

John Scott Quotes

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It seems we are capable of immense love and loyalty, and as capable of deceit and atrocity. It's probably this shocking ambivalence that makes us unique.

~John Scott

Until you see the cross as that which is done by you, you will never appreciate that it is done for you.

~John Scott

I always thought it better to allow myself to doubt before I decided, than to expose myself to the misery, after I had decided, of doubting whether I had decided rightly and justly.

~John Scott

If I had the luxury of working as a full time writer, I think you would see novels appearing on a much more regular, and frequent, basis.

~John Scott

It's always better if you're next door. Ideas come up at the oddest times. They don't always come up in a conference call.

~John Scott

When you commit a serious doping offence you are not eligible for lottery funding.

~John Scott

I got to see first hand what he has done to make this a reality. That has been real rewarding to watch him achieve his dream.

~John Scott

The older I get, the more I seek to use a plain prose style, concentrating more on story.

~John Scott

You look out on the driving range and it looks like snow, but it isn't, it's covered in golf balls.

~John Scott

I don't see myself as experimenting in any conscious way, it's perhaps that certain books require different densities of language.

~John Scott

I have a backlog of novels which I would love to be working on and would be working on if I were not obliged to hold down a full time job.

~John Scott

These days - with the decline of the traditional churches - I'm concerned about where we obtain some form of moral direction.

~John Scott

We've invested millions of dollars in tourism. Now they're trying to industrialize and pollute the ocean. It doesn't make any sense to me at all.

~John Scott

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