

# Ben Barnes

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Jeff Bridges is one of my favorite actors in the history of ever.

~Ben Barnes

Never agree to say or do anything that isn't you.

~Ben Barnes

I would like to work with whoever would like to have me.

~Ben Barnes

I'd rather be shot than be seen falling out of some trendy club.

~Ben Barnes

We live in a youth-obsessed, aesthetically obsessed culture. That is no more evident than in the film industry.

~Ben Barnes

I want to take advantage of any popularity I have.

~Ben Barnes

I'm not really an animal person.

~Ben Barnes

I'm probably a little too uninhibited.

~Ben Barnes

I want to play characters that are interesting to watch.

~Ben Barnes

I can't run. I start getting twinges. If I were filmed running, it would be awful.

~Ben Barnes

My dad is a doctor, a professor of psychiatry, and my mum is a psychotherapist.

~Ben Barnes

I actually went to university.

~Ben Barnes

I think escapism is very important, certainly in my life. I love nothing more than escaping into the world of a film or a novel. To be involved in creating that for other people is a privilege.

~Ben Barnes

I always looked really young for my age. And once I hit 23, 24 and 25, I was then allowed to play the cool 18-year-olds and stuff.

~Ben Barnes

I am comfortable playing the fool, I think.

~Ben Barnes

I have done lots of music projects in my life and some of them I am more proud of than others.

~Ben Barnes

I'm not that kind of Bob Dylan, tortured creative.

~Ben Barnes

Most actors are drawn towards historical tellings because it's one of the most simple forms of storytelling.

~Ben Barnes

When you're doing a film, people are always telling you exactly what to do. Literally, your own decisions are taken away from you.

~Ben Barnes

I don't really know who I am as an actor: the best thing would be to experiment with it for the next 30 years and never really find out.

~Ben Barnes

I only remember the end of my dreams, like waking up at a steering wheel, or falling.

~Ben Barnes

When I was at school, I was in choirs more than anything else, from a very young age, about 9 years old. And then I started taking drum lessons.

~Ben Barnes

I didn't have any pets growing up.

~Ben Barnes

Half my fan mail comes from Japan.

~Ben Barnes

I swim a lot. I swim most days.

~Ben Barnes

I love music, and I love singing.

~Ben Barnes

I don't really see the point in making a film unless you can think of a good reason to do it.

~Ben Barnes

Maybe Oliver Stone doesn't lend himself well to remakes or sequels, because he does them so well the first time.

~Ben Barnes

I think if actors don't think of themselves as funny in real life they think they can't do comedy.

~Ben Barnes

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