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When you've found another soul who see's in to your own...take good care of each other..and remember to be kind.

~Jackson Browne

Forget what life used to be, you are what you choose to be. It's whatever it is you see that life will become.

~Jackson Browne

Like, What is the least often heard sentence in the English language? That would be: Say, isn't that the banjo player's Porsche parked outside?

~Jackson Browne

Lighten up while you still can, don't even try to understand. Just find a place to make your stand, and take it easy.

~Jackson Browne

Don't confront me with my failures, I had not forgotten them.

~Jackson Browne

You would think with all the genius and the brilliance of these times, we might find a higher purpose and a better use of mind.

~Jackson Browne

No matter how close to yours another's steps have grown, in the end there is one dance you'll do alone.

~Jackson Browne

We may lose and we may win, but we will never be here again.

~Jackson Browne

I want to find myself a girl who can show me what laughter means, and we'll fill in the missing numbers in each others paint-by-numbers dreams.

~Jackson Browne

I've been aware of the time passing by they say in the end it's the wink of an eye and when the morning light comes streaming in you'll get up and do it again

~Jackson Browne

Let the disappointments pass, let the laughter fill your glass.

~Jackson Browne

Somewhere between the time you arrive and the time you go may lie a reason you were alive, but you'll never know.

~Jackson Browne

You can take as much as you can from the generation that has preceded you, but then it's up to you to make something new.

~Jackson Browne

Do the steps that you've been shown, by everyone you've ever known, until the dance becomes your very own.

~Jackson Browne

I look around for the friends I used to turn to pull me through. Looking into their eyes, I see them running, too.

~Jackson Browne

No matter how fast I run, I can't get away from me.

~Jackson Browne

Looking out at the road rushing under my wheels. Looking back at the years gone by like so many summer fields.

~Jackson Browne

I've also gotten to play in front of a million people in Central Park when

there was a grass roots movement calling for nuclear disarmament - it was about 1982 - they called it Peace Sunday.

~Jackson Browne

Let the music keep our spirits high, let the buildings keep our children dry, let creation reveal its secrets by and bye.

~Jackson Browne

I'm not sure what I'm trying to say, it could be that I've lost my way.

~Jackson Browne

Coffee in the morning, cocaine afternoons.

~Jackson Browne

I grew up reading Shakespeare and Mark Twain.

~Jackson Browne

I'm sensitive, you know, about some things, and as some of my partners could attest to, incredibly insensitive.

~Jackson Browne

Take it easy, take it easyDon't let the sound of your own wheelsDrive you crazy.

~Jackson Browne

But when you know that you've got a real friend somewhere, suddenly all the others are so much easier to bear.

~Jackson Browne

These days I seem to think about the things I forgot to do for you and all the times I had a chance to.

~Jackson Browne

When you turn out the light, I've got to hand it to me. Looks like it's you

and me again tonight Rosie.

~Jackson Browne

You measure peace with guns, progress in megatons. Who's left when the war is won?

~Jackson Browne

And while the future's there for anyone to change, still you know it's seems, It would be easier sometimes to change the past.

~Jackson Browne

So I had a couple of years of playing trumpet. I really enjoyed it, but it was not the kind of instrument you could whip out at a party. Let's face it.

~Jackson Browne

The idea that I wrote something that stood for the way I feel about things, and that it lasts, that's probably my favorite thing that I've done.

~Jackson Browne

Famine and disaster, right there in front of you, and the more you watch, the less you do.

~Jackson Browne

I wrote the song For A Dancer for a friend of mine who died in a fire. He was in the sauna in a house that burned down, so he had no idea anything was going on. It was very sad.

~Jackson Browne

The high ideals and promises you once dressed the future in are dancing in the embers with the wind.

~Jackson Browne

Musician jokes are a kind of joke that usually have to do with how much

money someone makes. Musicians are always starving, so they're really mean to each other about who makes what.

~Jackson Browne

I've written many extra verses to songs that I learned to sing - an extra verse about a friend, or just add some verse - and that led to writing my own songs.

~Jackson Browne

Into a dancer you have grown from the seeds somebody else has sown.

