# Immanuel Kant Quotes

Men, Law, Science, Mean, Philosophical, Thinking, Reason, Order, Art, Humanity, Doe, Nature, Two, Inspirational, Philosophy, Knowledge, Happiness, Self, Giving, War Rules for Happiness: something to do, someone to love, something to hope for.

~Immanuel Kant

We can judge the heart of a man by his treatment of animals.

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Two things fill the mind with ever new and increasing admiration and awe, the oftener and more steadily we reflect on them: the starry heavens above me and the moral law within me.

~Immanuel Kant

Always recognize that human individuals are ends, and do not use them as means to your end.

~Immanuel Kant

Three things tell a man: his eyes, his friends and his favorite quotes ~Immanuel Kant

You only know me as you see me, not as I actually am ~Immanuel Kant

The greatest human quest is to know what one must do in order to become a human being.

~Immanuel Kant

All our knowledge begins with the senses, proceeds then to the understanding, and ends with reason. There is nothing higher than reason.

~Immanuel Kant

#### Do the right thing because it is right.

Science is organized knowledge. Wisdom is organized life.

~Immanuel Kant

But a lie is a lie, and in itself intrinsically evil, whether it be told with good or bad intents.

~Immanuel Kant

We are not rich by what we possess but by what we can do without. ~Immanuel Kant

A single line in the Bible has consoled me more than all the books I ever read besides.

~Immanuel Kant

There can be no doubt that all our knowledge begins with experience. ~Immanuel Kant

The only thing permanent is change.

~Immanuel Kant

Experience without theory is blind, but theory without experience is mere intellectual play.

~Immanuel Kant

Every man is to be respected as an absolute end in himself; and it is a crime against the dignity that belongs to him as a human being, to use him as a mere means for some external purpose.

~Immanuel Kant

Look closely. The beautiful may be small.

~Immanuel Kant

I had therefore to remove knowledge, in order to make room for belief.

#### All perception is colored by emotion.

~Immanuel Kant

## Give a man everything he wants and at that moment everything is not everything

~Immanuel Kant

Two things awe me most, the starry sky above me and the moral law within me.

~Immanuel Kant

Morality is not properly the doctrine of how we may make ourselves happy, but how we may make ourselves worthy of happiness. ~Immanuel Kant

For peace to reign on Earth, humans must evolve into new beings who have learned to see the whole first.

~Immanuel Kant

Space and time are the framework within which the mind is constrained to construct its experience of reality.

~Immanuel Kant

Live your life as though your every act were to become a universal law. ~Immanuel Kant

The wise man can change his mind; the stubborn one, never.

~Immanuel Kant

He who is cruel to animals becomes hard also in his dealings with men. We can judge the heart of a man by his treatment of animals.

~Immanuel Kant

THERE ARE TWO THINGS that don't have to mean anything, one is

music and the other is laughter.

~Immanuel Kant

It is never too late to become reasonable and wise.

~Immanuel Kant

There is something splendid about innocence; but what is bad about it, in turn, is that it cannot protect itself very well and is easily seduced. ~Immanuel Kant

A categorical imperative would be one which represented an action as objectively necessary in itself, without reference to any other purpose. ~Immanuel Kant

The human heart refuses To believe in a universe Without a purpose. ~Immanuel Kant

In law a man is guilty when he violates the rights of others. In ethics he is guilty if he only thinks of doing so.

~Immanuel Kant

The two great dividers are religion and LANGUAGE

~Immanuel Kant

Patience is the strength of the weak, impatience is the weakness of the strong.

~Immanuel Kant

Out of the crooked timber of humanity, no straight thing was ever made.

~Immanuel Kant

Immaturity is the incapacity to use one's intelligence without the guidance of another.

~Immanuel Kant

#### There is nothing higher than reason.

~Immanuel Kant

Thoughts without content are empty, intuitions without concepts are blind.

~Immanuel Kant

I am an investigator by inclination. I feel a great thirst for knowledge. ~Immanuel Kant

The existence of the Bible, as a book for the people, is the greatest benefit which the human race has ever experienced. Every attempt to belittle it is a crime against humanity.

~Immanuel Kant

#### Great minds think for themselves.

~Immanuel Kant

The hand is the visible part of the brain.

~Immanuel Kant

Metaphysics is a dark ocean without shores or lighthouse, strewn with many a philosophic wreck.

~Immanuel Kant

If man makes himself a worm he must not complain when he is trodden on.

~Immanuel Kant

It is presumed that there exists a great unity in nature, in respect of the adequacy of a single cause to account for many different kinds of consequences.

~Immanuel Kant

All thought must, directly or indirectly, by way of certain characters, relate ultimately to intuitions, and therefore, with us, to sensibility, because in no other way can an object be given to us.

Have the courage to use your own reason- That is the motto of enlightenment. "Foundations of the Metaphysics of Morals" (1785) ~Immanuel Kant

Ours is an age of criticism, to which everything must be subjected. ~Immanuel Kant

All human knowledge begins with intuitions, proceeds from thence to concepts, and ends with ideas.

