

# Gilda Radner Quotes

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Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking the moment and making the best of it, without knowing what's going to happen next.

~Gilda Radner

It's like my father always said to me, he said to me, he said, Roseanna Roseanadana, it's always something. If it isn't one thing--it's another! It's always something.

~Gilda Radner

There are those who open their hearts to others...who never think twice about giving of themselves. They are the wonderful warmhearted people who make all the difference in our lives.

~Gilda Radner

I wanted a perfect ending. Now I've learned, the hard way, that some poems don't rhyme, and some stories don't have a clear beginning, middle and end.

~Gilda Radner

[Motherhood is] the biggest gamble in the world. It is the glorious life force. It's huge and scary-it's an act of infinite optimism.

~Gilda Radner

I've learned what I can control is whether I am going to live a day in fear and depression and panic, or whether I am going to attack the day and make it as good a day, as wonderful a day, as I can.

~Gilda Radner

I think dogs are the most amazing creatures; they give unconditional love. For me they are the role model for being alive.

~Gilda Radner

I can always be distracted by love, but eventually I get horny for my creativity.

~Gilda Radner

I'd much rather be a woman than a man. Women can cry, they can wear cute clothes, and they're the first to be rescued off sinking ships.

~Gilda Radner

I base most of my fashion taste on what doesn't itch.

~Gilda Radner

There is no real security except for whatever you build inside yourself.

~Gilda Radner

Cancer is probably the most unfunny thing in the world, but I'm a comedian, and even cancer couldn't stop me from seeing the humor in what I went through.

~Gilda Radner

While we have the gift of life, it seems to me the only tragedy is to allow part of us to die - whether it is our spirit, our creativity or our glorious uniqueness.

~Gilda Radner

Having cancer gave me membership in an elite club I'd rather not belong to.

~Gilda Radner

It's such an act of optimism to get through a day and enjoy it and laugh and do all that without thinking about death. What spirit human beings have!

~Gilda Radner

I would rather be funny than gorgeous, absolutely. Because it's too hard to be gorgeous, you know. I could make a stab at gorgeous as long as I had something funny to say to get out of it.

~Gilda Radner

Humor is just truth, only faster!

~Gilda Radner

[Emily Litella line:] Never mind.

~Gilda Radner

Fame changes a lot of things, but it can't change a light bulb.

~Gilda Radner

You feel completely in control when you hear a wave of laughter coming back at you that you have caused.

~Gilda Radner

... I was diagnosed with ovarian cancer. Suddenly I had to spend all my time getting well.

~Gilda Radner

Dreams are like paper, they tear so easily.

~Gilda Radner

Some stories don't have a clear beginning, middle and end.

~Gilda Radner

Comedy is very controlling - you are making people laugh.

~Gilda Radner

I'm not really an impersonator.

~Gilda Radner

My life had made me funny, and cancer wasn't going to change that.

~Gilda Radner

Adopted kids are such a pain - you have to teach them how to look like you.

~Gilda Radner

It's always something

~Gilda Radner

I would say that Lucy, 'I Love Lucy,' she was my idol.

~Gilda Radner

Motherhood . . . is an act of infinite optimism.

~Gilda Radner

I grew up in front of a television. I guess I'll grow old inside of one.

~Gilda Radner

[Roseanne Roseannadanna line:] It's always something.

~Gilda Radner

Show business is like riding a bicycle - when you fall off, the best thing to do is get up, brush yourself off and get back on again.

~Gilda Radner

You cannot live in Los Angeles for any period of time without eventually trying to write a screenplay. It's like a flu bug that you catch ... Even the plumber has a screenplay in his truck.

~Gilda Radner

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