

# Joe Murray

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Marriage should be a duet - when one sings, the other claps.

~Joe Murray

Removal of an organ is difficult and dangerous. There have been several deaths of healthy donors. I think myself, I would be hesitant to participate as a liver donor. It's a very tricky operation.

~Joe Murray

We're the real estate industry - not the manufacturers.

~Joe Murray

Post-operatively the transplanted kidney functioned immediately with a dramatic improvement in the patient's renal and cardiopulmonary status.

~Joe Murray

I still have a vivid memory of my excitement when I first saw a chart of the periodic table of elements.

~Joe Murray

I do not feel any artist can produce great art without putting great personality into it. It is always a piece of you that goes on the screen or the canvass.

~Joe Murray

Somebody said us artists have trouble with success because art is derived from struggle. I disagree with that, because truly doing your art is success, whether you make money from it or not.

~Joe Murray

With Charles Woods, it was the first time I had ever seen tissue from a dead person used to save a human life. It piqued my curiosity.

~Joe Murray

I had worked on dogs for a couple of years developing a renal transplant operation. We had dogs running around with kidneys we had transplanted back into themselves.

~Joe Murray

The friend that I based Heffer on was adopted, and it all played into his total personality.

~Joe Murray

More and more, I tend to read history. I often find it more up to date than the daily newspapers.

~Joe Murray

Since this was the first and only series I had ever produced, I was unaware of what the "Normal" environment was for a studio. I tried to run it as I did in my SF studio.

~Joe Murray

When I speak to students and they ask how much money you can make in art, as if that is a reason to persue it, I tell them to do something else.

~Joe Murray

Two days prior to the Herrick operation I repaired a double cleft lip, resected a recurrent cancer of the mouth, corrected lop ears in a child, and closed a burn of the buttocks.

~Joe Murray

Sometimes a serendipitous reaction occurs when a network asks you if you have any ideas for a series, at a time when your creative flow is working in that direction.

~Joe Murray

I am constantly getting letters from inconsistancies in the back stories

of these characters.

~Joe Murray

The world turns on a dime, the same now as it always has " which is to say, money makes the world go 'round. It's also what makes the world go spinning out of control.

~Joe Murray

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