

# Bill Paxton Quotes

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Through readiness and discipline, we are the masters of our fate.

~Bill Paxton

When you start out as a filmmaker, you do parodies, because you can't really compete on a studio level.

~Bill Paxton

I didn't have a normal background - I was completely demented from a very early age!

~Bill Paxton

Stop your grinnin and drop your linen

~Bill Paxton

Howdy. I'm gonna separate your head from your shoulders. Hope you don't mind none.

~Bill Paxton

You don't really get to pick and chose what you would like to be doing. But I've been very fortunate, and I think water seeks its own level. You do gravitate towards things that you would get off on.

~Bill Paxton

It's very liberating to be naked in front of a hundred people, but there's nothing sexual about lovemaking on a movie set.

~Bill Paxton

I hate tests. It's a really lousy way to judge a person's ability.

~Bill Paxton

I've always loved movies about con men. I think con men are as American as apple pie.

~Bill Paxton

It's always good to have no expectations when you see a film. Then you can be pleasantly disappointed or surprised.

~Bill Paxton

We mystify the art of moviemaking, but it's not amystical science. You take a good screenplay, put a group together and you hammer it out.

~Bill Paxton

In the old days the studios guided your career. Now it's all up to you.

~Bill Paxton

It's become very popular in contemporary films to have the twist ending.

~Bill Paxton

A good filmmaker is someone who can look at a piece and go, "This camera's really going to be a character. I want people to feel like they're being punched."

~Bill Paxton

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