

# Dorothy Gilman Quotes

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Change, Too Late, Matter, Old Friends, Life Is, Asparagus, Book, Motivational,  
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The best things arrive on time.

~Dorothy Gilman

when a gourd is hollowed out it becomes empty and is of great use to the world because of its emptiness.

~Dorothy Gilman

There are no happy endings, there are only happy people.

~Dorothy Gilman

People need dreams, there's as much nourishment in them as food.

~Dorothy Gilman

A man from hell is not afraid of hot ashes.

~Dorothy Gilman

my rebelliousness went so deep that, faced with a can of asparagus that instructed me to open at this end, I always, stubbornly, opened it at the other.

~Dorothy Gilman

We overlook how much in our lives is invisible; love, for instance; thought, God, the future, time, faith, hope and even the electricity that brings us light.

~Dorothy Gilman

... old clothes, old friends, old books. One needs constants in a traveling life.

~Dorothy Gilman

If something anticipated arrives too late it finds us numb, wrung out from waiting, and we feel - nothing at all. The best things arrive on time.

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Both therapy and friendship possessed the common denominator of discovering a self.

~Dorothy Gilman

It's when we're given choice that we sit with the gods and design ourselves.

~Dorothy Gilman

Everything matters terribly to children, you know, they're fresh and unformed.

~Dorothy Gilman

It's compassion that makes gods of us.

~Dorothy Gilman

Hell is more like boredom, or not having enough to do, and too much time to contemplate one's deficiencies.

~Dorothy Gilman

When we live with a memory we live with a corpse; the impact of the experience has changed us once but can never change us again.

~Dorothy Gilman

Perhaps we clutch at life only when we have never lived or trusted it. Then death seems the last and greatest defeat, the end of something never felt.

~Dorothy Gilman

will anything but fanaticism make for change? Wisdom and compromise come later.

~Dorothy Gilman

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