

Eric Holder

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You constantly hear about voter fraud... but you don't see huge amounts of vote fraud out there.

~Eric Holder

I don't even talk about whether or not racial profiling is legal. I just don't think racial profiling is a particularly good law enforcement tool.

~Eric Holder

I am the attorney general of the United States. But I am also a black man.

~Eric Holder

No individual or company, no matter how large or how profitable, is above the law.

~Eric Holder

Due process and judicial process are not one and the same, particularly when it comes to national security.

~Eric Holder

Though this nation has proudly thought of itself as an ethnic melting pot, in things racial we have always been and I believe continue to be, in too many ways, essentially a nation of cowards

~Eric Holder

The Constitution guarantees due process, not judicial process.

~Eric Holder

I'll leave here with my head held high and with confidence that history will judge my time here.

~Eric Holder

Too many Americans go to too many prisons for far too long, and for no truly good law enforcement reason.

~Eric Holder

The American people can be - and deserve to be - assured that actions taken in their defense are consistent with their values and their laws.

~Eric Holder

We must stand our ground to ensure that our laws reduce violence and take a hard look at laws that contribute to more violence than they prevent.

~Eric Holder

We need election systems that are free from fraud, discrimination, and partisan influence and that are more, not less, accessible to the citizens of this country.

~Eric Holder

If you want to call me an activist attorney general, I will proudly accept that label.

~Eric Holder

Saturdays and Sundays, America in the year 2009 does not in some ways differ significantly from the country that existed almost 50 years ago. This is truly sad.

~Eric Holder

Good luck with your asparagus.

~Eric Holder

I think there are too many people in jail for too long and for not necessarily good reasons.

~Eric Holder

We are not programmed to bury our kids.

~Eric Holder

Let's deal with reality. The reality is that we will be reading Miranda rights to the corpse of Osama bin Laden. He will never appear in an American courtroom.

~Eric Holder

There are a whole variety of reasons I want to be attorney general, a whole variety of things that I do as attorney general that go beyond national security.

~Eric Holder

I don't have any intention of resigning.

~Eric Holder

I'm a 21st century guy, secure in who I am.

~Eric Holder

I think that what I'm doing is right. And election-year politics, which intensifies everything, is not going to drive me off that course.

~Eric Holder

I think they clearly do not fit within the prescriptions of the Geneva Convention. It's hard for me to see how members of al Qaeda could be considered prisoners of war.

~Eric Holder

I'm a hard headed lawyer.

~Eric Holder

It pains me whenever there's the death of a law enforcement official.

~Eric Holder

Guantanamo is a chief recruiting tool for al-Qaida. It has put a wedge between the United States and at least some of its allies.

~Eric Holder

I'm not going to let people who work in the United States Department of Justice have their characters be assailed without any basis.

~Eric Holder

I understand the Second Amendment. I respect the Second Amendment. I think we need to use common sense tools to keep the American people safe, to keep our streets safe.

~Eric Holder

One cannot understate the importance of eliminating Bin Laden. He was a symbolic head of the organisation and, as we now know, an operational head of the organisation.

~Eric Holder

Operation Fast and Furious was flawed in concept and flawed in execution. The tactics used in this operation violate Department of Justice policy and should never have been used.

~Eric Holder

To those in the executive branch who say 'just trust us' when it comes to secret and warrantless surveillance of domestic communications, I say, 'Remember your history.'

~Eric Holder

At a time when we must seek to rebuild trust between law enforcement and the local community, I am deeply concerned that the deployment of military equipment and vehicles sends a conflicting message.

~Eric Holder

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