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My parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles were all funny, and I felt that energy, that delivery, that timing, that sarcasm. All that stuff seeped into my brain.

~Jeff Ross

Life is short. You have to be able to laugh at our pain or we never move on.

~Jeff Ross

Do you want me to apologize after every joke? If it doesn't offend somebody it's probably not a joke. It's probably an observation that's not funny. It's gotta offend somebody somewhere.

~Jeff Ross

I've actually tried to roast somebody that I don't like, and it doesn't go well. Either they're a bad sport or I'm not as funny as I could be.

~Jeff Ross

How is it possible that Courtney Love looks worse than Kurt Cobain? ~Jeff Ross

When I see a good singer, I get teary-eyed. Part of it is jealousy because all comedians are frustrated rock stars. That's a fact.

~Jeff Ross

I've always liked cops, as much as you can like a group of people, you know? Sure, I've been hassled, but I'm a white dude - privileged.

~Jeff Ross

Instead of running for President, why don't you try walking on a treadmill?

~Jeff Ross

My life and my career have been a series of happy and not so happy

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accidents.

~Jeff Ross

It really bothers me when some people say that all cops are racist. Of course that's not true. Most of you are just [expletive] to everybody.

~Jeff Ross

I usually have sex to my stand-up comedy album. Power move.

~Jeff Ross

Maybe I'm corny, but I'm a big believer in second chances.

~Jeff Ross

I had a life experience that most of my - that none of my friends had. I remember I became everybody's rabbi. Everybody who needed advice would talk to me, and it became an obvious thing.

~Jeff Ross

Comics just don't retire. They either die young or they go to 100.

~Jeff Ross

I like to roast things from the inside out. I like to know what's going on. ~Jeff Ross

My own personal rule is to tell jokes that I think the person I'm making them about can laugh at, to go home and tell their family, oh, my gosh.

~Jeff Ross

Life is tough, and if we don't laugh, we're going to - our head will explode.

~Jeff Ross

It's very rare that an older comedian sort of slips into an old-school clunker. You know, you don't hear too much of that anymore.

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~Jeff Ross

My best friend is disabled. There's nothing he hates more than being left out of the jokes, to be treated with kid gloves. That's the insult. ~Jeff Ross

As soon as you start analyzing comedy is when the world starts to fall apart, and we're second guessing it. And we are way too sensitive.

I can't defend someone else's jokes. I can only defend my jokes, and I have to live with my own jokes.

~Jeff Ross

~Jeff Ross

You have such a huge career ... behind you.

~Jeff Ross

I would vote for you for President but I'm against big government.

~Jeff Ross

Last time I was in Canada Celine Dion had just given birth to identical twins. Which is quite an achievement given her age and face.

~Jeff Ross

South Park called...they want their everything back.

~Jeff Ross

The good thing about a jail show is nobody gets up and walks out.

~Jeff Ross

Charlie Sheen is to stand-up what Larry Flynt is to standing up.

~Jeff Ross

Ninety percent of all prisoners in all jails get out some day. So why not

give them a little levity in what's otherwise a very dark life? ~Jeff Ross

I'm pretty careful about the things I say ahead of time. I'm thoughtful about not going too far. The only thing you can do occasionally is be too much.

~Jeff Ross

Before you can be all deprecating it's helpful to be self-deprecating. ~Jeff Ross

The real question is how do you stay funny in your 70s and 80s? And that's a real accomplishment, you know, the longevity.

~Jeff Ross

I want the roast to be like a party where everybody goes and has a good time.

~Jeff Ross

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