

Chris Hayes Quotes

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If you want to defend torture, well then go ahead. But please spare me any sermons about the law ever again.

~Chris Hayes

We`re in an historic drought, and that demands unprecedented action.

~Chris Hayes

We cannot have a just society that applies the principle of accountability to the powerless and the principle of forgiveness to the powerful. This is the America in which we currently reside.

~Chris Hayes

Meritocracy is our social ideal, particularly among good liberals. Equality of opportunity, but not of outcome. Not evaluating people by their [outside] features, but by their innate talent and drive.

~Chris Hayes

Who says meritocracy says oligarchy.

~Chris Hayes

California became the last state in the west to regulate groundwater usage. The state`s first-ever mandatory water restrictions soon followed.

~Chris Hayes

We now operate in a world in which we can assume neither competence nor good faith from the authorities. The consequences of this simple, devastating realization define American life.

~Chris Hayes

Donald Trump is not going anywhere. And we see as calculated as these are, he has a knack for telling a certain segment of a base what they want.

~Chris Hayes

Ted Cruz who's been gaining on [Donald] Trump in Iowa and is polling ahead of him in the latest Monmouth poll would be quite reluctant to criticize Trump's plan saying simply it is not his policy.

~Chris Hayes

Inequality and hierarchy are natural, but that doesn't mean they are right, that doesn't mean there isn't a productive tension between those forces and the forces of equality.

~Chris Hayes

That's a maple leaf, Canadian, not just for being too European but too Canadian. Not so subtly putting [Ted] Cruz's face inside that maple leaf there.

~Chris Hayes

Climate change is the biggest governing challenge we face. It's the biggest governing challenge I think we've ever faced.

~Chris Hayes

The backlash to [Sarah] Palin's comments was swift, with veterans and veterans' groups criticizing the apparent politicization of post-traumatic stress disorder.

~Chris Hayes

There's no real organized body, ... so through the internet people have spread their videos, spread photos, and spread word of a new urban movement.

~Chris Hayes

I got my start in lefty journalism as a labor reporter at 'In These Times', and it's in my blood.

~Chris Hayes

We ask the education system to expiate the sins of the rest of the

society and then condemn it as hopelessly broken when it doesn't prove up to the task.

~Chris Hayes

Obviously it's easier to grow faster when you are a less developed country than when you are where the U.S. is.

~Chris Hayes

Every sentence stands on its own. Whether that's fair or not, that's kind of the way it is.

~Chris Hayes

You see a lot of fear among Republicans. Oh, man, this guy [Donald Trump] has a lot of vulnerabilities and weaknesses that's not been tested at all yet.

~Chris Hayes

Screenwriting Joe Eszterhas have always talked about the charm of evil.

~Chris Hayes

I think people should be angry at things that are worthy of anger. Injustice is outrageous and deserves outrage.

~Chris Hayes

Tens of millions of dollars spent, all meant to get Jeb Bush elected president. He currently is polling on average at around 5%.

~Chris Hayes

There's a lot in common between the Trump phenomenon and the campaign for Britain to exit the European Union, known as Brexit.

~Chris Hayes

Ted Cruz announcing he's no longer never [Donald] Trump.

~Chris Hayes

The base that Donald Trump is speaking to are not that conservative, at least not the way conservatives have defined themselves.

~Chris Hayes

I've seen all this tussling about what is [Donald] Trump ideologically and Jim Carney said he's a liberal and people saying, look, he's winning moderates. Chris Christie is an example of this.

~Chris Hayes

One of the main point of contention is whether or not Keith Scott was in possession of a gun. We still don't know. Police say he did have a gun. The gun was recovered.

~Chris Hayes

It doesn't really matter what policy you're for, so long ease gets your gut-level anger about whatever. So, you can't attack Donald Trump on policy.

~Chris Hayes

After a battle royale debate, the fight between [Marco]Rubio and [Donald]Trump gets ugly.

~Chris Hayes

There's a line of thinking about Ted Cruz.

~Chris Hayes

Everyone is now [Donald] Trump.

~Chris Hayes

David Roberts, who is a writer at Vox who I like, had a line about the voter - your voters weren't locked in the room with you, Republican establishment. You were locked in the room with them.

~Chris Hayes

If anonymous [Donald] Trump campaign sources are to be believed, they're pretty concerned he's going to blow the big debate Monday night with an utter lack of preparation.

~Chris Hayes

The Republican Party is officially a dumpster fire.

~Chris Hayes

Donald Trump said it was his idea for [Sarah] Palin to bring up her son at the rally.

~Chris Hayes

The [Donald's] Trump war on the press continues. Tonight, the national cost of a conservative media bubble, now featuring alien conspiracy theories. And about those Obamacare headlines.

~Chris Hayes

In Utah, where the states' Mormon GOP electorate is especially unfavorable to [Donald] Trump.

~Chris Hayes

The New York Times and Politico report , as Bush continues to flounder on the campaign trail, backers are placing some of the blame on Right To Rise and its inability to sell their candidate.

~Chris Hayes

With the advent of Trump Tower Live, the campaign's new nightly broadcast, streamed over Facebook, rumors are once again, swirling of a potential Trump media empire to be launched after the election.

~Chris Hayes

Politico reports, multiple advisers to the Right To Rise super Pac

concede privately that the \$40 million spent on positive ads aimed at telling Bush`s story yielded no tangible dividends.

~Chris Hayes

Maybe it`s a great blow for feminism that we now have men mocking one another about their makeup. I mean, let`s - can we enjoy that? That`s kind of great.

