

# Elizabeth Warren

## Quotes

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Real, Home, Running, Class, Credit, Needs, Mean, College, Ideas, Kids*

It's better to fight because if you don't fight, you can't win. Besides, even when you don't win, you can change the game.

~Elizabeth Warren

If you don't have a seat at the table, you're probably on the menu.

~Elizabeth Warren

It's so easy to focus on what could go wrong, on what else you could do before you try the thing you really want to do. No. Just get out there and try.

~Elizabeth Warren

If Scott Walker sees 100,000 teachers & firefighters as his enemies, maybe it's time we take a closer look at his friends.

~Elizabeth Warren

Keep a little space in your heart for the improbable. You won't regret it.

~Elizabeth Warren

If there's any lesson I've learned in the last five years, it's don't be so sure about what lies ahead. There are amazing doors that could open.

~Elizabeth Warren

Being Native American has been part of my story I guess since the day I was born.

~Elizabeth Warren

We don't win what we don't fight for.

~Elizabeth Warren

President Obama believes in a level playing field.

~Elizabeth Warren

It's a simple idea: We all do better when we work together and invest in

our future.

~Elizabeth Warren

This country isn't working for working people. It's working only for people at the top. That's not the American dream. That's the American nightmare.

~Elizabeth Warren

I'm willing to throw my body in front of the bus to stop bad ideas.

~Elizabeth Warren

When conservatives talk about opportunity, they mean opportunities for the rich to get richer, for the powerful to get more powerful.

~Elizabeth Warren

It is not the job of the Department of Education to maximize profits for the government at the cost of squeezing students who are struggling to get an education.

~Elizabeth Warren

I get the reason that you should be willing to negotiate sometimes. But you also ought to be willing to throw a punch.

~Elizabeth Warren

College students today are drowning in debt, and it is hurting them and hurting our economy. We must find a way to help families pay for college without condemning them to a lifetime of indebtedness.

~Elizabeth Warren

When you have no real power, go public - really public. The public is where the real power is.

~Elizabeth Warren

Mitt Romney is the guy who said corporations are people. No, Governor

Romney, corporations are not people.

~Elizabeth Warren

Me, I was waiting tables of 13 and married at 19. I graduated from public schools, and taught elementary school.

~Elizabeth Warren

Paul Ryan looks around, sees three unemployed workers for every job opening in America, and blames the people who can't find a job.

~Elizabeth Warren

It's one thing for Hillary Clinton to adopt some anti-Wall Street language to try to appeal to progressives.

~Elizabeth Warren

I don't like credit cards. They make overspending very easy. They can make life a lot more complex and stressful.

~Elizabeth Warren

The poor pay more, and that's one of the reasons people get trapped at the bottom of the economic ladder.

~Elizabeth Warren

I'm going to do everything I can to help Hillary Clinton get elected and I'm going to do everything I can to make sure that Donald Trump never comes within shouting distance of the White House.

~Elizabeth Warren

There is an ugly side to Donald Trump that we all have to stop and think about what's going on here.

~Elizabeth Warren

People feel like the system is rigged against them, and here is the painful part, they're right. The system is rigged.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump is a threat to who we are as a people.

~Elizabeth Warren

What do the Republicans say? Donald Trump? They say they're just going to roll back the Dodd-Frank regulations. They want to undermine the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau.

~Elizabeth Warren

Pundits talk about 'populist rage' as a way to trivialize the anger and fear coursing through the middle class.

~Elizabeth Warren

I want to be blunt: We should not be fighting about equal pay for equal work, and access to birth control, in 2012. These issues were resolved years ago - until the Republicans brought them back.

~Elizabeth Warren

I think having a fighter in the lead, a female fighter in the lead, is exactly what America needs.

~Elizabeth Warren

Some of the largest financial institutions can build a profit model on tricking people.

~Elizabeth Warren

Middle class America is acutely aware of how bad this economy is, and it is going to demand changes. I don't think politicians can afford to be complacent.

