

Andrew Dominik

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Masculine ideals have become very confused in the modern world.

~Andrew Dominik

I always feel that crime films are about capitalism.

~Andrew Dominik

The crime film is the most honest American film.

~Andrew Dominik

Jesse James is like a Leonard Cohen song, I wanted to do something that was like a pop song.

~Andrew Dominik

Americans are not renowned for having a sense of irony.

~Andrew Dominik

It's a wonderful thing to go to work and have no idea what you're going to do.

~Andrew Dominik

I like test screenings. I like to see a movie with an audience of strangers. I think it tells you a lot.

~Andrew Dominik

Obviously, a power player in a criminal organization doesn't have to persuade anyone. He can just do what he wants.

~Andrew Dominik

I'm sure part of the fascination with the film is voyeuristic - that we go to see somebody who's been struck by lightning.

~Andrew Dominik

I think the film gives you a picture of a person. It gives you a complete picture.

~Andrew Dominik

As a filmmaker, it's important to sit there and feel embarrassed. If you feel embarrassed by something, you cut it.

~Andrew Dominik

It's very difficult to lie to yourself about certain things. I'm not necessarily convinced about how information is gathered and I don't think the credence that's given to it is valid.

~Andrew Dominik

I like violence to be upsetting. The only reason to do it subtly is if doing it subtly makes it more effective somehow.

~Andrew Dominik

It always surprises me in films that killers seem so gleeful about killing people.

~Andrew Dominik

You obviously can't cast Brad [Pitt] as an everyman guy because he just brings way too much baggage.

~Andrew Dominik

I'm from the "if it ain't broke, don't fix it" school of screenwriting. I just like to preserve what works and ignore what doesn't work.

~Andrew Dominik

The fantasy gives you the courage to feel things.

~Andrew Dominik

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