

# Empedocles Quotes

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Together, Sky, May*

For before this I was born once a boy, and a maiden, and a plant, and a bird, and a darting fish in the sea.

~Empedocles

Each man believes only his experience.

~Empedocles

None of the gods has formed the world, nor has any man, it has always been.

~Empedocles

At one time through love all things come together into one, at another time through strife and hatred, they are borne each of them apart.

~Empedocles

Having glimpsed a small part of life, men rise up and disappear as smoke, knowing only what each one has learned.

~Empedocles

Blessed is he who has acquired a wealth of divine wisdom, but miserable he in whom there rests a dim opinion concerning the gods.

~Empedocles

What is right may properly be uttered even twice.

~Empedocles

Many fires burn below the surface.

~Empedocles

What is lawful is not binding only on some and not binding on others. Lawfulness extends everywhere, through the wide-ruling air and the boundless light of the sky.

~Empedocles

The sea is the sweat of the earth.

~Empedocles

Iris from sea brings wind or mighty rain.

~Empedocles

[On the volcano.] And many a fire there burns beneath the ground.

~Empedocles

Earth's sweat, the sea.

~Empedocles

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