

Kenny G Quotes

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I practice my saxophone three hours a day. I'm not saying I'm particularly special, but if you do something three hours a day for forty years, you get pretty good at it.

~Kenny G

The whole rise of new adult contemporary music and smooth jazz was a nice surprise.

~Kenny G

I really create everything I do from the heart.

~Kenny G

I think everybody has to kind of decide what the word 'jazz' means to them, and that's fine.

~Kenny G

Maybe the biggest thing that I've learned musically is that anything is possible. Things can work when maybe they don't seem like they can.

~Kenny G

What is music anyway? It's a form of communication, and that's why I play the kind of music that I think - that I hope - can communicate with people.

~Kenny G

I approach everything in my life the same way; if it feels right, I know it.

~Kenny G

I've learned that you simply can't control those bad vibes.

~Kenny G

Just figure out what you think jazz is, and then if it fits into that category, it's jazz, and if it doesn't, it isn't. It's no big deal.

~Kenny G

I learned so much about playing and touring being on the road and in the studio with Jeff, but I'd always played a lot of gigs in Seattle even prior to joining the Fusion.

~Kenny G

I'm responsive to my public, but I also follow my heart.

~Kenny G

That's my ideal day, time with my boys.

~Kenny G

Finally, I was no longer a student and was making music for myself.

~Kenny G

Being a purely instrumental album, it makes a musical statement, not a religious one, and I hope that people can feel the emotion of the great melodies, even without the words.

~Kenny G

If I even lose my glasses or make a mistake. I become really disappointed in myself.

~Kenny G

When I play live, I feel how the audience is going and follow and lead at the same time.

~Kenny G

The Moment is an album that contains the best music I have ever produced.

~Kenny G

I've never really played golf. With the sax, I learned technique well enough so that it feels like part of my body, and I just express myself. That's where I want to get in golf.

~Kenny G

Maybe I'm a dreamer, but I think the ordinary guy has just as much right to say 'This is a good song' as somebody who is in the music business.

~Kenny G

It's important to let each artist do what makes him or her feel comfortable. Success should be a by-product of that.

~Kenny G

Just because people play songs with great technique doesn't mean the records are better.

~Kenny G

It wasn't until Duotones that I felt my true voice come out.

~Kenny G

The criticism is that it's too simple, but my feeling is it's more of a challenge making someone feel an emotion in four notes than in 25 notes.

~Kenny G

I'm just more into playing golf. It's a great thing.

~Kenny G

There are a few countries that, for whatever reason, really enjoy listening to my music.

~Kenny G

Well, Grover Washington was my main influence and when I went to college, I started listening to more of the jazz masters like Sonny Rollins, Cannonball Adderley, and John Coltrane.

~Kenny G

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