

Friedrich Nietzsche

Quotes

*Men, People, Lying, Doe, Mean, Thinking, Believe, Evil, Art, Life, Love, Want,
Long, Truth, Inspirational, Heart, Soul, Self, Giving, Pain*

Sometimes people don't want to hear the truth because they don't want their illusions destroyed.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There are two different types of people in the world, those who want to know, and those who want to believe.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I was in darkness, but I took three steps and found myself in paradise. The first step was a good thought, the second, a good word; and the third, a good deed.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There will always be rocks in the road ahead of us. They will be stumbling blocks or stepping stones; it all depends on how you use them.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

You have your way. I have my way. As for the right way, the correct way, and the only way, it does not exist.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I'm not upset that you lied to me, I'm upset that from now on I can't believe you.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Enjoy life. This is not a dress rehearsal.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The true man wants two things: danger and play. For that reason he wants woman, as the most dangerous plaything.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Nobody is more inferior than those who insist on being equal.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

And those who were seen dancing were thought to be insane by those who could not hear the music.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

My solitude doesn't depend on the presence or absence of people; on the contrary, I hate who steals my solitude without, in exchange, offering me true company.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Whoever fights monsters should see to it that in the process he does not become a monster. And if you gaze long enough into an abyss, the abyss will gaze back into you.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Love your enemies because they bring out the best in you.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

To live is to suffer, to survive is to find some meaning in the suffering.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Do you want to have an easy life? Then always stay with the herd and lose yourself in the herd.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

you must be ready to burn yourself in your own flame; how could you rise anew if you have not first become ashes?

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The snake which cannot cast its skin has to die. As well the minds which are prevented from changing their opinions; they cease to be mind.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The higher we soar the smaller we appear to those who cannot fly.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There are no facts, only interpretations.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Everything the State says is a lie, and everything it has it has stolen.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The world is beautiful, but has a disease called man.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Call me whatever you like; I am who I must be.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I am a forest, and a night of dark trees: but he who is not afraid of my darkness, will find banks full of roses under my cypresses.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

No price is too high to pay for the privilege of owning yourself.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

It is not a lack of love, but a lack of friendship that makes unhappy marriages.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I know of no better life purpose than to perish in attempting the great and the impossible.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

When a woman has scholarly inclinations there is usually something wrong with her sexuality.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

In loneliness, the lonely one eats himself; in a crowd, the many eat him.
Now choose.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

When marrying, ask yourself this question: Do you believe that you will be able to converse well with this person into your old age? Everything else in marriage is transitory.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

We have art so that we shall not die of reality.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Everything in the world displeases me: but, above all, my displeasure in everything displeases me.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Insanity in individuals is something rare - but in groups, parties, nations and epochs, it is the rule.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Loneliness is one thing, solitude another.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I and me are always too deeply in conversation.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

One must still have chaos in oneself to be able to give birth to a dancing star.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

I am alone again and I want to be so; alone with the pure sky and open sea.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Everything matters. Nothing's important.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The tree that would grow to heaven must send its roots to hell.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There's no defense against stupidity.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

He who cannot obey himself will be commanded. That is the nature of living creatures.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

So long as men praise you, you can only be sure that you are not yet on your own true path but on someone else's.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Invisible threads are the strongest ties.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Every deep thinker is more afraid of being understood than of being misunderstood.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There is always some madness in love. But there is also always some reason in madness.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

You know a moment is important when it is making your mind go numb with beauty.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Do not allow yourselves to be deceived: Great Minds are Skeptical.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

People who live in an age of corruption are witty and slanderous; they know that there are other kinds of murder than by dagger or assault; they also know that whatever is well said is believed.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The real question is: How much truth can I stand?

