

Eric Burdon

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Inside each of us, there is the seed of both good and evil. It's a constant struggle as to which one will win. And one cannot exist without the other.

~Eric Burdon

You've got to create a dream. You've got to uphold the dream. If you can't, go back to the factory or go back to the desk.

~Eric Burdon

I'm not bitter, I'm bittersweet.

~Eric Burdon

I live my life, breathless... A life of constant motion and excitement. A life that many will envy and most would avoid!

~Eric Burdon

I don't think Jimi committed suicide in the conventional way. He just decided to exit when he wanted to.

~Eric Burdon

This really blew my mind, the fact that me, an over fed, long haired, leaping gnome, should be the star of a Hollywood movie.

~Eric Burdon

It's the need for change that drives us to join forces with our brothers and sisters all around the world - but change is slow.

~Eric Burdon

OK, I've had a life of sort of success, some people know who I am but a lot of people don't. I feel the need to change that still.

~Eric Burdon

I tried to reach the combatants with my music. I tried to turn my anger into something positive. Myself, and others like me, just tried to keep

rock and roll alive.

~Eric Burdon

I may sing the same songs for over 40 years now but I always sing them in different ways in order to keep the excitement and passion alive.

~Eric Burdon

Blues was made for the recessed.

~Eric Burdon

Britain, and my hometown, will always be with me wherever I go and whatever I do - but I prefer to live in California.

~Eric Burdon

It's more important what you leave to people on this planet. I want my legacy to exist now, currently, not after I'm gone.

~Eric Burdon

My voice? Yeah, well, I used to drink a lot of beer when I was a kid and I sounded like a drunk in a choir. I don't drink anymore.

~Eric Burdon

I have a life beyond performance. I love it, and it probably is the better part of my life, but I do have another life.

~Eric Burdon

In the day-to-day life of a traveling musician, it's easy to miss so many details. The world goes by at high-speed; it will take your breath away.

~Eric Burdon

I always wanted to be a Californian. In my wildest dreams, I always liked California - it's the place where oranges grows on trees! Fruit just falls off the trees.

~Eric Burdon

The rock biz is the low end of the creative world. Faces come and go so fast.

~Eric Burdon

My activism was, and is, unknown, unannounced, but somehow effective.

~Eric Burdon

In a nut shell, air travel is the worst part about touring.

~Eric Burdon

Have you seen 'American Idol' lately? I'm sure that some kids somewhere at this moment are thrashing themselves silly over what they call 'Rock n' Roll.

~Eric Burdon

Recording - once something's done, it's done, there's not much you can do about it. It's out there and you just have to pray to the gods.

~Eric Burdon

I've got a great dislike of reunions. It's a little like trying to go back and relive the best parts of your life, but you can't do it. Nothing is ever the same.

~Eric Burdon

Everything changes and, somewhere along the line, I'm changing with it.

~Eric Burdon

If you think that UFOs will come and save you, don't be fooled. The Nazis invented UFOs.

~Eric Burdon

I don't think I've ever changed. I am only one person, it's just me. I'm confident and I'm quite happy with who I am, but it's my life and I'll be what I want.

~Eric Burdon

Everything I do - if I do it, is going to be personal.

~Eric Burdon

There are so many times in one's life, when one feels he has nothing more to offer. But no, my river has not run dry.

~Eric Burdon

From my personal point of view, the Animals are dead. They killed themselves.

~Eric Burdon

The basis of everything that I plugged into when I was younger was blues, and it always stayed with me.

~Eric Burdon

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