

Laurell K. Hamilton

Quotes

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Hurt, Hate, Giving, Trying, Nice, Mean, Fighting, Ifs, Book*

There are wounds that never show on the body that are deeper and more hurtful than anything that bleeds.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I love animals, always have, and it seemed natural to help the ASPCA. Animals have no voice of their own, so we have to be that voice

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I`m not a morning person.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I am not a morning person.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I always treated writing as a profession, never as a hobby. If you don't believe in yourself, no one else will.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Remember your personal demons should be afraid of you, because you are their home, their food, and as you heal, their executioner.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You'd think a sociopath assassin wouldn't have a fan following but he does

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Zebrowski says that if you killed someone else just hide the body, he's not starting over on the paperwork.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Never trust people who smile constantly. They're either selling something or not very bright.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

My writing style is very sensual, as in sensory detail

~Laurell K. Hamilton

When sex is necessary for the plot of a book, or a character development, then I don't shy away from it. Why should I?

~Laurell K. Hamilton

The best lies are always at least partially true.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I'm not terribly fond of soapboxes.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Can the sarcasm,' he said. 'Please, I always use fresh sarcasm, never canned.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Love sucks. Sometimes it feels good. Sometimes it's just another way to bleed.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

The fey in this country keep to themselves, and are a separate nation, much like the American Indians, but with even more autonomy.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Giving up something that no longer serves a purpose, or protects you, or helps you, isn't giving up at all, it's growing up.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

was a clear, pale blue like the eyes of a Siberian husky dog. Human beings just didn't have eyes like that.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

By 17, I was submitting to publications and collecting my first rejection

slips.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Some issues stay fresh every time you open them up. It's like evil magical Tupperware -- it stays fresh forever.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You either mellow at 30, or your head explodes - take your choice.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I wasn't crying, my eyes were running. My eyes were running because there were pieces of zombies all over my toys. Jesus.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

The true way to a man's heart is six inches of metal between his ribs." You have to love Anita Blake.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I think that my vampires in general were influenced by my being allowed to watch the Hammer vampire films. Vampire Circus, also shown as Circus of Fear, was one of those movies

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I want a kiss to be so believable it gives the reader shivers.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Ma petite is not a subtle woman. Unless you say it, she will not understand it.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Sometimes you deal with the devil not because you want to, but because if you don't, someone else will.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I will bathe in your warmth ma petite. Roll you around me until my heart beats only for you. My breath will grow warm from your kiss.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Never throw stones if you think they're going to come back and hit you.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Feelings are never stupid, they just make us feel stupid sometimes.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Fear, the strength of earth's religions, gripping every living soul, Was a monstrous human error for the making of men whole.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Love is too precious to be ashamed of.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

It's not about winning, Haven. I'm not a prize to be won. I'm not the princess that needs rescuing from the dragon. I'm the prince and I kill my own monsters. You need to be ok with that. -Anita Blake

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Here's the secret to finishing that first book. Don't rewrite as you go.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You look wonderful", Jason said. "No compliments, Jason. I'm uncomfortable enough in the lingerie." "Then by all means take it off.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

The only true happiness lies in knowing who you are ... and making peace with it.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Most hatred is based on fear, one way or another. Yeah. I wrapped

myself in anger, with a dash of hate, and at the bottom of it all was an icy center of pure terror.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

No name-calling truly bites deep unless, in some dark part of us, we believe it. If we are confident enough then it is just noise.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Nothing is more appealing than a handsome man who is also uncertain of himself.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I am sincere, ma petite, even when I lie.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

People are supposed to fear the unknown, but ignorance is bliss when knowledge is so damn frightening.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Before I knew you, I thought brave was not being afraid. You've taught me that bravery is being terrified and doing it anyway.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Heroes don't get anything but dead.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

There are a thousand ways to hurt someone you love that have nothing to do with physical violence.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

One of my rules is never explain. A writer is a lot like a magician, if you explain how the trick works then a lot of the magic turns mundane.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I loved him, but love isn't enough. All the fairy tales, the romance novels, the soap operas; they're all lies. Love does not conquer all.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

The truth may not set you free, but used carefully, it can confuse the hell out of your enemies.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

There's Only so much emotional super glue in a person's soul, that everything just stays broken.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You smell of other peoples blood, ma petite. It was no one you know.

