

Jason Bateman Quotes

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I love a massage. I'd go every day if I could. I don't need to be wrapped in herbs like a salmon fillet, but I do love a massage.

~Jason Bateman

I don't worry about people misinterpreting my kindness for weakness.

~Jason Bateman

Tony Hale is a devout Christian and is a complete retard when it comes to swearing. The script called for him to swear for about 30 seconds and he just couldn't do it.

~Jason Bateman

By definition, gay is smart. I see plenty of macho heterosexual idiots, but nine times out of 10 you can have a great conversation if you find a gay guy.

~Jason Bateman

What's frustrating as an actor, when you want to work hard, you can only work once that phone rings and then you can only work until the production wraps. Then you have to find another job.

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I think anybody who's doing work in their teen years on TV or in the movies, you're a teen idol by default.

~Jason Bateman

Marathons are good training goals.

~Jason Bateman

I actually enjoyed changing diapers and I enjoyed swaddling. I don't mind being swaddled either, on occasion.

~Jason Bateman

My hobbies have varied over the years. There were a whole set of new ones before I got married. Now I spend as much time with my wife, who is my best friend.

~Jason Bateman

I was just a lot smarter about not getting caught. I mean, I never stuck anything in my arm, but I certainly enjoyed my youth.

~Jason Bateman

People have often asked if I'm gay because I don't go out of my way to spit and scratch and give people attitude.

~Jason Bateman

If people are going to complain about stereotyping, it's as likely to be Italian-Americans as gay people.

~Jason Bateman

I really enjoy playing that everyman part because that part is us, the audience. And you need somebody inside a comedy to tether the absurdity to reality.

~Jason Bateman

I don't really find a problem with technology or television, or anything. I'm a product of it. I grew up watching TV, and I don't think I'm too dumb or too crazy.

~Jason Bateman

I don't have anything to fix! I don't smoke, I don't drink, and I don't eat carbs. My life is just great now. Normal. Vanilla.

~Jason Bateman

Directing a movie is the greatest job in the world. I could not be more

envious of the guys who get to do it all the time.

~Jason Bateman

I became an adult before I had a kid, which I highly recommend. I just like to throw her around. She's a really good snuggler, and she likes to give kisses and hugs.

~Jason Bateman

I'm not a Hollywood party guy.

~Jason Bateman

I remember my dad working with me on breaking down my script and writing out a back story for my character and all that stuff.

~Jason Bateman

I'm not a 'celebrity'. I'm not a big huge star and so when people see me it's usually to talk about something I've done and that's a great conversation to have.

~Jason Bateman

It takes some intelligence and insight to figure out you're gay and then a tremendous amount of balls to live it and live it proudly.

~Jason Bateman

If I'm enjoying something, I'd like to be able to just have it all. Frankly, that's the way I'm approaching my career now. I'm a total workaholic.

~Jason Bateman

I'm not much of a party guy anymore.

~Jason Bateman

Improvisation, for me, is when the cameras start rolling, we don't know where we're going and let's just waste people's time and money.

~Jason Bateman

I'm in bed by nine. Let's get on with it.

~Jason Bateman

As an actor, you get hired for what you last did. And I guess it just becomes your choice or obligation to do different things.

~Jason Bateman

Guys like Will Ferrell, Vince Vaughn, Sacha Baron Cohen, they do things you love to watch. I like to do the other half.

~Jason Bateman

Will Arnett is one of the funniest guys I know. He has seen it all and done it all and come out the other end pretty savvy and pretty strong.

~Jason Bateman

I play around with my Japanese Garden. Since I'm half way to 70 today I need to start pruning trees and sharpening plants like an old fart.

~Jason Bateman

I just love doing sitcoms. I'd be in them till I was gray if they'd have me.

~Jason Bateman

Acting is just playing the violin in an orchestra. Directing is being the conductor.

~Jason Bateman

I have to warn you: I bet horses like a girl.

~Jason Bateman

I'm a guy who is a little bit complicated and is a little bit in his own head and is not the most free-spirited, fun-loving kind of guy.

~Jason Bateman

A straight factor is important in any comedy, because you need

something to tee it up and also to ground it.

~Jason Bateman

I can be on a telephone call, and be emailing or texting somebody else, as well. I would imagine everyone appreciates that efficiency of communication. I see it as a huge positive.

~Jason Bateman

I like being hired to do more and more stuff. Carry more and more responsibility. It's nice I'm getting that trust.

~Jason Bateman

Not many get a chance to hit the career re-set button.

~Jason Bateman

Jennifer Aniston and I have always just really gotten along well... I was just fortunate to be a good fit for parts in her films.

~Jason Bateman

I'd worked so hard that by the time I was 20, I wanted to play hard. And I did that really well.

~Jason Bateman

I played a ton of team sports growing up, and team wins are just incredibly gratifying.

~Jason Bateman

I never looked at fan mail, for some reason. My mother and grandmother handled my mail - although it's not like I was ever in the stratosphere of Kirk Cameron or Scott Baio.

~Jason Bateman

I think you get the parts that people are comfortable with seeing you play. I get that. And I don't shy away from those parts.

~Jason Bateman

I would rather do three or four small parts every year as opposed to some of the lower-hanging fruit that might get my name above the title.

~Jason Bateman

There are worse things than being constantly hired to do anything.

~Jason Bateman

When you're actor, you have no idea how much work goes into pre-production. We're just sitting in our trailers waiting for someone to knock on our door to go to the set.

~Jason Bateman

I think the internet is a huge positive.

~Jason Bateman

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