~Elizabeth Warren

Our veterans deserve the very best, and that means ensuring that America's veterans receive high-quality services and cares when they

come back home.

~Elizabeth Warren

Barack Obama heard the American people.

~Elizabeth Warren

The total amount of money that Wall Street handed out in bonuses last year was double the total income of ALL full-time minimum wage workers. That's obscene.

~Elizabeth Warren

The choice before us is simple. Will we continue to subsidize the dirty fossil fuels of the past, or will we transition to 21st century clean, renewable energy?

~Elizabeth Warren

I think the best way it happens is if parents say, this is important for educating my child.

~Elizabeth Warren

It takes money to run political campaigns. This is a cancer growing on the soul of our democracy.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump is a person who is an insecure money-grubber who cares about nothing but himself.

~Elizabeth Warren

There is nobody in this country who got rich on his own.

~Elizabeth Warren

The game is rigged to work for those who already have money and power.

~Elizabeth Warren

Getting straight with your money is as complicated as a trip to the grocery store: You need a comparison shop, add and subtract, stick with a plan, and ask questions- nothing more.

~Elizabeth Warren

Money is bounded; we only have so much of it. Love goes on forever.

~Elizabeth Warren

We're going to make sure that the people who run for office and get elected are the ones who are going to work for the American people.

~Elizabeth Warren

If there had been a Financial Product Safety Commission in place 10 years ago, the current financial crisis would have been averted.

~Elizabeth Warren

Washington is rigged for the big guys - and no person has more consistently called them out for it than Jon Stewart. Good luck, Jon!

~Elizabeth Warren

We need to remind politicians they don't work for the big banks - they work for us.

~Elizabeth Warren

I love the work I do.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump doesn't care who gets hurt, as long as he makes a profit off it.

~Elizabeth Warren

It is critical that the American people, and not just their financial institutions, be represented at the negotiating table.

~Elizabeth Warren

That's how we build the economy of the future. An economy with more jobs and less debt, we root it in fairness. We grow it with opportunity. And we build it together.

~Elizabeth Warren

Balancing your money is the key to having enough.

~Elizabeth Warren

We should be talking about expanding Social Security benefits - not cutting them.

~Elizabeth Warren

The people who are filing for bankruptcy in increasing numbers every year, it's not the poorest. It's not the people at the economic fringes. It's people who worked hard and played by the rules.

~Elizabeth Warren

Israel has the right to shell Palestinian hospitals and schools out of self defense.

~Elizabeth Warren

Nobody's safe. Health insurance? That didn't protect 1 million Americans who were financially ruined by illness or medical bills last year.

~Elizabeth Warren

If you have a choice between buying something and paying down your credit card, pay down your credit card.

~Elizabeth Warren

Say good-bye to a Supreme Court that is truly open and balanced and looking out for the American people. Instead the Republicans just want to capture a right-wing court for another whole generation.

~Elizabeth Warren



There's a limit here. This is how far we go and we don't go further. And I also think by talking about [gifts] it that way, it avoids the unspoken idea that money is the expression of love.

~Elizabeth Warren

Credit cards are like snakes: Handle 'em long enough, and one will bite you.

~Elizabeth Warren

Congress must go further to protect the right to privacy, to end the NSA's dragnet surveillance of ordinary Americans, to make the intelligence community more transparent and accountable.

~Elizabeth Warren

Adjusted for inflation, somebody going to college today to a state university, is paying about 300 percent of what her mom or dad did just 30 years ago.

~Elizabeth Warren

Good for Warren Buffett that he can afford to do that! Some people, sometimes, need to finance a purchase or rent a car, and a credit card becomes a necessity.

~Elizabeth Warren

We have to rethink how to teach financial education in the 21st century.

~Elizabeth Warren

That is especially important as more young people must take on huge debt loads to go to college.

