

Budd Schulberg

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Isn't everyone a part of everyone else?

~Budd Schulberg

I suppose it's too bad people can't be a little more consistent. But if they were, maybe they would stop being people.

~Budd Schulberg

Living with a conscience is like driving a car with the brakes on.

~Budd Schulberg

Fights can be dumped in a dozen ways. Sometimes everybody but the fighter knows. Sometimes only the fighter knows.

~Budd Schulberg

Very few fighters get the consideration of racehorses, which are put out to pasture to grow old with dignity and comfort when they haven't got it anymore.

~Budd Schulberg

As much as I love boxing, I hate it. And as much as I hate it, I love it.

~Budd Schulberg

Silence is the sure sign that you're on your way out in Hollywood.

~Budd Schulberg

You can't eat your friends and have them too

~Budd Schulberg

You either go along with the system - conform to what is expected to be a hit - or you have very tough going

~Budd Schulberg

Conscience. That stuff can drive you nuts.

~Budd Schulberg

Unless we know people well, we sit around with our words and our minds starched, afraid of being ourselves for fear of wrinkling them.

~Budd Schulberg

Tell Papa I admire him but from now on I plan to admire him from as far away as I can get.

~Budd Schulberg

I coulda' had class. I coulda' been a contender! But instead I got a one way ticket to Palookaville.

~Budd Schulberg

In English the expression 'ancient Greece' includes the meaning of 'finished,' whereas for us Greece goes on living, for better or for worse; it is in life, has not expired yet.

~Budd Schulberg

I don't like the country. The crickets make me nervous.

~Budd Schulberg

Boxing is a mental sport. Think of a prizefight as a chess game of mind and body, and you are a little closer to it than if you compare it to a bloody brawl in an alley.

~Budd Schulberg

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