

Geoffrey Rush

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I always had a fantasy of being a chef, because I like kitchen life.

~Geoffrey Rush

Yes, anally retentive men are my forte!

~Geoffrey Rush

But as my voice coach keeps saying, if we actually spoke the way they imagine the Elizabethan voice might have been, we wouldn't be able to understand it.

~Geoffrey Rush

People are intrigued and fascinated, almost obsessed with the private lives of great public personalities.

~Geoffrey Rush

You had to be into sport and, sad to say, I'm a traitor to my country because I don't have a sporting bone in my body.

~Geoffrey Rush

For sure, you have to be lost to find a place that can't be found.

~Geoffrey Rush

Nobody ever said that growing old would be easy. Just having to hold the newspaper out in your forties and then hair growing out of unusual parts of your body in your fifties. It's tough on the ego.

~Geoffrey Rush

More people have a fear of speaking than a fear of death. So at a funeral, most people would want to be the person in the coffin rather than the person delivering the eulogy!

~Geoffrey Rush

Sometimes you do feel a script that glows in your hand the moment you start reading it. By page four of Shakespeare in Love, I said, 'I have to

be in this movie.

~Geoffrey Rush

People tend to think of Brisbane as a sleepy, sub-topical place. I don't know. It's like Baltimore or something. I don't know. You would hear the family dramas going on behind closed doors.

~Geoffrey Rush

When people come and tell me I was terrific in this or that, I do not want to fall flat on my face next time. But, tough, I have fallen flat before. You just get up and dust yourself off.

~Geoffrey Rush

I didn't know the Green Lantern comics at all. I was a Superman reader.

~Geoffrey Rush

I knew all about Edward VIII's abdication, George VI becoming the king and having a stammer, but nothing about how he got rid of it.

~Geoffrey Rush

When you are playing an egomaniac running a fantastical ship, you don't want him to be too suburban. Naturalism doesn't work on the high seas.

~Geoffrey Rush

They were saying, 'Keep this under your hat, but Jack Sparrow's going to die in the second movie.' I went, 'You're kidding me. The fans are going to go berserk.'

~Geoffrey Rush

I always felt thrilled and amazed that I could put actor on my tax form.

~Geoffrey Rush

I die in almost every film I've been in.

~Geoffrey Rush

I was never a leading man. I've always been in the outer concentric circles in the company, being a character actor, which is a good place to be. It gives you that diversity.

~Geoffrey Rush

I think that Ionesco's greatest weapon is that he's able to make us laugh at the darkest corners of our souls.

~Geoffrey Rush

I guess I've been fortunate in having an ongoing film career while being based in Melbourne. I'm happy to commute. A day on a plane. Come on. It's easy.

~Geoffrey Rush

There's four biggies. There was Elizabeth I, George III, Victoria, and the current queen, who really dominated four eras.

~Geoffrey Rush

I do love perusing the dictionary to find how many words I don't use - words that have specific, sharp, focused meaning. I also love the sound of certain words. I love the sound of the word pom-pom.

~Geoffrey Rush

What I appreciated was the fact that the script delved into how Australians were - and still are - condescended to by the English.

~Geoffrey Rush

Someone told me that there's a connection to Superman, that in an early edition of the Green Lantern comics, Tomar Re was the envoy to Krypton. That was fascinating to me.

~Geoffrey Rush

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