~Elizabeth Warren

No one should have to get a PhD in economics to survive in this economy.

~Elizabeth Warren

I hope Hillary Clinton runs for president.

~Elizabeth Warren

My daddy's response [to fear of being poor] was to never talk about money or what might happen if it ran out.

~Elizabeth Warren

I wanted to see Democrats out there talking about our core set of issues. And let people around this country vote, let - people have caucuses, let them do it however they're going to do it.

~Elizabeth Warren

I saw at a young age that one bad break can turn a family's financial life upside down. And it has affected everything in my life since then.

~Elizabeth Warren

If you want to find out how strong a company's ethics are, don't listen to what its people say, watch what they do.

~Elizabeth Warren

You didn't have to worry that marauding bands would come and seize everything in your factory and hire someone to protect against this because of the work the rest of us did.

~Elizabeth Warren

I oppose the construction of the Keystone XL Pipeline. It's an ill-conceived project that would lock us into further dependence on some of the dirtiest fossil fuels on the planet.

~Elizabeth Warren

[My grandkids] are 5, 10, and 15. While they're young and still at home, I think it's all about learning the value of money.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump cannot, cannot be the man who leads the United States of America.

~Elizabeth Warren

Disjunct dollars, not pennies. Look at the big-ticket items, in your budget.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump is a genuine threat to America.

~Elizabeth Warren

Once kids get older, the list is longer. So here goes: Stay out of debt. Sometimes debt is necessary, to buy a home or to get an education, but not to buy a sweater or to eat out.

~Elizabeth Warren

Say good-bye to the Affordable Care Act. That means 20 million people who lose their health insurance, just like that.

~Elizabeth Warren

Donald Trump is a threat economically to America.

~Elizabeth Warren

I don't like credit cards. Let me triple underline that.

~Elizabeth Warren

The credit card companies have put the loan sharks out of business.

~Elizabeth Warren

The need for comprehensive reform must not blind us to the urgency of addressing the massive debt that's already crushing our young people.

~Elizabeth Warren

I don't want to overstate the gender difference. But women are more sensitized to the way that larger issues affect their pocketbooks, like pay equality or cost of living changes.

~Elizabeth Warren

I once had half a cup [of coffee], twenty years ago, and I'm still working it off.

~Elizabeth Warren

My mother said, if you don't have the cash, don't buy it. And on that, my mother was right.

~Elizabeth Warren

I can remember riding in the car with [my daughter] Amelia, when she was very small, and we'd talk about money the same way we'd talk about sparkly shoes or what had happened at school.

~Elizabeth Warren

I'm really concerned that 'too big to fail' has become 'too big for trial'.

~Elizabeth Warren

Part of my job is to make sense of all that I hear, and to retell it in a forceful way so that the decision-makers at Treasury can hear it. At least that's how I see it.

~Elizabeth Warren

Our number one responsibility is to protect Americans from terrorism, that's our job, so being tough on terrorism is enormously important.

~Elizabeth Warren

Once you've gotten your money in balance, you know how much you have to spend on things that are just fun.

~Elizabeth Warren

It's powerfully important that our kids get an education in personal finance.

~Elizabeth Warren

I hear all this, you know, 'Well, this is class warfare, this is whatever.' No. There is nobody in this country who got rich on his own - nobody.

~Elizabeth Warren

My parents and I were all afraid of being poor - really poor.

~Elizabeth Warren

There are a lot of things that people say about Hillary Clinton. But nobody says that she doesn't know how to throw a punch.

~Elizabeth Warren

Hillary Clinton is a fighter, she's out there, she's tough.

~Elizabeth Warren

We're Americans. We celebrate success. We just don't want the game to be rigged.

~Elizabeth Warren

I'm proud of my Native American heritage.

~Elizabeth Warren

My advice is to treat [credit cards] like what they are: little plastic grenades that must be handled very carefully.

~Elizabeth Warren

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