

# Bill Hicks

## Quotes

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Don't worry; don't be afraid, ever, because this is just a ride.

~Bill Hicks

Just a simple choice, right now, between fear and love. The eyes of fear want you to put bigger locks on your doors, buy guns, close yourself off. The eyes of love instead see all of us as one.

~Bill Hicks

I'm tired of this back-slappin' "isn't humanity neat" bullshit. We're a virus with shoes.

~Bill Hicks

I believe that there is an equality to all humanity. We all suck.

~Bill Hicks

Watching television is like taking black spray paint to your third eye.

~Bill Hicks

I don't like anything in the mainstream and they don't like me.

~Bill Hicks

It has become more and more obvious that there is one political party in America, and that is The Business Party.

~Bill Hicks

It's not a war on drugs, it's a war on personal freedom.

~Bill Hicks

Any organization created out of fear must create fear to survive.

~Bill Hicks

I am a misanthropic humanist... Do I like people? They're great, IN THEORY.

~Bill Hicks

Life is only a dream, and we are the imagination of ourselves.

~Bill Hicks

Children are smarter than any of us. Know how I know that? I don't know one child with a full time job and children.

~Bill Hicks

If you don't think drugs have done good things for us, then take all of your records, tapes and CD's and burn them.

~Bill Hicks

If you are living for tomorrow, you will always be one day behind.

~Bill Hicks

No one can give you any answers. There aren't any. You have to discover for yourself-you must learn to navigate the mystery.

~Bill Hicks

I get a kick out of being an outsider constantly. It allows me to be creative.

~Bill Hicks

I never got along with my dad. Kids used to come up to me and say, 'My dad can beat up your dad.' I'd say 'Yeah? When?'

~Bill Hicks

It's all about money, not freedom. If you think you're free, try going somewhere without money, okay?

~Bill Hicks

I need my sleep. I need about eight hours a day, and about ten at night.

~Bill Hicks

I believe it is our own misperceptions of who we really are that leads to every self-created hell you'll find in this world.

~Bill Hicks

They proved that if you quit smoking, it will prolong your life. What they haven't proved is that a prolonged life is a good thing. I haven't seen the stats on that yet.

~Bill Hicks

I believe that God left certain drugs growing naturally upon our planet to help speed up and facilitate our evolution.

~Bill Hicks

I don't do drugs anymore... than, say, the average touring funk band.

~Bill Hicks

No one knows what it's like ... to be a dustbin ... in Shaftesbury ... with hooligans.

~Bill Hicks

I don't care if you're obscene, filthy, horrendous -- as long as you're honest.

~Bill Hicks

If you're so pro-life, do me a favour: don't lock arms and block medical clinics. If you're so pro-life, lock arms and block cemeteries.

~Bill Hicks

Yesterday, some hooligans knocked over a dustbin in Shaftesbury.

~Bill Hicks

When you're...stepping over a guy on the sidewalk...does it ever occur to you to think, 'Wow. Maybe our system doesn't work?'

~Bill Hicks

There is a 3rd point of view on the gun control issue - those who I refer to as THE VICTIMS - but they remain strangely silent.

~Bill Hicks

All your beliefs, they're just that. They're nothing. They're how you were taught and raised. That doesn't make 'em real.

~Bill Hicks

Eternal suffering awaits anyone who questions god's infinite love.

~Bill Hicks

Listen, the next revolution is gonna be a revolution of ideas.

~Bill Hicks

Why is marijuana against the law? It grows naturally upon our planet. Doesn't the idea of making nature against the law seem to you a bit . . . unnatural?

~Bill Hicks

You know what I hate about working? Bosses...The very idea that ANYONE could be my boss, well...I think you see the conflict.

~Bill Hicks

The puppet on the right shares my beliefs, the puppet on the left is more to my liking. Hey...there's one guy holding up both!

~Bill Hicks

We all pay for life with death, so everything in between should be free.

~Bill Hicks

I loved when Bush came out and said, 'We are losing the war against drugs.' You know what that implies? There's a war being fought, and the people on drugs are winning it.

~Bill Hicks

All governments are lying cocksuckers.

~Bill Hicks

Laughter makes the bitter swallowing of truth, for some, a little easier.

~Bill Hicks

When two or more people agree on an issue, I form on the other side.

~Bill Hicks

I go to dance clubs...about once a year just to justify the other 364 days I spend in my apartment going 'God, what idiots!'

~Bill Hicks

I'm just trying to rid the world of all these fevered egos that are tainting our collective unconscious.

~Bill Hicks

It's an insane world, and I'm proud to be a part of it.

~Bill Hicks

Why do we put people who are on drugs in jail? They're sick, they're not criminals. Sick people don't get healed in prison. You see? It makes no sense.

~Bill Hicks

How do I know the Bible isn't the word of God? Well if it was the word of God it would be clear and easy to understand...considering God was the creator of LANGUAGE!

~Bill Hicks

It is hard to quit smoking. Every one of them looks real good to me right about now. Every cigarette looks like it was made by God, rolled by Jesus and moistened shut with Claudia Schiffer's pussy.

~Bill Hicks

You watch the news these days? It's unbelievable. You think you just walk out your door, you're immediately gonna be raped by some crack-addicted, AIDS-infected pitbull.

~Bill Hicks

You think when Jesus comes back, he really wants to see a cross? That's like going up to Jackie Onassis with a rifle pendant on.

~Bill Hicks

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~Bill Hicks

England, where no one has guns: 14 deaths. United States...23,000 deaths from handguns. But - there's no connection.

~Bill Hicks

Shut up! Go back to bed, America. Your government is in control. Here's Love Connection. Watch this and get fat and stupid.

