

# Kara DioGuardi Quotes

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Listen to the Bee Gees and you can learn to be a great writer.

~Kara DioGuardi

I was a pop-music junkie. My parents were into Frank Sinatra and Doris Day. They weren't too excited when I had Aretha or the Stones pumping.

~Kara DioGuardi

When I look at myself, I'd like not to have hair on the top of the ceiling.

~Kara DioGuardi

I looked a little pasty. But hey, at least I didn't wet myself!

~Kara DioGuardi

The thing that's tricky is sometimes the best voices - just because someone hits the big notes and sounds amazing - it doesn't necessarily mean they make the greatest artists.

~Kara DioGuardi

I have breakups that I can credit to every song. In my twenties, I picked people who would create that dysfunction and drama, so I could draw upon it.

~Kara DioGuardi

Songwriters tell the truth.

~Kara DioGuardi

Some of the best songs that artists perform year after year are ones they hated.

~Kara DioGuardi

I felt like I got more comfortable on "Idol" when I just started being myself and not trying to be what I thought I had to be.

~Kara DioGuardi

I don't go to record stores to look at my albums, but it's always a thrill to see them.

~Kara DioGuardi

Look at someone like Ke\$ha. I wouldn't say she's got the most rangy, incredible voice, but she's got a thing. She stands for something, and people are buying into that.

~Kara DioGuardi

Yeah... I was a singer as a kid. I had a lot of stage fright, and what's happened with "Idol," it has got me past so much of that.

~Kara DioGuardi

Good new songs are the backbone of the music industry. There isn't an artist out there who could survive without hit songs.

~Kara DioGuardi

I can sing in front of people. I can go on a TV show, live, and not feel like I'm going to throw up.

~Kara DioGuardi

I've never been fired in my life.

~Kara DioGuardi

I'm a native New Yorker, so I'm edgier; I kind of tell it like it is.

~Kara DioGuardi

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