

George Carey Quotes

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When the fire of prayer goes out, the barrenness of busyness takes over.

~George Carey

People have described me as a management bishop but I say to my critics, Jesus was a management expert too.

~George Carey

If someone talks about union, fidelity, a monogamous relationship, love, blessing; I would say it sounds like marriage to me. And blessing, you see, I think is undermining our sacrament of marriage.

~George Carey

I think in my own country, at the way we've seen through the ordination of women to the priesthood, which I'm delighted about, and that will move on to another level before very long.

~George Carey

I think what Calvinism may offer us is that God's in charge of his world.

~George Carey

But, as you have intimated, I am among those who would be very wary of any military action in the light of Saddam Hussein's willingness to allow the weapons inspectors to go in.

~George Carey

Jesus was a management expert too.

~George Carey

What I think is that we in the church - and especially I as an Archbishop - I'm responsible for maintaining our rules, and making sure we hold to unity in the Body of Christ.

~George Carey

I'm on record as being understood to be a supporter of a reformed establishment, in which other Christian denominations, and other faiths, play a major part.

~George Carey

I see no room in holy Scripture for any sexual activity outside of matrimony.

~George Carey

One I've been passionately committed to, of course, is women's ministry; I believe solidly in it as a Gospel issue and we've found our way through that.

~George Carey

Belief in the resurrection is not an appendage to the Christian faith. It is the Christian faith.

~George Carey

God loves us all, wants us all to share his kingdom, has a role for us all.

~George Carey

I believe with all my heart that the Church of Jesus Christ should be a Church of blurred edges.

~George Carey

In my time as Archbishop of Canterbury I've seen a growing sense of unity and mission.

~George Carey

The Israelis have suffered a great deal, we must condemn suicide bombers, and we must never say that the plight of the Palestinians justifies this terrible thing.

~George Carey

What I'd say about that is that we must respect homosexuals in the church. I've got many homosexual friends, the issue is not in any way a homophobic reaction on my part.

~George Carey

I think what has happened, actually, is that September 11 has given a spur, a renewed urgency, to dialogue between the great faiths.

~George Carey

And here at our Anglican Consultative Council, we have many reports of growth and great encouragement.

~George Carey

We've got to find ways of confronting the issues that divide - and at the heart of cultural issues, you often find religions.

~George Carey

We must get back to a very strong Christianity... Christianity shaped America and England, and we need to get back to those moral foundations that made us great.

~George Carey

We have lobbed verses of Scripture, like hand grenades, into the camps of others, convinced we only have truth.

~George Carey

The outer eyes see only by reflection. The vibrations from the inner eye, optic, is conveyed along the optic nerves and produced, spectacular, on the ether.

~George Carey

And I hope America will realise, as the only superpower now, it really must use its power in a way that's going to build up the world, and to support the United Nations.

~George Carey

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