

Dave Matthews

Quotes

*Thinking, Dream, People, Life, Song, Believe, Way, Eye, Mean, Lying, Mother,
Sweet, Giving, Friendship, Stars, Looks, Kids, Light, Beautiful, Real*

A guy and a girl can be just friends, but at one point or another, they will fall for each other... maybe temporarily, maybe at the wrong time, maybe too late, or maybe forever.

~Dave Matthews

Tomorrow is no place to place your better days.

~Dave Matthews

The world and the universe are far more wonderful if there's not a puppet master.

~Dave Matthews

I'll lean on you and you lean on me and we'll be okay.

~Dave Matthews

If I go Before I'm old Oh, brother of mine Please don't forget me if I go
Bartender, please Fill my glass for me With the wine you gave Jesus
that set him free After three days in the ground.

~Dave Matthews

Turns out, not where, but who you're with that really matters.

~Dave Matthews

Because life is short but sweet for certain

~Dave Matthews

The saddest part of the human race is we're obsessed with this idea of 'us and them,' which is really a no-win situation, whether it's racial, cultural, religious or political.

~Dave Matthews

Satellite in my eyes Like a diamond in the sky How I wonder Satellite
strung from the moon And the world your balloon Peeping Tom for the
mother station

~Dave Matthews

Goodnight moon. Sweet dreams. Smile kindly upon this little blue gum ball of us while we sleep.

~Dave Matthews

I want to figure out a way to not be stupid with money, then make a whole bunch of it, then I want to move to Outer Mongolia. I want to milk a yak. Maybe I'll just settle for a cow.

~Dave Matthews

I hate to admit it, but we're badass.

~Dave Matthews

Just knowing that the world is round Here I'm dancing on the ground
Am I right side up or upside down? Is this real or am I dreaming?

~Dave Matthews

But then there are magical, beautiful things in the world, and there's incredible acts of kindness and bravery and in the most unlikely places, and it gives you hope.

~Dave Matthews

A friend is always good to have, but a lover's kiss is better than angels raining down on me.

~Dave Matthews

To change the world It starts with one step However small First step is hardest of all.

~Dave Matthews

If I find something I like, I'll chase it and see what comes out the other side. Once a song gets momentum and gets away from you, that's a good sign.

~Dave Matthews

The brightest star on a cloudless night
Some kind of miracle, almost
empty sky... Just as the bite of the blade wakes the absent mind
There's time to dream and there's time to open your eyes

~Dave Matthews

When I don't say a word and you know exactly what I mean.

~Dave Matthews

You crush me with the things you do, I do for anything too...each
moment the more I love you.

~Dave Matthews

I don't believe in trickle-down economics. I don't think that people who
have the most are inclined to share it, generally.

~Dave Matthews

Sitting still as stone watching - watching
People walking by you
wondering why
No one ever stops to talk or thinks about it - if they ever
did

~Dave Matthews

One sweet world
Around this star is spinning
One sweet world
And in her breath I'm swimming
And here we will rest in peace

~Dave Matthews

A dream is a massive magic trick of the mind. No amount of science
could explain away the mysterious wonder.

~Dave Matthews

What I want is what I've not got, but what I need is all around me.

~Dave Matthews

It is criminal to put our servicemen and women in harm's way and to put the lives of so many civilians on the line for the misguided frustrations of the Bush administration.

~Dave Matthews

Yorke's lyrics make me want to give up. I could never in my wildest dreams find something as beautiful as they find for a single song - let alone album after album.

~Dave Matthews

I don't think everything is going to get peachy ever. But I think we have to fight for what we believe in.

~Dave Matthews

Excuse me please, one more drink
Could you make it strong cause I don't need to think
She broke my heart, my grace is gone
One more drink and I'll move on.

~Dave Matthews

If you live life, then you become what are.

~Dave Matthews

How could I have been anyone other than me?

