

Jerry Lewis Quotes

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You might as well like yourself; just think about all the time you're gonna have to spend with you.

~Jerry Lewis

For those who understand, no explanation is needed...For those who don't, none will do.

~Jerry Lewis

When I was a kid, I said to my father one afternoon, 'Daddy, will you take me to the zoo?' He answered, 'If the zoo wants you, let them come and get you.'

~Jerry Lewis

I've had great success being a total idiot.

~Jerry Lewis

It'll keep you alive for another 10 years if you get yourself a laugh once a day: either provoke it, or look around in the wildest laboratory in the world, the public.

~Jerry Lewis

I have some very personal feelings about politics, but I don't get into it because I do comedy already.

~Jerry Lewis

Comedy is a man in trouble. And without it, there's no humor.

~Jerry Lewis

I am probably the most selfish man you will ever meet in your life. No one gets the satisfaction or the joy that I get out of seeing kids realize there is hope.

~Jerry Lewis

Every man's dream is to be able to sink into the arms of a woman

without also falling into her hands.

~Jerry Lewis

The doc told me I had a dual personality. Then he lays an 82 dollar bill on me, so I give him 41 bucks and say, 'Get the other 41 bucks from the other guy.'

~Jerry Lewis

I get paid for what most kids get punished for.

~Jerry Lewis

A woman doing comedy doesn't offend me, but sets me back a bit. I, as a viewer, have trouble with it. I think of her as a producing machine that brings babies in the world.

~Jerry Lewis

The day you're born, you get the pink slip on YOU. Outright ownership. You must only share that life with those that you and only you choose.

~Jerry Lewis

You may catch more flies with honey than vinegar, but you'll get them to work harder if you use a flyswatter.

~Jerry Lewis

I don't want to be remembered. I want the nice words when I can hear them.

~Jerry Lewis

People hate me because I am a multifaceted, talented, wealthy, internationally famous genius.

~Jerry Lewis

Adrenaline is wonderful. It covers pain. It covers dementia. It covers everything.

~Jerry Lewis

Don't give me paper - I can get the same lawyer who drew it up to break it. But if you shake my hand, that's for life.

~Jerry Lewis

Pity? You don't want to be pitied because you're a cripple in a wheelchair? Stay in your house!

~Jerry Lewis

Gambling is part of the human condition. I love it. I have the best time gambling. I've been winning fortunes, and I've been losing them.

~Jerry Lewis

When I was onstage doing the work, adrenaline killed the pain because I never hurt in front of an audience.

~Jerry Lewis

I never got a formal education. So my intellect is my common sense. I don't have anything else going for me. And my common sense opens the door to instinct.

~Jerry Lewis

(The Nutty Professor) was a labor of love. It was a total film. It was the most productive, creative work of my life.

~Jerry Lewis

If you're an old pro, you know how well you're doing when you're doing it, and your inner government spanks you if you're not doing well.

~Jerry Lewis

I turned down 'Some Like It Hot.' See how smart I am? I felt I couldn't bring anything funny to it. The outfit was funny. I don't need to compete with the wardrobe.

~Jerry Lewis

I never tell an audience what they can expect. I never have and I never will. I'm an entertainer for 75 years.

~Jerry Lewis

Make film, shoot film, run film. Do something. Make film. Shoot anything.

~Jerry Lewis

I've had the greatest respect for my work in this country by Americans. Critics have no brains.

~Jerry Lewis

I have nothing against women. As a matter of fact there's something about them that I love, but I just can't put my finger on it.

~Jerry Lewis

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