

Kelley Armstrong Quotes

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Fighting, Clay, Chloe, Girl, Want, Crazy, Running, Mom, Lying*

I want you to have big dreams, big goals. I want you to strive to achieve them. But I don't want to see you beating yourself up every time you make a mistake.

~Kelley Armstrong

when times are tough, the weak bail and the tough get creative.

~Kelley Armstrong

Wow. The guy can make me feel stupid even when he's telling me I don't have to let him make me feel stupid.

~Kelley Armstrong

The rottweiler stood his ground and waited for me to take the next step in the dance of ritualized intimidation. Instead, I leaped at him. Screw ritual. Now was not the time to stand on ceremony.

~Kelley Armstrong

Kids who don't eavesdrop on adult conversations are doomed to a childhood of ignorance.

~Kelley Armstrong

Remembering. Forgetting. I'm not sure which is worse.

~Kelley Armstrong

A name is so important. A surname connects you to your past, to your family. Even a given name has meaning - why did your parents pick that particular one?

~Kelley Armstrong

First you buy me a mocha. Then you let me help you hide a body. Now you take me to a biker clubhouse. Best. Day. Ever.

~Kelley Armstrong

He was trying to tell me something.' Derek snorted. 'Aren't they all?

Must be a rule in the ghost handbook "if in danger of evaporating, make sure you're in the middle of a dire pronouncement.

~Kelley Armstrong

I grew up writing about the paranormal, and I blame too many Saturday mornings watching Scooby Doo.

~Kelley Armstrong

Cleavage is great," she said. "Like an extra pocket.

~Kelley Armstrong

The truth is, if a werewolf behaved like this psychopath it wouldn't be because he was part animal, but because he was still too human. Only humans kill for sport.

~Kelley Armstrong

You forget, darling, I am the local psychopath." ~Clayton Danvers, Bitten

~Kelley Armstrong

Young writers need to be encouraged to write - just write - with no restrictions on form, style or content.

~Kelley Armstrong

What's next? If there are vampires in there, they probably drink artificial blood plasma substitute.

~Kelley Armstrong

I was very strict on that point. No devouring classmates." Jeremy rolled his eyes. "Other parents warn their kids not to talk to strangers. I had to warn mine not to eat them.

~Kelley Armstrong

Storytelling is my passion, and it rises from a love of reading.

~Kelley Armstrong

Dearly departed, scarcely lamented, deeply demented.

~Kelley Armstrong

Believe me, I have better things to do than sabotage your friendships. No one else's world revolves around you, Cassandra." -Paige to Cassandra

~Kelley Armstrong

He looked at me. "I do know how to deal with demons, Savannah." "I know. Sorry." "So I get a hug?" "No, but I won't smack you, and we'll call it even.

~Kelley Armstrong

Who cared whether you could change motor oil when you could snap a rottweiler's neck in 2.8 seconds? Now there was a practical skill.

~Kelley Armstrong

Oh, my God! It's a killer Pomeranian." I glanced up at Derek. "It's a tough call, but I think you can take him.

~Kelley Armstrong

Another werewolf thing. Like most animals, we spent a large part of our lives engaged in the three Fs of basic survival. Feeding, fighting and... reproduction.

~Kelley Armstrong

And the bad guys love to pick on the defenseless necromancer. This time, though, I swear I won't get kidnapped or possessed. ~Jaime Vegas

~Kelley Armstrong

I called Clay from the SUV. "How'd it go at the paper?" he asked. "She

called me perky." "Ouch.

~Kelley Armstrong

I'd like to see a world where, if a teenager fears she's seeing/hearing things, she feels as comfortable seeking help as she would if she found a lump on her leg.

~Kelley Armstrong

Did you use a chainsaw?" Joey said. "I seem to recall you like chainsaws." "There wasn't a power outlet." Clay turned to me. "That's what I want for Father's Day, darling. A gas powered chainsaw.

~Kelley Armstrong

The three "F"s of being a werewolf, Feeding, Fighting, and...Reproduction

~Kelley Armstrong

Maybe my expectations for honesty are too high.

~Kelley Armstrong

I had to take responsibility, even if it meant saying no to an authority figure, because I was the authority on me.

~Kelley Armstrong

Antonio- "Just in time, Pete. Five more minutes of reading this and she'd have been in a coma." Peter- "Are we such bad company that you'd rather hide out in here reading that old thing?"

~Kelley Armstrong

Let's just say that being able to contact ghosts makes for some very interesting ménage à trois and ménage à quatre, and whatever five is in French. ~Jaime Vegas

~Kelley Armstrong

I didn't need to be rescued." "Sorry, but my sword outranks yours!" she glanced at my hand, "sock puppet.

