nobel

I am a misanthrope yet utterly benevolent.

~Alfred Nobel

I am a misanthrope and yet utterly benevolent, have more than one screw loose yet am a super-idealist who digests philosophy more efficiently than food.

~Alfred Nobel

For me writing biographies is impossible, unless they are brief and concise, and these are, I feel, the most eloquent.

~Alfred Nobel

I am not aware that I have deserved any notoriety, and I have no taste for its buzz.

~Alfred Nobel

I have not the slightest pretension to call my verses poetry; I write now and then for no other purpose than to relieve depression or to improve my English.

~Alfred Nobel

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