

Christopher Paul Curtis

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There's a thin, blurry line between humor and tragedy.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Things aren't ever what they seem to be when you first look at them. What's important is that you keep your mind wide open and try to understand what's going on from a lot of different angles.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

I often tell young people that as a writer you are very powerful, that you can make absolutely anything happen.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

I write because I love to. I'm very, very fortunate to have found something that I love doing that also earns my living. But to be honest, I'd write even if I weren't being paid to.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

A bud is a flower-to-be. A flower in waiting. Waiting for just the right warmth and care to open up. It's a little fist of love waiting to unfold and be seen by the world. And that's you.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Work at your craft, write daily, and follow your dreams because dreams do come true.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Just like when there's a time that a smart person knows enough is enough, there's a time when you know you've got to fight.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

But you just gotta understand that that's the way it is and keep on steppin'.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

I'm the same age as my tongue and a little bit older than my teeth.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

But don't ever call her ex-boyfriends by his name.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Wow. Who would want a fish for a pet when they could have a turtle?!

~Christopher Paul Curtis

I'm sure there's some philosophy that says one of the best ways to deal with any of your problems is to take a deep breath and step away from them for a while, writing does this for me.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

I do think it is important to look at the writing as a job though and to commit to it like you'd have to commit to a regular nine-to-five.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Write for the love of writing and you can't go wrong.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

The big steel wheels creaked a couple times, then started moving.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Besides the soothing effect it has, I think my favorite part of writing is being able to use my imagination and creativity to make new ideas and people and situations come to life.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Having a little pee in your pants had to be better than being dinner for some redneck.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

As the writer you are the puppet-master and can control everything.

Believe me, that is a whole lot of fun because it ain't something that's going to be happening very often in real life!

~Christopher Paul Curtis

No sir, I don't know why, but my eyes don't cry no more.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

Byron says he won't go there. He give Kenny and Joey a story about "Wool Pooh," the supposed evil twin of Winnie-the-Pooh. They believe him, but Kenny still wants to go.

~Christopher Paul Curtis

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