

Gretl Braun Quotes

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[Adolf Hitler] was very close-mouthed, he was the most private individual I have ever seen, very secretive.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] loved [Adolf Hitler]. She would have done that had she been able to spend 10 minutes with him. She endured a lot on his behalf, there's a great deal on that subject to be said.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] hardly ever called [Eva Braun] "Eva." He had many Austrian diminutives for her. He called her "Evi" quite often as well as Schatzerl, Evchen, as well as other Austrian expressions.

~Gretl Braun

Eva [Braun] loved [Adolf] Hitler and he was the only man in her life. She flirted and danced with other men but never would she have done more than that.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] was always intensely worried about security and people watching or being nosy, intruding on his private life.

~Gretl Braun

This was all very early on, there was no romance between them then, [Adolf] Hitler was living with Geli Raubal and made a very big display over her, that she was his great love and so forth.

~Gretl Braun

Eva [Braun] and I were never involved in the financial aspects of where [Adolf] Hitler put her up.

~Gretl Braun

I didn't experience the negative side of [Adolf] Hitler. My sister [Eva Braun] did, that's a big distinction.

~Gretl Braun

I have also seen [Adolf] Hitler upset when they had been having words. He was not immune from being bothered or upset by their relationship.

~Gretl Braun

[Wilhelm] Bruckner was one of [Adolf] Hitler's adjutants, very close to him and he'd been in the party probably since day one. Personally neither of us could stand him.

~Gretl Braun

I wouldn't trust a man and woman who never had their fights.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] was an emotional man, he had tremendous highs and he could get low as well, I've seen it.

~Gretl Braun

Wagner festival was [Adolf Hitler] time with the Wagner family. [Eva Braun] asked once to attend but he forbade it and that was that, she never asked again.

~Gretl Braun

Definitely they [Adolf Hitler and Eva Braun] argued, especially in the period we've just been talking about, the middle 1930's. They were like any other couple.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] had a very definite charm which enthralled most people who got to know him.

~Gretl Braun

Hitler was flirting and courting Eva [Braun] I would say, but he was not serious about her yet. That took awhile to develop.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] had stubborn ideas about clothes and didn't care how he looked and this drove [Eva Braun] up the wall.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf] Hitler didn't discuss politics or military with Eva [Braun]. Not once.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] would also refer to [Adolf Hitler] as "the boss" (der Chef), but she never called him "Adolf" or "Adi" to anyone after the very early days. It was always der FÃ¼hrer.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] always said, "you're the FÃ¼hrer, you can do whatever you want to do."

~Gretl Braun

The negatives were [Adolf Hitler] political philosophies, but neither Eva [Braun] or I knew anything that was going on.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] was careful, she was always careful about what she divulged to me or to anyone about [Adolf] Hitler.

~Gretl Braun

They [Eva Braun and Adolf Hitler] never entrusted their letters to the mail. There was always a courier, someone to hand deliver their letters.

~Gretl Braun

The negatives about [Adolf] Hitler were that he was away a lot and couldn't behave towards Eva [Braun] as he should.

~Gretl Braun

Love letters are supposed to be private. [Eva Braun] was very secretive about all that.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] did not want me to interrupt her or try to lift her spirits. She told me she had to go through these periods by herself.

~Gretl Braun

I knew when they [with Adolf Hitler] had been fighting because Eva [Braun] always reacted the same way. She would lock herself in her bedroom and cry and cry, sometimes for a long time.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf] Hitler had a very strong adolescent side to him, emotionally he was like a boy in certain things, like film stars and gossip.

~Gretl Braun

They [Adolf Hitler and Eva Braun] had their disagreements, it wasn't all sunshine and roses, but it isn't that way for any married couple.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] tried to make people feel at ease, he made that effort.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] complained when [Adolf Hitler] was absent, she complained that she was deprived of his company.

~Gretl Braun

Mostly [Eva Braun criticize Adolf Hitler] about his clothes, the cut and the fit of his clothes. This was an ongoing issue between them.

~Gretl Braun

Whatever anybody wants to say about my sister, [Eva Braun] was always beautifully dressed with a great flair for fashion. [Adolf] Hitler was not this way.

~Gretl Braun

It was just a terribly stressful situation and dreary. A few months after [Eva Braun] suicide attempt, [Adolf] Hitler moved us both to the apartment, it was in the summer.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] would much rather have been at [Adolf] Hitler's side. All those excursions were to fill up her time while waiting for him to return.

~Gretl Braun

What [Adolf Hitler] felt deep inside he wasn't going to show to outsiders.

~Gretl Braun

At the end, [Eva Braun] begged me to spare these letters [to Adolf Hitler] and bury them. She specifically wrote to me and told me over the phone not to read any of the letters, she made me promise.

~Gretl Braun

In front of other people it was almost always "Fräulein Braun." Just as [Eva Braun] called him "der Führer," [Adolf Hitler] called her "Fräulein Braun."

~Gretl Braun

Late in his life, that's another matter, [Adolf Hitler] was not the same man in 1944 and he was, say, in 1934.

~Gretl Braun

Was [Adolf Hitler] rude to me? Never. He was always polite and well-mannered.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] was the one who was involved with [Adolf Hitler], who was close to him.

~Gretl Braun

In the years before the war, whenever [Adolf] Hitler would be holed up in Bayreuth, Eva [Braun], myself and our mother often went to Italy for a week.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] always called him der FÃ¼hrer to us. It was ridiculous, but she never changed that.

~Gretl Braun

I never had disagreements with [Adolf Hitler], I never saw him in an unpleasant frame of mind.

~Gretl Braun

[Adolf Hitler] was Austrian, so he knew how to play that role [being capable of apologizing]. In fact, it wasn't playacting, it was just part of who he was. He hated to see women cry or women upset.

~Gretl Braun

[Eva Braun] lived life with [Adolf] Hitler, when he was away, she just filled up her time without Hitler. That was the sum total of it, really.

~Gretl Braun

When we were in the Munich house, sometimes [Adolf Hitler] would call the house line after one of their fights. They would talk and then Eva [Braun] would emerge from her room and behave normally.

~Gretl Braun

Eva [Braun] also cried when [Adolf Hitler] would leave her for long

periods. She was inconsolable without him, that was a never-changing refrain.

~Gretl Braun

Eva [Braun] wanted him [Adolf Hitler] to look his absolute best and he just didn't care.

~Gretl Braun

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