~Dave Matthews

Dark clouds may hang on me sometimes, but I'll work it out.

~Dave Matthews

So the story goes, so I'm told
The people he knew were Less than golden hearted
Gamblers and robbers Drinkers and jokers, all soul searchers
Like you and me

~Dave Matthews

I'm glad some people have that faith. I don't have that faith. If there is a

God, a caring God, then we have to figure he's done an extraordinary job of making a very cruel world.

~Dave Matthews

Nothing is here to stay Everything has to begin and end A ship in a bottle won't sail All we can do is dream that the wind will blow us across the water A ship in a bottle set sail

~Dave Matthews

Always walk where you like your steps.

~Dave Matthews

I can't believe that we would lie in our graves wondering if we had spent our living days well. I can't believe that we would lie in our graves dreaming of things that we might have been.

~Dave Matthews

My songs are like a three-legged dog - you have to get to know them to have any love for them.

~Dave Matthews

I fear that our true motivation is about oil and our own flailing economy; about the failure to destroy Al Qaeda and about revenge.

~Dave Matthews

Don't lose the dreams inside your head They'll only be there until you're dead Dream

~Dave Matthews

I'm only this far, and only tomorrow leads my way.

~Dave Matthews

I'm not going to change my ways just to please you, or appease you.

~Dave Matthews

Take what you can from your dreams, Make them as real as anything...

~Dave Matthews

If you hold on tight to what you think is your thing you may find you're missing all the rest

~Dave Matthews

I believe in love, but believe it's love that keeps beating me down.

~Dave Matthews

I'm partly obsessed by aging gracefully.

~Dave Matthews

For me, in songwriting, I have a route I can take. Maybe there's some forks, I can go this way, this way. But I know those roads. I still have the experience behind me.

~Dave Matthews

Funny the way it is, not right or wrong, somebody's heart is broken, and it becomes your favorite song.

~Dave Matthews

I'm a fairly tormented artist, and I'm less willing to indulge myself in self-pity, outside of songwriting.

~Dave Matthews

Being able to scream at the top of my lungs in front of people is very therapeutic. It is a great gift for me to be able to do that.

~Dave Matthews

Some might tell you there's no hope in hand Just because they feel hopeless But you don't have to be a thing like that You be a ship in a bottle set sail

~Dave Matthews

I don't want to die, obviously, but really, the wonder of life is amplified by the fact that it ends.

~Dave Matthews

I hope that just what I sing about and how I relate to my audience is as much of a political statement as I need to make.

~Dave Matthews

The moon is quite a show off given the chance. The stars make a sound when they shine so bright. Water so blue and so black.

~Dave Matthews

I grew up in a very politically aware family. My mother always taught me to question everything, never believing anything simply at face value - especially the nicest, most adamant politicians.

~Dave Matthews

So why would you care To get out of this place? You and me and all our friends, Such a happy human race. Eat, drink and be merry, For tomorrow we die.

~Dave Matthews

We have to be active about kindness and about peace. I've always fantasized that it would be great if there was a Department of Peace.

~Dave Matthews

It's a melting pot, southern Africa. You find these cultural collisions that result in art and music, and it's pretty amazing.

~Dave Matthews

Troubles, they may come and go, but good times, they're the gold.

~Dave Matthews

Come and relax now, put your troubles down. No need to bear the weight of your worries, just let them all fall away.

~Dave Matthews

Look, Here are we, On this starry night staring into space, And I must say, I feel as small as dust, Lying down here...

~Dave Matthews

In so many areas of life, I'm a spaz and incompetent.

~Dave Matthews

You and me have a better time than most can dream of, better than the best.

~Dave Matthews

I see you young and soft oh little baby Little feet, little hands, little baby
One year of crying and the words creep up inside Creep into your mind
So much to say

~Dave Matthews

Lying on the roof counting the stars that fill the sky I wonder if Someone
in the heavens looking back down on me I'll never know So much
space to believe

~Dave Matthews

In your eyes, I see what's on my mind.

