

Bob Edwards

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With radio, the listener absorbs everything.

~Bob Edwards

Public radio has always been so powerless.

~Bob Edwards

I used to listen to the soap operas with my grandmother.

~Bob Edwards

I'm still excited at being at a microphone and talking to listeners. I love that. It's the most basic element of what I do and I still enjoy it very much.

~Bob Edwards

But when you see personal artifacts relating to - by genealogy at least - a living human being, it was just more impressive to me than just about anything I've ever read about slavery before.

~Bob Edwards

If blue collar jobs are leaving and white collar jobs are outsourced what color collar jobs are left?

~Bob Edwards

Meanwhile, the meek are a long time inheriting the earth.

~Bob Edwards

One trouble with being efficient is that it makes everybody hate you so.

~Bob Edwards

The difference between a friend and an acquaintance is that a friend helps; an acquaintance merely advises.

~Bob Edwards

When Solomon said there was a time and a place for everything he had

not encountered the problem of parking his automobile.

~Bob Edwards

I'm a very straight-laced, conservative news kind of guy.

~Bob Edwards

I've never been able to predict the future of anything.

~Bob Edwards

In college, I got interested in news because the world was coming apart. The civil rights movement, the antiwar movement, the women's right movement. That focused my radio ambitions toward news.

~Bob Edwards

The radio was my pal. I was just crazy about it.

~Bob Edwards

Some are pre-taped interviews because maybe we can't get that person live or maybe we're not sure it's going to work out right so we tape it an hour in advance.

~Bob Edwards

I go home by noon, and I'm in bed by 6 p.m. I get up at 1 and do it again.

~Bob Edwards

People are always ready to admit a man's ability after he gets there.

~Bob Edwards

Any outfit that has to beg its listeners for money is an organization that has to constantly please its listeners or it will dry up and go away. It shouldn't work when you think about it.

~Bob Edwards

I was encouraged to read aloud in class and vocalize.

~Bob Edwards

I wake about 1 a.m. I'm in the office by 2 a.m. We're on the air at 5.

~Bob Edwards

Between 2 and 5 I'm reading in to find out what's been going on while I've been asleep.

~Bob Edwards

It's also a more personal medium. It seems to go directly to one's brain. There are no pictures to distract.

~Bob Edwards

Soon it will be a sin of parents to have a child that carries the heavy burden of genetic disease. We are entering a world where we have to consider the quality of our children.

~Bob Edwards

Nobody cares about your wardrobe, what your tie looks like, or even if you're wearing one, and I don't.

~Bob Edwards

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