

B. J. Novak

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Travel is impossible, but daydreaming about travel is easy.

~B. J. Novak

If you love something, let it go. If you don't love something, definitely let it go. Basically, just drop everything, who cares.

~B. J. Novak

Battered Women: sounds delicious. Doesn't make it right.

~B. J. Novak

It's not always enough to be brave, I realized years later. You have to be brave and contribute something positive, too. Brave on its own is just a party trick.

~B. J. Novak

Regret is just perfectionism plus time.

~B. J. Novak

Nobody remembers how long anything takes; they only remember how good it was in the end.

~B. J. Novak

If people are well paid for reality television and cotton candy and dunking a basketball, why can't they be well paid for changing young minds?

~B. J. Novak

Good comics gravitate to each other; you know who's your type of person by watching them onstage, hopefully.

~B. J. Novak

I think it's better to not know certain things. It gives the world an extra bit of mystery, which is important to us as human beings.

~B. J. Novak

I wanted to be a writer first, and I struck out in the world to be a writer first, and then found stand-up as a more creative outlet, as a 3D way to be creative.

~B. J. Novak

Perfect. Why was this so hard to find?â€•The other type of perfect is the type you never could have expected and then could never replicate.

~B. J. Novak

The most exciting thing I aspire to do is to write something new that I know is going to work, or perform something that I know is going to make people laugh.

~B. J. Novak

'The Office' is less a comedy than so many other "comedies" that have been on the air. It's really about the balance between what is real and what is comic.

~B. J. Novak

There's not many good comedies to watch - you know, comedies that make you glad you watched them.

~B. J. Novak

Mindy Kaling gets her own line in the acknowledgments, as previously negotiated by her representatives. Thanks, Mindy. I love you and you're the best.

~B. J. Novak

I do not have very much office experience.

~B. J. Novak

I'm a believer in trusting the director.

~B. J. Novak

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