~Immanuel Kant

Seek not the favor of the multitude; it is seldom got by honest and lawful means. But seek the testimony of few; and number not voices, but weigh them.

~Immanuel Kant

One is not rich by what one owns, but more by what one is able to do without with dignity.

~Immanuel Kant

A society that is not willing to demand a life of somebody who has taken somebody else's life is simply immoral.

~Immanuel Kant

Dare to know! Have the courage to use your own intelligence!

Act in such a way that you treat humanity, whether in your own person or in the person of any other, never merely as a means to an end, but always at the same time as an end.

~Immanuel Kant

Genius is the ability to independently arrive at and understand concepts that would normally have to be taught by another person.

~Immanuel Kant

By a lie, a man... annihilates his dignity as a man. ~Immanuel Kant

Honesty is better than any policy.

~Immanuel Kant

It is not necessary that whilst I live I live happily; but it is necessary that so long as I live I should live honourably.

~Immanuel Kant

The more we come in contact with animals and observe their behaviour, the more we love them, for we see how great is their care of the young.

~Immanuel Kant

The science of mathematics presents the most brilliant example of how pure reason may successfully enlarge its domain without the aid of experience

~Immanuel Kant

Physicians think they do a lot for a patient when they give his disease a name.

~Immanuel Kant

Thinking in pictures precedes thinking in words.

~Immanuel Kant

Man's duty is to improve himself; to cultivate his mind; and, when he finds himself going astray, to bring the moral law to bear upon himself. ~Immanuel Kant

\*\*\*Three Conditions of Happiness\*\*\* If you have work to do If you have someone you love If You have hope Then You are Happy now! ~Immanuel Kant

The death of dogma is the birth of morality.

~Immanuel Kant

It is often necessary to make a decision on the basis of knowledge sufficient for action but insufficient to satisfy the intellect.

~Immanuel Kant

The wish to talk to God is absurd. We cannot talk to one we cannot comprehend  $\hat{a} \in$  and we cannot comprehend God; we can only believe in Him.

~Immanuel Kant

One who makes himself a worm cannot complain afterwards if people step on him.

~Immanuel Kant

The possession of power inevitably spoils the free use of reason. ~Immanuel Kant

Maturity is having the courage to use one's own intelligence! ~Immanuel Kant

It is through good education that all the good in the world arises.

Ingratitude is the essence of vileness.

~Immanuel Kant

Art is purposiveness without purpose.

~Immanuel Kant

The ultimate destiny of the human race is the greatest moral perfection, provided that it is achieved through human freedom, whereby alone man is capable of the greatest happiness.

~Immanuel Kant

The busier we are, the more acutely we feel that we live, the more conscious we are of life.

~Immanuel Kant

If justice perishes, human life on Earth has lost its meaning. ~Immanuel Kant

Beneficence is a duty; and he who frequently practices it, and sees his benevolent intentions realized comes, at length, really to love him to whom he has done good.

~Immanuel Kant

Reason should investigate its own parameters before declaring its omniscience.

~Immanuel Kant

Happiness is not an ideal of reason, but of imagination.

~Immanuel Kant

Man must be disciplined, for he is by nature raw and wild.

~Immanuel Kant

Our intellect does not draw its laws from nature, but it imposes its laws

upon nature. ~Immanuel Kant

Marriage...is the union of two people of different sexes with a view to the mutual possession of each other's sexual attributes for the duration of their lives.

~Immanuel Kant

When I could have used a wife, I could not support one; and when I could support one, I no longer needed any ~Immanuel Kant

God put a secret art into the forces of Nature so as to enable it to fashion itself out of chaos into a perfect world system.

~Immanuel Kant

God, freedom, and immortality are untenable in the light of pure reason.

~Immanuel Kant

Procrastination is hardly more evil than grasping impatience.

~Immanuel Kant

But although all our knowledge begins with experience, it does not follow that it arises from experience.

~Immanuel Kant

Sincerity is the indispensable ground of all conscientiousness, and by consequence of all heartfelt religion.

~Immanuel Kant

#### Human reason is by nature architectonic.

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~Immanuel Kant

Maximum individuality within maximum community

~Immanuel Kant

If a man is often the subject of conversation he soon becomes the subject of criticism.

~Immanuel Kant

Every human being should always be treated as an end and never as a mere instrument.

~Immanuel Kant

Is it reasonable to assume a purposiveness in all the parts of nature and to deny it to the whole?

~Immanuel Kant

Arrogance is, as it were, a solicitation on the part of one seeking honor for followers, whom he thinks he is entitled to treat with contempt. ~Immanuel Kant

Philosophy stands in need of a science which shall determine the possibility, principles, and extent of human knowledge à priori. ~Immanuel Kant

Humanity is at its greatest perfection in the race of the whites.

~Immanuel Kant

Do what is right, though the world may perish.

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