~Bill Hicks

I love the Pope, I love seeing him in his Pope-Mobile, his three feet of bullet proof plexi-glass. That's faith in action folks! You know he's got God on his side.

~Bill Hicks

Pot is a better drug than alcohol. I'll prove it to you. You're at a ball game or a concert, and someone's really violent and aggressive and obnoxious, are they drunk or are they smoking pot?

~Bill Hicks

What kind of people are these with such low self-esteem that they need a war to feel better about themselves?

~Bill Hicks

People always snap and think they're Jesus. How come no one ever snaps and thinks they're Buddha?

~Bill Hicks

They believe the bible is the exact word of God - Then they change the bible! Pretty presumptuous, hu huh? "I think what God meant to say..."

~Bill Hicks

That's starting to depress me about UFOs. The fact that they cross galaxies...and always end up in places like Fyfe, Alabama.

~Bill Hicks

I don't get along with anything, I really don't...I'm, I'm, maybe I'm just a, you know, incredibly tasteful human being.

~Bill Hicks

Your denial is beneath you, and thanks to the use of hallucinogenic drugs, I see through you.

~Bill Hicks

What does an atheist scream when they come?

~Bill Hicks

I'm an American who loves an America which doesn't exist, which is a land of freedom and free ideas.

~Bill Hicks

Is it my business if somebody wants to burn a flag?...No, it's not...That's called logic and it'll help us all evolve.

~Bill Hicks

I used to drink, I did, I had to quit. Man, I was an embarrassing drunk. I'd get pulled over by the cops, I'd be so drunk I'd be out dancing to their lights thinking I'd made it to another club.



~Bill Hicks

Keith Richards outlived Jim Fixx, the runner and health-nut dude. The plot thickens.

~Bill Hicks

It's really weird how your life changes. Tonight I'm drinking water. Four years ago? Opium. Night and day, you know?

~Bill Hicks

Rock stars against drugs--that's what we want, isn't it?  
Government-approved rock-n-roll? Woo! We're partying now!

~Bill Hicks

Man, the Beatles were so high, they let Ringo sing a coupla tunes. Tell me they weren't partyin'.

~Bill Hicks

What strikes me as funny about Elvis is that all the impersonators choose to do the Vegas Elvis; not the young, cool guy, always the bloated fool.

~Bill Hicks

You are the imagination of yourself.

~Bill Hicks

I, like all artists in Western cultures, am a shaman...come in the guise of a comic...to heal perception by using...'jokes'.

~Bill Hicks

The Voice of Reason is in us all...and everyone can recognize it because it makes sense and everyone benefits from it equally.

~Bill Hicks

Nicotine patches are great. Stick one over each eye and you can't find your fags.

~Bill Hicks

We are losing the 'War on Drugs,' which means there's a war going on and people on drugs are winning it.

~Bill Hicks

I smoke to fill the potholes in my soul

~Bill Hicks

Marijuana: a drug that kills â€¦ no one - and let's put it in a time frame - ever. Illegal.

~Bill Hicks

I'm a heavy smoker. I go through two lighters a day.

~Bill Hicks

The American dream is a crock. Stop wanting everything. Everyone should wear jeans and have three T-shirts, eat rice and beans.

~Bill Hicks

The best kind of comedy to me is when you make people laugh at things they've never laughed at, and also take a light into the darkened corners of people's minds, exposing them to the light.

~Bill Hicks

Sixteen years I've pounded my head against the mentality of America, which...I'd say it's about an 8th grade emotional level.

~Bill Hicks

"Smoking may cause fetal injury or premature birth." ... I found my brand. Just don't get the ones that say, "Lung Cancer."

~Bill Hicks

I left in love, in laughter, and in truth, and wherever truth, love and laughter abide, I am there in spirit.

~Bill Hicks

Music is a great energizer. It's a language everybody knows.

~Bill Hicks

It's hard to have a relationship in this business...it's gonna take a very special woman...or a bunch of average ones.

~Bill Hicks

Do I have a message? Yes, I do. Here's my message: as scary as the world is - and it is - it is merely a ride ...

~Bill Hicks

Isn't that weird, we've made nature against the law. That's how un-natural we've become.

~Bill Hicks

That's why I always recommend a psychedelic experience because it makes you realize that all you've learned is in fact just learned and not necessarily the truth.

~Bill Hicks

...love rather than fear...this radical philosophy is coming from me, an avowed misanthrope...surely there is hope for us all.

~Bill Hicks

To me pornography is...spending all your money and not educating the people in America, but spending it instead on weapons.

~Bill Hicks

Just one thing I know for sure, chicks dig jerks.

~Bill Hicks

Oh sorry, I was taking life seriously.

~Bill Hicks

I smoke. If this bothers anyone, I suggest you look around at the world in which we live and shut your f-kin' mouth.

~Bill Hicks

We are the facilitators of our own creative evolution.

~Bill Hicks

All day long you see those commercials: 'Here's Your Brain, Just Say No'...and the next commercial is: 'This Bud's For You.'

~Bill Hicks

Women priests. Great, great. Now there's priests of both sexes I don't listen to.

~Bill Hicks

I saw...a kid on a leash. You seen these people? Kid on a leash? How horrible. Put him in the pound where he belongs.

~Bill Hicks

Pornography is any act that has no artistic merit and causes sexual thoughts...Sounds like almost every commercial on TV to me.

~Bill Hicks

not all drugs are good.. some of them are great

~Bill Hicks

Would you let the aliens land, please? They might be here to pick me up.

~Bill Hicks

It's always funny until someone gets hurt. Then it's just hilarious.

~Bill Hicks

Oh my God. Lift me up out of this illusion, Lord. Heal my perception that I might know only reality and only you.

~Bill Hicks

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