~Jackson Browne

I don't know what happens when people die Can't seem to grasp it as hard as I try It's like a song I can hear playing right in my ear That I can't sing I can't help listening

~Jackson Browne

I want to know what became of the changes we waited for love to bring/Were they only the fitful dreams of some greater awakening?

~Jackson Browne

They sell us the President the same way they sell us our clothes and cars.

~Jackson Browne

It's not like I'm looking to describe something that's only true of my own circumstances. It's beyond. It's way inside, you know. It's reaching inside to something that you have in common with many.

~Jackson Browne

I started playing the trumpet when I was about eight.

~Jackson Browne

That's maybe the most important thing each generation does, is to break a lot of rules and make up their own way of doing things.

~Jackson Browne

Talk about celestial bodies.

~Jackson Browne

The first to come and the last to go, working for that minimum wage.

~Jackson Browne

Very often it's really inconvenient - who you fall in love with. You can't really control it.

~Jackson Browne

And my dad wanted me to play the trumpet because that's what he liked. His idol was Louis Armstrong. My dad thought my teeth came together in a way that was perfect for playing the trumpet.

~Jackson Browne

Say a prayer for the pretender, who started out so young and strong only to surrender.

~Jackson Browne

Got seven women on my mind. Four that want to own me, two that want to stone me, and one says she's a friend of mine.

~Jackson Browne

Now if I seem to be afraidTo live the life that I have made in songWell it's just that I've been losing so long.

~Jackson Browne

More than a career, I feel that I've got a function. I see things in a much more holistic way. Some people bake the bread, and some people write the songs.

~Jackson Browne

Now, guitar was pretty cool. Everybody knew something on the guitar. So I wanted to play guitar, but I told my dad if he wanted me to keep studying something, Id like to study piano.

~Jackson Browne

I'm going to be a happy idiot and struggle for the legal tender.

~Jackson Browne

I'd have to say that my favorite thing is writing a song that really says how I feel, what I believe - and it even explains the world to myself better than I knew it.

~Jackson Browne

Rock me on the water Sister will you soothe my fevered brow Rock me on the water I'll get down to the sea somehow

~Jackson Browne

I let her do some of my laundry and she slipped in a few meals in between, and next thing I remember, she was all moved in.

~Jackson Browne

Oh Lord, are there really people starving still?

~Jackson Browne

Out into the cool of the evening strolls the pretender. He knows that all his hopes and dreams begin and end there.

~Jackson Browne

I don't know where I'm running now, I'm just running on

~Jackson Browne

You've had to struggle, you've had to fight To keep understanding and

compassion in sight You could be laughing at me, you've got the right But you go on smiling so clear and so bright

~Jackson Browne

I was doing my best Bogart, but I was having trouble getting into her jeans.

~Jackson Browne

People look around you, the signs are everywhere. You've left it for somebody other than you to be the one who to care.

~Jackson Browne

I taught myself to play the piano, because I wanted to play it.

~Jackson Browne

I'm losing touch with reality and I'm almost out of blow. It's such a fine line, I hate to see it go. Cocaine, runnin' all 'round my brain.

~Jackson Browne

How long can you hear someone crying - how long can you hear someone dying - before you ask yourself why?

~Jackson Browne

I'm a big fan of British journalists like 'The Independent―s Robert Fisk, but it's hard to find voices like his in the U.S.

~Jackson Browne

It was a great time to be born, because I got to have my own publishing company right from the beginning, so I made more money than somebody would have doing what I did ten or fifteen years before.

~Jackson Browne

My forays into trying to date girls my own age from the school I went to were all pretty tortured.

~Jackson Browne

I never was a very good singer.

~Jackson Browne

I followed those highway signs and I've run down those thin white lines.

~Jackson Browne

I'm Glad that the Bush years are behind us

~Jackson Browne

Make it on your own if you think you can. If you see somewhere to go, I understand.

~Jackson Browne

Well, I'm a standing on a cornerIn Winslow, ArizonaAnd such a fine sight to see,It's a girl, my lord, in a flatbed FordSlowin' down to have a look at me.

~Jackson Browne

Eleven on a scale of ten, honey, let me introduce you to my redneck friend.

~Jackson Browne

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