-Jean Claude and Anita

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Some people just don't seem to understand the concept of fiction. It is fiction; it ain't true, folks

~Laurell K. Hamilton

When crime busting is easier than your personal life, something has gone seriously wrong.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

One of my favorite things about hanging out with the monsters is the healing. Straight humans seemed to get killed on me a lot. Monsters survived. Let's hear it for the monsters.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Richard was a riddle with no answer, and I was tired of playing a game I couldn't win.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

What we prefer to read is sort of like sexual preference, you like what

you like. Most of the time you have no clue why.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I think like a detective.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Anyone who tells you size doesn't matter has been seeing too many small knives.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Hope will lie to you, but lust is what it is; it never lies.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Everyone spends their lives trying to balance their world between good and evil.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

One thing I've learned about vampires--they keep pulling new rabbits out of their cloaks. Big, fanged, carnivorous bunnies that'll eat your eyeballs if you're not paying attention.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You fight so hard, so long, to cut someone out of your heart, but it's not always your heart that betrays you.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Some moments are perfect, and then someone comes along and f*cks it up. Ain't it always the way.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Nothing is certain, ma petite, not even death." - Jean-Claude

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Maybe they know what I know, that the true way to a man's heart is six

inches of metal between his ribs. Sometimes four inches will do the job, but to be really sure, I like to have six.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

You take insult where none is intended, but if you will find insult where none is meant, then perhaps I should try harder to insult on purpose.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

What happens in Vegas may stay in Vegas, but what happens in New Orleans, goes home with you.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

There's no one so self-righteous as someone policing someone else's morality.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Zerbrowski said, "I only ever understood one woman, and she was kind enough to marry me so I didn't have to decipher anyone else.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Nothing turns to hate so bitter as what once was love.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Never argue with your characters; they know themselves better than you do

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Now that I'm being very successful, publishers are trying to mainstream me, but I'm unabashedly genre. It's what I like to read, what I like to write

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I like conventions. I like meeting and greeting. I'm perched on that edge where I'm getting more attention than I quite know what to do with,

though.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Sometimes good and evil aren't so much opposites as two sides of a coin. You toss it one way and it looks good, another way and it's evil, sometimes it just depends on which end of the gun you're on.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

It's better to be loved than feared, but if you can't be loved, then fear will do.-Dino quoting Machiavelli

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Your heart is not a wound to be poked at to see if the scab is ready to come off. You can be healed of that very old pain, if you'll just let it happen. (Marianne)

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I know the universe has a sense of irony, and sometimes you get reminded just how sadistic that can be.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

If you only believe when it's easy, you don't really believe.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Mercy will get you killed, but sometimes it's all that makes us human.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I enjoy my anger, it's the only hobby I have.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I used to think I knew what was right and what was wrong, and who the good guys are, and who the bad guys are. Then the world got very gray, and I didn't know anything for a long time

~Laurell K. Hamilton

What is it about her that is so goddamned special?

~Laurell K. Hamilton

It was as if the power and loneliness of the vampires' world had combined with the group oriented puppy-pile world of the shapeshifters and made something new.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Hatred is a cold fire, and it gives no warmth.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I feel that if you are blessed, or lucky enough, to be doing well, you should help others.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I'd never met coffee that wasn't wonderful. It was just a matter of how wonderful it was.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Power makes you a monarch, and all the fancy robes in the world won't do the job without it.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I started off like everyone else does, slogging but having a compulsion to put words on paper. I didn't write or read horror or fantasy, other than children's fantasy, until I was in my teens

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Why is it that most things you might willingly do under other circumstances become distasteful when you have no choice?

~Laurell K. Hamilton

One of the things cops learn first is that everyone lies. Some people to hide things, some people just for the hell of it, but everyone lies.

Assume that everyone is hiding something, it saves time.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Rafael, the Rat King, stared at the carnage with black-button eyes.
"She is dead." "Ding dong, the witch is dead."

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Most of the monsters... are based on some sort of mythology. Every culture and even some geographical areas have monsters and mythology that is their own.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

A girl could never have too much jewelry or too much weaponry.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Fear will keep you alive; indifference won't.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Love mattered, in the end. A house without love would always fall, maybe not today or tomorrow, but in the end without love nothing could endure.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Hatred makes us all ugly.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I am a very linear thinker, so I write beginning to end. I write hundreds of pages per book that never make it into print

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I try not to worry about rewriting books that worked well the first time. I'm too busy writing new books to worry about things that are already in print

~Laurell K. Hamilton

If I'd been easily discouraged, I could have been a one-hit wonder

~Laurell K. Hamilton

I'd have much rather gotten dragged into someone else's fight than face what was waiting for me. Other people's emotional pain, no matter how painful, is so much less painful than your own.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Everyone has their weaknesses. Some people smoke. I collect stuffed penguins. If you won't tell, I won't.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

Twenty-three stories up and all I could see out the windows was grey smog. They could call it the City of the Angels if they wanted to, but if there were angels out there, they had to be flying blind.

~Laurell K. Hamilton

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