

# Felix Baumgartner

## Quotes

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This claustrophobia was the only weakness I had. It's not my fault. It's just in my mind.

~Felix Baumgartner

I'm retired from the daredevil business.

~Felix Baumgartner

Sometimes you have to go up really high to see how small you are.

~Felix Baumgartner

It feels great to be on top of the world but the greatest feeling is when your feet are on the ground.

~Felix Baumgartner

The only limit is the one you set yourself.

~Felix Baumgartner

I started skydiving because I loved the idea of freedom.

~Felix Baumgartner

Never accept your limitations - because there are NO limitations.

~Felix Baumgartner

One of the most exciting moments was standing out on top of the world, 30 seconds before stepping off.

~Felix Baumgartner

When you stand up there on top of the world, you become so humble.

~Felix Baumgartner

Everyone has limits. Not everyone accepts them.

~Felix Baumgartner

Engage your life with enthusiasm; grasp your life aggressively and

squeeze from it every drop of excitement, satisfaction, and joy.

~Felix Baumgartner

I know the whole world is watching now. And I wish the world could see what I can see. Sometimes you have to get up really high to understand how small you really are. I'm going home now.

~Felix Baumgartner

If you want to do something extraordinary, there's always risk involved. I was always willing to take that risk.

~Felix Baumgartner

I want to find a nice decent job as a helicopter pilot.

~Felix Baumgartner

Learn to love what you've been taught to fear.

~Felix Baumgartner

Extreme sport has only ever been about goals and the ways to achieve these goals. Adrenaline plays a part, but it's never in the foreground.

~Felix Baumgartner

If I do something, it's always 90% obvious and 10% unknown.

~Felix Baumgartner

Aviation - and space travel, in particular - have always been especially captivating.

~Felix Baumgartner

Don't live life as a spectator.

~Felix Baumgartner

I'm 100 percent sure I'm becoming a really good helicopter pilot.

~Felix Baumgartner

You have seen on TV how hard it is to go up 129,000 feet and how hard it is to come down.

~Felix Baumgartner

Well, I jumped for the first time when I was 16. I just loved it and immediately realized that it was what I wanted to do.

~Felix Baumgartner

If the Wright brothers hadn't put their lives on the line, we would not be flying around the world these days. So we need pioneers.

~Felix Baumgartner

I can't bear the thought of my mother having to push me around in a wheelchair. I'd rather die quickly.

~Felix Baumgartner

I'm not an adrenaline junkie. It's never been about thrills for me. I'm just someone who loves a challenge.

~Felix Baumgartner

I base jumped off the Jesus statue in Rio de Janeiro.

~Felix Baumgartner

I'm now a member of a pretty small club.

~Felix Baumgartner

I'm more a competitive person.

~Felix Baumgartner

I have no privacy anymore.

~Felix Baumgartner

I have a lot of fears that normal people have.

~Felix Baumgartner

I had to work with a psychiatrist.

~Felix Baumgartner

I feel comfortable with what I do and I guess that my girlfriend feels the same.

~Felix Baumgartner

I don't like to rate myself; others can do that.

~Felix Baumgartner

I was crossing the English Channel with a carbon-fiber wing on my back.

~Felix Baumgartner

We want to push mankind's boundaries out a little further.

~Felix Baumgartner

People are fascinated about the world above them because it seems so out-of-reach.

~Felix Baumgartner

Of course my life has changed because now everybody knows who Felix Baumgartner is.

~Felix Baumgartner

I've done a lot of things in a business where you're lucky to stay alive, so when the time comes, I'll be happy to pass my knowledge along and help someone else.

~Felix Baumgartner

Well, to me, my past accomplishments weren't crazy. They required a lot of skill and careful planning.

~Felix Baumgartner

If something goes wrong, the only thing that might help you is God.

~Felix Baumgartner

I feel at home up in the air, just like sailors do at sea and climbers do in the mountains.

~Felix Baumgartner

I love a challenge, and trying to become the first person to break the speed of sound in freefall is a challenge like no other.

~Felix Baumgartner

To jump and break the sound barrier will not be a mere record breaking experience or another extreme event that ends once the mission is accomplished.

~Felix Baumgartner

The stratosphere is a hostile place.

~Felix Baumgartner

I always feel the danger because you might always be subject to an unexpected or emergency event.

~Felix Baumgartner

At a certain R.P.M., there's only one way for blood to leave your body, and that's through your eyeballs. That means you're dead.

~Felix Baumgartner

As a little kid, I climbed a lot of trees because I always loved the bird's-eye view.

~Felix Baumgartner

I base jumped off one of the highest buildings in the world.

~Felix Baumgartner

Normally, when I skydive, even in winter, I wear very thin gloves. I want to be flexible, with fast reactions.

~Felix Baumgartner

Heroes don't wear diapers. It's just not cool.

~Felix Baumgartner

I want to inspire the next generation. I want to be in mission control with someone younger than me wanting to break my record.

~Felix Baumgartner

I always had the dream of flying, and the cheapest way is to become a skydiver.

~Felix Baumgartner

The only thing you want is to come back alive.

~Felix Baumgartner

They call me Fearless Felix.

~Felix Baumgartner

I like to challenge myself.

~Felix Baumgartner

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