

# Frank Ocean Quotes

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When you're happy you enjoy the music, but when you're sad you understand the lyrics.

~Frank Ocean

Work hard in silence, let success be your noise.

~Frank Ocean

Don't confuse my personality with my attitude. My personality is who I am, and my attitude depends on who you are.

~Frank Ocean

Those who are heartless, once cared too much.

~Frank Ocean

Don't feel sad over someone who gave up on you, feel sorry for them because they gave up on someone who would have never given up on them.

~Frank Ocean

Just remember; someone loves everything you hate about yourself.

~Frank Ocean

Never run back to what broke you.

~Frank Ocean

I don't know if I ever told you this before, but you're the only one I ever waited for this long.

~Frank Ocean

I believe that marriage isn't between a man and woman; but between love and love.

~Frank Ocean

Distance sometimes lets you know who's worth keeping and who's

worth letting go.

~Frank Ocean

Don't ever play with someone's feelings, you could win the game but you could lose that person forever.

~Frank Ocean

If someone breaks your heart, just punch them in the face. Seriously. Punch them in the face and go get some ice cream.

~Frank Ocean

Once I catch you in one lie, it makes me question everything you said.

~Frank Ocean

Go for someone who is proud to have you.

~Frank Ocean

Smile, it's easier than explaining why you're sad

~Frank Ocean

You just do what you can and you have as much fun as possible.

~Frank Ocean

The worse part of being lied to is when you realize you believed it.

~Frank Ocean

I've been thinking about forever

~Frank Ocean

As a writer, as a creator, I'm giving you my experiences. But just take what I give you. You ain't got to pry beyond that.

~Frank Ocean

It's a bad religion to be in love with someone who could never love you.

~Frank Ocean

As a man I am not a killer. I'm an artist and a modern person. I'll choose sanity.

~Frank Ocean

There's just some magic in truth and honesty and openness.

~Frank Ocean

Why see the world / when you got the beach?

~Frank Ocean

This unrequited love, to me it's nothing but a one-man cult/And cyanide in my styrofoam cup

~Frank Ocean

I don't have any secrets I need kept any more.

~Frank Ocean

I don't know anything and neither do you.

~Frank Ocean

My TV ain't HD, that's too real

~Frank Ocean

As a lifestyle you always being the focal point is innately unhealthy.

~Frank Ocean

I'm about being the best.

~Frank Ocean

I'm extremely compassionate, loving, all of those warm fuzzy things, but the outer shell doesn't project that all the time.

~Frank Ocean

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~Frank Ocean

I've always wanted to make a career in the arts, and I think that my only hope at doing that is to make it more about the work.

~Frank Ocean

You can't think. You just have to do things.

~Frank Ocean

The idea of recognizing your strengths and using them in as versatile a way as you can is cool to me.

~Frank Ocean

I know that we sin but I do believe we try, we all try.

~Frank Ocean

I don't fear anybody... at all.

~Frank Ocean

It's about the stories. If I write 14 stories that I love, then the next step is to get the environment of music around it to best envelop the story and all kinds of sonic goodness.

~Frank Ocean

My grandfather was smart and had a whole lot of pride. He didn't speak a terrible amount, but you could tell there was a ton on his mind - like a quiet acceptance of how life had turned out.

~Frank Ocean

It's not always easy to be transparent about your emotions and sometimes the music can get heavy.

~Frank Ocean

Some people focus more on sonics. Some people focus more on story. I focus on both sonics and story.

~Frank Ocean

I don't ever want to be caught up in a system of thinking I can do one thing 'cos that's just... that's just telling yourself a lie.

~Frank Ocean

The work is the work. The work is not me. I like the anonymity that directors can have about their films. Even though it's my voice, I'm a storyteller.

~Frank Ocean

With my art, it's the one thing that I know will outlive me and outlive my feelings. It will outlive my depressive seasons.

~Frank Ocean

If it brings me to my knees, it's a bad religion

~Frank Ocean

I might just write a novel next. I don't know!

~Frank Ocean

A friend of mine jokes that I have a painstaking royalty complex. Like maybe I was a duke in a past life.

~Frank Ocean

I won't touch on risky, because that's subjective. People are just afraid of things too much. Afraid of things that don't necessarily merit fear.

~Frank Ocean

I feel like I was writing as I was learning to talk. Writing was always a go-to form of communication.

~Frank Ocean

Of course awards matter.

~Frank Ocean

It's cool to be recognised by your peers.

~Frank Ocean

I booked my first studio at like 12 or 13. Somewhere in that season of my life, singing along with the radio became me wanting to be on radio, you know.

~Frank Ocean

I don't intend to stop making music.

~Frank Ocean

I've written some great things. That's a gift, but there's consequences. Yeah, you get this great work, but you suffer. You really, really suffer.

~Frank Ocean

I play piano every day. I enjoy that.

~Frank Ocean

I enjoy singing my songs in front of people. I enjoy being involved in making the artwork for albums and stupid stuff like that.

~Frank Ocean

Each individual's success as a solo artist is pretty much a win for the whole team.

~Frank Ocean

I'm not a centerfold.

~Frank Ocean

It's just really about trying to do whatever it is I do at a level of excellence. That's really all I'm trying to do while I'm here.

~Frank Ocean



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