# Lauren Beukes Quotes

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She would disappear folded like origami into her own dreams

~Lauren Beukes

Traffic in Joburg is like the democratic process. Every time you think it's going to get moving and take you somewhere, you hit another jam.

~Lauren Beukes

Fashion is only different skins for different flavours of you.

~Lauren Beukes

There are only so many plots in the world. It's how they unfold that makes them interesting.

~Lauren Beukes

Can't reinvent the wheel. But you can put your own spin on it.

~Lauren Beukes

The problem with snapshots is that they replace actual memories. You lock down the moment and it becomes all there is of it.

~Lauren Beukes

Everyone lives three versions of themselves; a public life, a private life and a secret life.

~Lauren Beukes

There are patterns because we try to find them. A desperate attempt at order because we can't face the terror that it might all be random.

~Lauren Beukes

The biggest fairy tale is that justice works because it doesn't.

~Lauren Beukes

The future is not as loud as war, but it is relentless. It has a terrible fury all its own.

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Memory is curated. All this paraphernalia you collect to ward off forgetting

~Lauren Beukes

It's hard to get justice in the real world. It's possible in fiction.

~Lauren Beukes

You have to get up pretty early in the morning to invent the news.

~Lauren Beukes

Only other people can make you feel real.

~Lauren Beukes

What I love about collaborating is that you're working with other minds that work differently to yours.

~Lauren Beukes

World needs more angels, even plywood ones.

~Lauren Beukes

People don't want novelty - they want the reassurance of familiarity. No-one wants to be challenged, no-one wants to have their minds blown. There is an insatiable appetite for affirmation.

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