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If I don't have an outlet in which to express myself...throug h songwriting or other mediums...I get a bit jittery.

~Laura Marling

A friend is a friend forever And a good one will never leave, never ~Laura Marling

I'm a bit of a magpie: whatever I see or hear or read feeds into the songs.

~Laura Marling

Oh! To not need cognitive justification for every single thing. Wouldn't that be a life?

~Laura Marling

I was an incredibly misanthrope. I couldn't relate to people my age, and I'm not sure why, as I wasn't particularly smart or interesting ~Laura Marling

I feel sometimes that I'm in a constant state of being lost in translation, and I guess that why I write songs.

~Laura Marling

Womanhood is something you don't consider until it hits you.

~Laura Marling

Age is relative. Experience is relative. And I think often intensity is confused with maturity.

~Laura Marling

It took a lot of time and practice for me to realise that there's no point trying to be something you're not.

No one starts playing my kind of music to make a fortune. But I do want to keep doing what I do and I do want to continue selling records. And I would, eventually, quite like some money.

~Laura Marling

I don't need to sell tons of records, but I want longevity. I want to make music for the rest of my life.

~Laura Marling

I know how ridiculous this sounds because of the job I do but I don't believe in romanticism and make-believe.

~Laura Marling

It's hard to accept yourself as someone you don't desire / As someone you don't want to be.

~Laura Marling

I made an important decision, which was to pursue happiness. Rather than accept unhappiness. That's why I'm here, and it's great. I'm in a very good place in my life.

~Laura Marling

I can't give up that quick My life is a candle and a wick You can put it out, but you can't break it down In the end we are waiting to be lit ~Laura Marling

I'm a lot more observational than personal in my writing. My writing is mostly a lot of questions without answers.

~Laura Marling

There's huge amounts of nonsense that goes with everything surrounding music and art. All the things you have to do promote yourself - there's huge amounts of nonsense.

Lover please do not fall to your knees it's not like I believe in everlasting love

~Laura Marling

I'm not religious, I'm not romantic and I live purely by logic. I make every decision by logic and sometimes that leads me to the right and sometimes to the wrong decision.

~Laura Marling

But if i sit here and weep I'll be blown over by the slightest of breeze ~Laura Marling

My reaction to everything in life is when it gets a bit complicated to water it down and make it simple again.

~Laura Marling

I do so hate to be forced to be anything than other than what I am.

~Laura Marling

I'm reluctantly interested in love and helplessly interested in logic and yet they're so conflicting. And they're both necessary for a happy balance, a happy existence... I think.

~Laura Marling

I feel increasingly like age is very irrelevant. Quite often, cynicism is confused with wisdom, and my scorn is confused with a knowing, which I don't have.

~Laura Marling

I thought â€~I wonder what will happen if I try and root myself somewhere?â€~ Look back over the past eight years.

~Laura Marling

Why fear death? Be scared of living.

~Laura Marling

I need some isolation, it's necessary to me, that's just who I am. I need to be left alone.

~Laura Marling

I'd prefer to be good, but I'm not always. I struggle.

~Laura Marling

I'd like to make music for as long as I can; it feels like something I need to do.

~Laura Marling

I think your most intimate thoughts are only honest when they're in your head.

~Laura Marling

I definitely tell things at arm's length but that is conscious. No part of me wants everybody to know what's going on.

~Laura Marling

All my songs come from me because I only seem able to write about myself and my experiences.

~Laura Marling

I get up, go and get a coffee, and go do the crossword - I'm loyal to one particular paper, the 'Guardian' - and that's my idea of a perfect morning.

~Laura Marling

Take me somewhere I can grow Give me something let me go Tell me something I don't know

I'm incredibly neurotic and a control freak. I like the thought that if there's going to be anyone to blame it's going to be me.

~Laura Marling

People think I look odd onstage. But the way I deal with being incredibly nervous is by concentrating really hard.

~Laura Marling

Now that I'm feeling the responsibilities of adulthood, the choices we make become an incredible weight.

~Laura Marling

My songs are not pretty. They're what I call optimistic realism.

~Laura Marling

I've always loved books by the Bronte sisters. I love Jane Austen, too. I'm more influenced by people like her than by pop culture.

~Laura Marling

When a song wants to be written, it will be written.

~Laura Marling

I'm the first to admit that I'm still pretty young.

~Laura Marling

I think I'll feel out of place wherever I go on earth, forever. But that's fine. I have to make my peace with that.

~Laura Marling

I am quite competitive. In stupid things like card games.

~Laura Marling

I like living in the city, but I like being able to get out of it as and when I like.

~Laura Marling

There's a house across the river, but alas, I cannot swim I'll live my life regretting that I never jumped in

~Laura Marling

I love the way you can fall in love with a piece of literature; how words alone can get your heart doing that.

~Laura Marling

The romanticised life, where all the great poetry and music and art of the world comes from, is great but it requires a lot of self-indulgence.

~Laura Marling

I speak because I can to anyone I trust enough to listen.

~Laura Marling

Living in L.A., I was completely lost - and I enjoyed it.

~Laura Marling

I feel like I'm creeping closer to finding the situation that triggers songwriting, which is obviously an extreme of an emotion.

~Laura Marling

I find it dull when my heart meets my mind

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