

H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Quotes

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When you can't change the direction of the wind â€” adjust your sails

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Hope is not a resting place but a starting point - a cactus, not a cushion

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Every person that you meet knows something you don't; learn from them.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Life is slippery. Here, take my hand.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never give up on what you really want to do. The person with big dreams is more powerful than one with all the facts.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

If you're doing your best, you won't have any time to worry about failure.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Today, give a stranger one of your smiles. It might be the only sunshine he sees all day.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Sometimes the heart sees what is invisible to the eye.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never forget the three powerful resources you always have available to you: love, prayer, and forgiveness.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Live so that when your children think of fairness, caring, and integrity, they think of you.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Opportunity dances with those already on the dance floor.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

In the confrontation between the stream and the rock, the stream always wins, not through strength but by perseverance.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never make fun of someone who speaks broken English. It means they know another language.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Nothing is more expensive than a missed opportunity.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Good manners sometimes means simply putting up with other people's bad manners.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Life doesn't require that we be the best, only that we try our best.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't overlook life's small joys while searching for the big ones.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

I've learned that you know your husband still loves you when there are two brownies left and he takes the smaller one.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Our character is what we do when we think no one is looking.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Always kiss your children goodnight, even if they're already asleep.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

I never expect to lose. Even when I'm the underdog, I still prepare a victory speech.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that children, marriages, and flower gardens reflect the kind of care they get.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Talent without discipline is like an octopus on roller skates

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Never underestimate your power to change yourself.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Your religion is what you do when the sermon is over.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Love is when the other person's happiness is more important than your own.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

While earning your daily bread, be sure you share a slice with those less fortunate.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

No matter how hard you hug your money, it never hugs back.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Talent without discipline is like an octopus on roller skates. There's plenty of movement, but you never know if it's going to be forward, backwards, or sideways.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never waste an opportunity to tell someone you love them.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember, a good marriage is like a campfire. Both grow cold if left unattended.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When you're feeling terrific, notify your face.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Give children toys that are powered by their imagination, not by batteries.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that everyone you meet is afraid of something, loves something and has lost something.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never let the odds keep you from doing what you know in your heart you were meant to do.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't judge those who try and fail. Judge only those who fail to try.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

The best preparation for tomorrow is doing your best today.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that the happiest people are not those getting more, but those giving more.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that the most valuable antiques are dear old friends.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Think big thoughts but relish small pleasures.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Someone will always be looking at you as an example of how to behave. Don't let him down.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Let perseverance be your engine and hope your fuel.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Let the refining and improving of your own life keep you so busy that you have little time to criticize others.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't flaunt your success, but don't apologize for it either.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that what's right isn't always popular, and what's popular isn't always right.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that creating a successful marriage is like farming: you have to start over again every morning.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Get your priorities straight. No one ever said on his death bed, 'Gee, if I'd only spent more time at the office.'

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Kind words and good deeds are eternal. You never know where their influence will end.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

You must take action now that will move you towards your goals.

Develop a sense of urgency in your life.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

People take different roads seeking fulfilment and happiness. Just because they're not on your road doesn't mean they've gotten lost.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Pride makes us do things well. But it is love that makes us do them to perfection.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't burn bridges. You'll be surprised how many times you have to cross the same river.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Choose your life's mate carefully. From this one decision will come 90 percent of all your happiness or misery.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Dishonesty is like a boomerang. About the time you think all is well, it hits you in the back of the head.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Apply this simple rule to your conversations: If you wouldn't write it down and sign it, don't say it.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Measure your wealth by what you'd have left if you lost all your money.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that no time is ever wasted that makes two people better friends.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't forget, a person's greatest emotional need is to feel appreciated.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never give up on anybody. Miracles happen everyday.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Live and learn and pass it on.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When you hear a kind word spoken about a friend, tell him so.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Believe in miracles but don't depend on them.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Find a job you like and you add five days to every week.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that the biggest gap in the world is between 'I should' and 'I did.'

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

You can get by on charm for about 15 minutes. After that, you better know something.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

We're constantly striving for success, fame and comfort when all we really need to be happy is someone or some thing to be enthusiastic about.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

No matter how old you get, hug and kiss your mother whenever you greet her.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Always have something beautiful in sight, even if it's just a daisy in a jelly glass

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

If someone offers you a breath mint, accept it.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Love your work, then you will find pleasure in mastering it.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never forget the nine most important words of any family- I love you. You are beautiful. Please forgive me.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

A friend is someone who knows you and loves you for what you were and who you are, and who also shares your hopes and dreams for who you can become.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Earn your success based on service to others, not at the expense of others.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Make a list of twenty-five things you want to experience before you die. Carry it in your wallet or purse and refer to it often.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Life doesn't come with an instruction book; that's why we have fathers.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Never give up on what you really want to do

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Ask yourself if you would feel comfortable giving your two best friends a

key to your house. If not, look for some new best friends.

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May our adversities make us strong. May our victories make us wise.
May our actions make us proud.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Give people a second chance, but not a third.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

It's not your job to get people to like you, it's your job to like people.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

I've learned that every great achievement was once considered
impossible

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Remember that just the moment you say, "I give up," someone else
seeing the same situation is saying, "My, what a great opportunity."

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Lie on your back and look at the stars.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Inflation hasn't ruined everything. A dime can still be used as a
screwdriver.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Don't expect others to listen to your advice and ignore your example.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Mature love is composed and sustaining; a celebration of commitment,
companionship, and trust.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Marrying an old bachelor is like buying second-hand furniture.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When starting out, don't worry about not having enough money. Limited funds are a blessing, not a curse. Nothing encourages creative thinking in quite the same way.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

A true friend encourages us, comforts us, supports us like a big easy chair, offering us a safe refuge from the world.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Regardless of the situation, react with class.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Judge your success by what you had to give up to get it.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Strive for excellence, not perfection.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

You can always tell when a man's well informed. His views are pretty much like your own.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When you are angry or frustrated, what comes out? Whatever it is, it's a good indication of what you're made of.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Make allowances for your friends' imperfections as readily as you do for your own.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When you hug someone, never be the first to let go.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Grind it out. Hanging on just one second longer than your competition makes you the winner.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Read carefully anything that requires your signature. Remember the big print giveth and the small print taketh away.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Tape record your parents' laughter

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

When opportunity knocks, invite it to stay for dinner.

~H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

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