~Dave Matthews

I find sometimes it's easy to be myself, sometimes I find it's better to be somebody else.

~Dave Matthews

I'm a bit of a caveman - I don't go out into the digital space very often. I lie facedown on the grass and count how many bugs I can find.

~Dave Matthews

Are you looking for answers, to questions under the stars? If along the way you are growing weary, You can rest with me until a brighter day
It's okay

~Dave Matthews

My voice is soft, but oh, my heart roars!

~Dave Matthews

I don't understand at best, I cannot speak for all the rest. But you may find a lifetime's passed you by. Every dog has its day, every day has its way
Of being forgotten.

~Dave Matthews

Leave the big door open, everyone'll come around.

~Dave Matthews

You know she's going to leave my broken heart behind her...

~Dave Matthews

We look to our leaders once we elect them to either lead us in the right direction or at least not crush us.

~Dave Matthews

Take these chances Place them in a box until a quieter time
Lights down, you up and die

~Dave Matthews

She runs up into the light surprised Her arms are opened Her mind's eye is
Seeing things from a better side than most can dream

~Dave Matthews

First time I kissed you, I lost my legs.

~Dave Matthews

How we can stay faithful to the people that have supported us from the beginning is a thought in my mind. I always want to keep that part of it alive.

~Dave Matthews

She thinks, "Hey, How did I come to this? I dream myself a thousand times around the world, But I can't get out of this place"

~Dave Matthews

You seek up an emotion and your cup is overflowing, you seek up an emotion sometimes your well is dry

~Dave Matthews

Everyday should be a good day to die

~Dave Matthews

Oh, man, oh how I wish I didn't smoke or drink to reason with my head.

~Dave Matthews

Is this not enough? This blessed sip of life Is it not enough? Staring down at the ground Then complain and pray for more from above Greedy little pig

~Dave Matthews

She feels like kicking out all the windows And setting fire to this life She could change everything about her using colors bold and bright But all the colors mix together - to grey

~Dave Matthews

I find a therapy in playing music, in many different ways.

~Dave Matthews

I swear by now I'm playing time against my troubles I'm coming slow but speeding

~Dave Matthews

People are not very pro-active in general, I think, because we are too busy rushing blindly towards our own goals.

~Dave Matthews

I'm from a very politically and socially conscious family. My mother always made a point of making us look at what was going on around us and take stock of our part in it.

~Dave Matthews

In many instances, we are much better at fixing our mistakes after we've made them. In some situations, it is easier to sweep things under the rug and forget about them.

~Dave Matthews

I don't touch electric guitars. It's just not my thing - I stick with acoustic guitars only.

~Dave Matthews

Isn't it strange how we move out lives for another day? Like skipping a beat, what if a great wave should wash us all away?

~Dave Matthews

I go back to South Africa at least once a year, sometimes twice, and usually for a month. And probably, I'm guessing, I'll spend more time back there as I get older.

~Dave Matthews

I never went to college - I barely got out of high school.

~Dave Matthews

People in every direction
No words exchanged
No time to exchange
And all the little ants are marching
Red and black antennas waving
They all do it the same
We all do it the same way

~Dave Matthews

So often we talk about saving the planet, but what we really mean is to save the planet the way it is, so we can live here. So that is can sustain us.

~Dave Matthews

I think I am a very kind person. I think I'm joyful, but I could be kinder and I could be more joyful. I do believe peace is a state of grace, and not the absence of violence.

~Dave Matthews

There's a freedom to being young that is harder to come by as time goes on.

~Dave Matthews

Good music is good music, and everything else can go to hell.

~Dave Matthews

I'm familiar with that feeling of silence that comes with a very imminent catastrophe, when you know you have absolutely no control over a situation.

~Dave Matthews

I don't think socialism, and I don't think warmness and respect are necessarily bad words.

~Dave Matthews

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