~Kelley Armstrong

Oddly enough, I find the best hostages are the live ones. - Karl

~Kelley Armstrong

Elena?" "Yes, unless Nick found a woman in the forest, which I suppose wouldn't be too surprising.

~Kelley Armstrong

Bigger room, darling. Like I said, we need a bigger room.

~Kelley Armstrong

A stereotype becomes a stereotype when a significant percentage of the population appears to conform to it.

~Kelley Armstrong

The part about me being an 'okay sorcerer'? 'Not great'? No I believe I missed that. -Lucas Cortez (Dime Store Magic)

~Kelley Armstrong

Einstein theorized that time travel was possible, but he was looking at it as unidirectional, going forward. Traveling into the past is much more problematic, as countless stories have demonstrated!

~Kelley Armstrong

I understand that I may make mistakes with characters who don't share my own background, but I commit to doing my best.

~Kelley Armstrong

Rae burned me. She has matches or something. Look, look..." Tori pulled down the collar of her T-shirt. "Leave your cloths on, Tori," Simon said, raising his hands to his eyes. "Please.

~Kelley Armstrong

There are lots of things in the folklore, like they can only be killed by a silver bullet, that don't realistically work, if you're trying to say they have existed for hundreds of years, unknown.

~Kelley Armstrong

You know children, always playing with the forces of darkness.

~Kelley Armstrong

Are you the welcoming committee? Or has Jeremy finally chained you up to the front gate where you belong?" "I missed you too.

~Kelley Armstrong

no' when no one answered, Derek looked from face to face, then settled his glower in me. 'absolutely not.' 'um, I was the one keeping my mouth shut' I said.

~Kelley Armstrong

Rafe didn't just flirt-he charmed girls right up to the point where they fell for him, then he changed his mind.I called him a player with attention deficit disorder.

~Kelley Armstrong

And he says I have lousy timing

~Kelley Armstrong

It's a road," Corey said, pointing. "A dirt road," Hayley muttered. "So? We've been slogging through the forest for two days. What do you want? A six-lane highway?

~Kelley Armstrong

I'd been staring at the search term for at least five minutes. One word. Necromancer.

~Kelley Armstrong

Well, either you have a compartment under this floor, containing a living person, or the property is infested by giant moles

~Kelley Armstrong

They found me at the kitchen table. Derek said, "There's something we need to tell you," and from the look on Andrew's face, I think he expected Derek to say he'd gotten me pregnant.

~Kelley Armstrong

Last time I was sick, the guy I was seeing brought me a bottle of ginger ale and expected me to pay him back for it. ~Jaime Vegas

~Kelley Armstrong

We're not naked, we're skyclad!

~Kelley Armstrong

Clearly it was time to consider rescheduling that optometrist appointment I'd missed last fall.

~Kelley Armstrong

Maturity is highly overrated.

~Kelley Armstrong

He was tall and scrawny with a face that could be mistaken with Keith Richards on a bad day.

~Kelley Armstrong

Using supernatural beings to build the perfect weapon? Intriguing idea. "Not really," I said. "They did it on Buffy the Vampire Slayer. A sub-par season. I slept through half the episodes.

~Kelley Armstrong

If there's anything I can do- I know there probably isn't, but..." Just be here

~Kelley Armstrong

So consider your options, make your choice and call me home.

~Kelley Armstrong

I got to eavesdrop at a window. As Clay said, I did have another option. I could wait in the car and let them fill me in later. So, eavesdropping it was.

~Kelley Armstrong

Derek picked the spot? Had he been hoping I'd be blinded by the morning sun and stumble off the edge?

~Kelley Armstrong

When I leaned a little too close to the doorway, my inner voice piped up, telling me not to be stupid. The guy with the bionic senses was better equipped for this.

~Kelley Armstrong

I thought you were all-seeing.â€• All-knowing, not all-seeing!â€• he snapped. â€œI'm a God, not Santa Claus!

~Kelley Armstrong

You didn't answer my question. Are you all right?" I didn't do anything" Yeah. You did." He looked at me. "You did a lot" -Chloe & Derek-

~Kelley Armstrong

Here I had a wonderful man who cared for me and I was screwing around with a self-absorbed, conniving monster who'd betrayed me in the worst possible way.

~Kelley Armstrong

He liked women with little butts and big tits? Someone had played with one too many barbie dolls as a kid.

