

# Glenn Ford Quotes

*Thinking, Trying, Actors, Play, Good Friend, Opposites, Loss, White, Doe, Wind,  
Strong, Nothing Ever Changes, Cities, Fighting, Years, Feel Good, Throwing,  
Important, Mind, Speed*

William Holden and I weren't just good friends. He was my very best friend. I feel his loss very much still.

~Glenn Ford

If they try to rush me, I always say, I've only got one other speed and it's slower.

~Glenn Ford

Never give up. Take what life throws at you and throw it right back. If life keeps throwing then you have a tennis match going. Learn to like tennis.

~Glenn Ford

Nothing ever changes as far as Westerns are concerned. They are the same today as they were years ago.

~Glenn Ford

You have to do what you fear, otherwise fear is in charge.

~Glenn Ford

It really doesn't matter whether it's the villain or the hero. Sometimes the villain is the most colorful. But I prefer a part where you don't know what he is until the end.

~Glenn Ford

An actor should be ready to play any role within reason. For example, I think the most ridiculous thing for me to do would be to try and play Shakespeare.

~Glenn Ford

I've never played anyone but myself on screen.

~Glenn Ford

It feels good. It feels real good.

~Glenn Ford

We have allowed corporations to decide the fate of the cities. We hardly speak of democratic development.

~Glenn Ford

When I'm on camera, I have to do things pretty much the way I do things in everyday life. It gives the audience someone real to identify with.

~Glenn Ford

I think the director is becoming more important. To work under rushed conditions, you need to have an extremely professional director. If the director's good then the end result will be good.

~Glenn Ford

Some actors count their lines as soon as they receive a script. I'm the opposite. I try to see how many lines I can whittle down. You can say just as much in 4 as you can in 14.

~Glenn Ford

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