

Femi Kuti Quotes

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Slavery, Teach, Creation, Kind, Legacy, Everyday, Corruption, Arrogant,
Culture, My Family, Spirituality*

I will never put anybody before my family because your family is your family.

~Femi Kuti

Whenever I'm faced with an issue, I deal with it squarely, even if I was going to fail, I try to learn from my mistakes. So if we appreciate our past, then we can understand where we are at presently.

~Femi Kuti

I believe in the Creator. I don't believe the creator is God. If you change G-O-D the other way, it becomes dog.

~Femi Kuti

Africans should be talking and ask questions, like why does America and Russia have the right to veto votes? These countries talk about democracy and yet are not democratic themselves.

~Femi Kuti

Who knows why I had to go through what I had to go through to produce the kind of music I produce today, to be one of the greatest Africans playing music, who knows?

~Femi Kuti

When I die, I want to see Malcom X, Lumumba, my father, and I want to be able to look them in the eye

~Femi Kuti

Looking deeper into African way of life, it wasn't religious; it was spiritual. When you go into spiritualism, spiritualism will teach you about virtues, how to be patient, humble and kind.

~Femi Kuti

Spirituality is when we can't explain everything in life, totally. So, we have a spiritual meaning for it; we don't know why we are here really.

~Femi Kuti

We need to teach our children history, right from the primary school level, for them to better understand the issues. In my son's school they don't teach history.

~Femi Kuti

Someone asked me what legacy I wanted to leave and all my answers were so long that I even bored him. I said I don't care. Why should I? I will die someday. So if you like, remember me.

~Femi Kuti

My children think I'm the perfect father, but I try to bring them up to know that, 'when you are old enough you will find some faults in me, so keep an open mind.'

~Femi Kuti

I know I trust people too much, although I try to be a bit firm, but it is a fault that we have learnt from my father.

~Femi Kuti

I don't smoke or drink, but I will not tell you that I won't smoke again. Probably I will when I'm 60.

~Femi Kuti

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