~Kelley Armstrong

Murder? You mean he's dead?" "No. He's resting comfortably," I said. "People always sleep best with their heads at a ninety-degree angle. He looks comfortable, doesn't he?" (Paige & Elena)

~Kelley Armstrong

When I glanced at the chair, it started to shake. I'd like to think it was scared of me, but I rarely invoked that response in living things, let alone inanimate objects.

~Kelley Armstrong

Urban survival rule 22: Never annoy an armed man.

~Kelley Armstrong

Yes, I can talk and think at the same time. Most people can, though I suppose you wouldn't know that from personal experience. Elena (Bitten)

~Kelley Armstrong

Speaking of death, LeBlanc boasted he could kill me in the waiting room. I broke his wrist. He wasn't impressed.

~Kelley Armstrong

Wish all my corpses would do that.

~Kelley Armstrong

I'm behind you." I spun to see Derek. "I can't win," he said. "You're as skittish as a kitten.

~Kelley Armstrong

What am I? Let's just say I won't fetch a stick for you. I won't beg for

treats. And, no matter how nicely you ask, I will not roll over and play dead.

~Kelley Armstrong

"What's wrong?" I didn't say a word." "Something's up. What is it?" "Nothing." His head turned, gaze going to mine. "Yeah?" "Yes." A snort and he returned to his bowl.

~Kelley Armstrong

You bat your baby blues at tall, dark, and gruesome, and next thing you know, he's trailing you like a lost puppy.

~Kelley Armstrong

Wild dogs? Or just Clayton? -Nick Sorrentino (Bitten)

~Kelley Armstrong

Dont talk to the crazy kids. I longed to shout back that we weren't crazy. I'd mistaken her kid for a ghost, that's all.

~Kelley Armstrong

"You wanna fight?" I asked. He looked up at me and, for just a second, hesitated, then said, "Yeah. I do." "Well, I'll save you the trouble. You win.

~Kelley Armstrong

And the lesson is that I should always wear these, so no one asks me to do anything crazy like climb onto a roof. ~Jaime Vegas on why she wears three inch heels on a mission

~Kelley Armstrong

Some women just aren't cut out to be mothers, and unfortunately it had taken Susanna three kids to realize she was one of them.

~Kelley Armstrong

Sure. You get all slutty with Rafe. You freak out. You cry date rape drug.' - Hayley

~Kelley Armstrong

As I recall, I was still dressed when I fell asleep." "Just making sure you were comfortable." "And making yourself equally comfortable, I see.

~Kelley Armstrong

There was no closing my eyes and sliding back into that blissful dream of normal. This was my normal now.

~Kelley Armstrong

Uh-uh. We've played this game before. I hide. You never seek. I'm a bit slow on the uptake, but I'm beginning to sense a pattern.

~Kelley Armstrong

No. Harsh truth was better than comfortable lies. It had to be.

~Kelley Armstrong

If you say 'we're in this together,' I'm going to hurl.

~Kelley Armstrong

My past was a private obstacle, not a public excuse.

~Kelley Armstrong

That's what we all want, isn't it? Power without price.

~Kelley Armstrong

That's what being crazy was, wasn't it? You thought you were fine. Everyone else knew better.

~Kelley Armstrong

It's because when we sneeze, our soul flies out our nose and if no one says 'bless you,' the devil can snatch it.

~Kelley Armstrong

One of the first lessons a necromancer learns is the art of playing dumb. Of course, one problem with playing dumb is that it seeps into your everyday life. ~Jaime Vegas

~Kelley Armstrong

I've spent the last decade learning to stand firm and face my problems—or at least batter them until they're unrecognizable.

~Kelley Armstrong

Never go easy on allies if you have to take them down. Especially allies. You're already fighting the urge not to hurt them. Counteract that and hit them with everything you've got.

~Kelley Armstrong

Tori joined us for dinner --in body, at least. She spent the meal practicing for a role in the next zombie movie, expressionless, methodically moving fork to mouth, sometimes even with food on it.

~Kelley Armstrong

"The stairs aren't challenging enough anymore?" he asked. Antonio laughed. "Challenge has nothing to do with it, Jer. I'd say it's the big bad wolf huffing and puffing at her door up there.

~Kelley Armstrong

"Where's Simon?"..."Is he okay? Why isn't he here?" She glared at Derek. "Where'd you leave him?" "Passed out in an alley." Derek frowned in thought. "Not sure where, though.

~Kelley Armstrong

We have Kenjii. We have my cell phone. Since we aren't officially dating, I'm sure you'll agree that's all the protection we need.

~Kelley Armstrong

I screwed up. Again. You're shocked, I'm sure.

~Kelley Armstrong

One second he was in my face, making me feel stupid and useless.
The next he was like this: hovering, concerned, worried.

~Kelley Armstrong

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