~Chris Hayes

As one [Jeb] Bush supporter told Politico, you might as well light all of this money [for election campaign] on fire.

~Chris Hayes

Like one of [Donald] Trump`s sons said this is a huge step down for him to run for president. Like he`s not doing it - let`s just be clear.

~Chris Hayes

For the love of god, find something actually socially useful to do with your money. Because if you don`t, socialism`s going to start looking a lot better to a whole lot of people.

~Chris Hayes

Chris Christie travelled to Ft. Worth, Texas, to give his blessing to a former rival who one week ago was approvingly discussing killing Muslim terrorists with bullets smeared in pig`s blood.

~Chris Hayes

I understand that that`s the theory of the case for [Donald] Trump supporters and it`s what Donald Trump says, and it`s possible that that is actually the case.

~Chris Hayes

Marco Rubio and Ted Cruz did their best Donald Trump impersonation. All three unleashing an unprecedented string of insults and attacks fit

more for a barroom than a presidential debate stage.

~Chris Hayes

Trump University is just one of the many lines of attack that were opened up last night, giving a preview of what's to come in the general if [Donald] Trump is indeed the Republican nominee.

~Chris Hayes

If he [Donald Trump] can boost Mitt Romney's performance five points among white folks, he could have a shot.

~Chris Hayes

There is no evidence that government under Republicans will shrink. It's simply a question of what the government will do and who will benefit.

~Chris Hayes

I'm a big fan of Donald Trump's.

~Chris Hayes

Islam does not preach hatred and violence and destruction.

~Chris Hayes

Something changed between the two men, namely [Donald] Trump started slinging mud on Twitter about [Ted] Cruz's wife, Heidi, including a mean comparing her looks unfavourably to his own.

~Chris Hayes

The mood, it is fair to say, was reasonably tense. As a result of the conclusion of the ballot, most members are happy that this matter has now been determined.

~Chris Hayes

Hillary Clinton tweeted "Charlotte should release police video of the

Keith Lamont Scott shooting without delay. The Clinton campaign has since announced that Clinton will travel to Charlotte.

~Chris Hayes

I think it's fair to say there's some significant portion of the community that doesn't feel they can take the Charlotte police at their word.

~Chris Hayes

My dream when I was 14 was someday I could have a David Levine caricature of me in 'The New York Review of Books.'

~Chris Hayes

[Ted] Cruz may have been hoping his reversal would fly under the radar.

~Chris Hayes

What you cannot conquer, circumvent but do not compromise yourself for the sake of the urban jungle, because concrete does not sympathise.

~Chris Hayes

The thing with that word "establishment" is a four-letter word in the 2016 politics, so toxic, so pejorative that pretty much no one wants to be associated with it.

~Chris Hayes

My mother was a teacher, my father was a community organizer. I come from a working class background.

~Chris Hayes

Donald Trump isn't doing anyone any favors by running to be the most powerful person on the planet, right?

~Chris Hayes

I grew up in a household where we talked politics a lot and argued politics a lot.

~Chris Hayes

As Donald Trump`s fortunes continue to slide, he`s increasingly dragging the fortunes of senate republican`s weapon.

~Chris Hayes

The [Sarah]Palin endorsement as sort of vouching for Donald Trump is all about. She is the sort of tribune of not conservatism as ideology.

~Chris Hayes

Newt Gingrich got in hot water during his 2012 presidential race for using campaign funds to pay himself \$47,000 for a mailing list.

~Chris Hayes

David Frum has been saying - [Donald] Trump is all about conservatism as identity, not conservatism as ideology.

~Chris Hayes

There`s that issue of if you attack someone you don`t know where the votes are going to go.

~Chris Hayes

No one`s dropped a cent - there`s no negative ads up against Donald Trump in Iowa which is crazy to think about.

~Chris Hayes

Where is the Marco Rubio bump everyone was promised? And it doesn`t look very good.

~Chris Hayes

The person that always wins, that`s the other thing. The monkey picking stocks always wins.

~Chris Hayes

Once you start thinking about growth of economy, it's hard to think about anything else.

~Chris Hayes

We don't have a manufacturing base. We don't have a middle-class jobs growing at all. All we have is a few rich people and a service industry to service them.

~Chris Hayes

I think I was a militant smoker, and I felt hemmed in by a wall of political correctness and I think I purposely and militantly put the smoking scenes in the movies.

~Chris Hayes

That has to come to an end and end now. No citizen is a second-class citizen in the city of Chicago. If my children are treated one way, every child is treated the same way.

~Chris Hayes

What we do know is that the era of climate change is upon us and the extraordinary in California today will become the ordinary of tomorrow.

~Chris Hayes

Having an energy conversation without talking about climate is like talking about smoking and not talking about cancer.

~Chris Hayes

We were arguing about what was good to deal with making education fairer, diverse and more American. We were not arguing about where black scientists get a good education.

~Chris Hayes

In a radio interview [Ted] Cruz compared [Donald] Trump`s behavior to schoolyard children throwing taunts at each other, vowing not to take part.

~Chris Hayes

Impossible is a word for other people to use when life scares them.

~Chris Hayes

All the people that you see on television defending Donald Trump have not been drafted into it.

~Chris Hayes

Donald Trump got himself very far to the left. When he was considering running for president in 2000, he was for a 13 percent wealth tax on wealthy people to retire the national debt.

~Chris Hayes

My disposition as a human being is kind of a go-along-to-get-along person. I tend to trust authority.

~Chris Hayes

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