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The deeper minds of all ages have had pity for animals.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The surest way to corrupt a youth is to instruct him to hold in higher esteem those who think alike than those who think differently.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

All truly great thoughts are conceived by walking.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

He who has a why to live can bear almost any how.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The 'kingdom of God' is not something one waits for; it has no yesterday or tomorrow, it does not come 'in a thousand years' it is an experience within a heart; it is everywhere, it is nowhere.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

If you know the why, you can live any how.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

All I need is a sheet of paper and something to write with, and then I can turn the world upside down.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

In heaven, all the interesting people are missing.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The purpose of criminal law is to punish the enemies of those in power.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Life is the will to power; our natural desire to dominate and reshape the world to fit our own preferences and assert our personal strength to the fullest degree.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There are no beautiful surfaces without a terrible depth.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

We often refuse to accept an idea merely because the tone of voice in which it has been expressed is unsympathetic to us.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

And once you are awake, you shall remain awake eternally.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

They muddy the water, to make it seem deep.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Be careful when you fight the monsters, lest you become one.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Man is the only animal that must be encouraged to live.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

That which does not kill us makes us stronger.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

To predict the behavior of ordinary people in advance, you only have to assume that they will always try to escape a disagreeable situation with

the smallest possible expenditure of intelligence.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Solitude makes us tougher towards ourselves and tenderer towards others. In both ways it improves our character.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Whatever does not kill me makes me stronger.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

What is the task of higher education? To make a man into a machine. What are the means employed? He is taught how to suffer being bored.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

In revenge and in love, woman is more barbarous than man.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

No artist tolerates reality.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Nothing on earth consumes a man more quickly than the passion of resentment.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Only he who is man enough will release the woman in woman.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

When we are tired, we are attacked by ideas we conquered long ago.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Our greatest experiences are our quietest moments.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

One should die proudly when it is no longer possible to live proudly.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Extreme positions are not succeeded by moderate ones but by extreme positions of the opposite kind.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

What is done out of love always occurs beyond good and evil.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The irrationality of a thing is no argument against its existence, rather a condition of it.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Men who think deeply appear to be comedians in their dealings with others because they always have to feign superficiality in order to be understood.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

A woman may very well form a friendship with a man, but for this to endure, it must be assisted by a little physical antipathy.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Sleeping is no mean art: for its sake one must stay awake all day.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

What was silent in the father speaks in the son, and often I found in the son the unveiled secret of the father.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Fear is the mother of morality.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

It is my ambition to say in ten sentences what others say in a whole

book.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There is not enough love and goodness in the world to permit giving any of it away to imaginary beings.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Thoughts are the shadows of our feelings - always darker, emptier and simpler.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Hope in reality is the worst of all evils because it prolongs the torments of man.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

When Zarathustra was alone . . . he said to his heart: "Could it be possible! This old saint in the forest hath not yet heard of it, that God is dead!"

~Friedrich Nietzsche

There are various eyes. Even the Sphinx has eyes: and as a result there are various truths, and as a result there is no truth.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Is it better to out-monster the monster or to be quietly devoured?

~Friedrich Nietzsche

What doesn't kill you, only makes you stronger

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Ultimately, it is the desire, not the desired, that we love.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

And if your friend does evil to you, say to him, "I forgive you for what

you did to me, but how can I forgive you for what you did to yourself?

~Friedrich Nietzsche

Anyone who has declared someone else to be an idiot, a bad apple, is annoyed when it turns out in the end that he isn't.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

The 'kingdom of Heaven' is a condition of the heart - not something that comes 'upon the earth' or 'after death.'

~Friedrich Nietzsche

One must learn to love oneself with a wholesome and healthy love, so that one can bear to be with oneself and need not roam.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

In every real man a child is hidden that wants to play.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

If the all powerful god controls satan he is an accomplice, and if he doesn't, he is not an all powerful god.

~Friedrich Nietzsche

What destroys a man more quickly than to work, think and feel without inner necessity, without any deep personal desire, without pleasure - as a mere automaton of duty?

~Friedrich Nietzsche

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