

Lea Thompson Quotes

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Red Dawn was really the most fun I ever had making a movie, because I love Westerns, and I love the idea of being a tomboy, and riding horses and shooting guns.

~Lea Thompson

Of course, I'd like to produce and direct a blockbuster, but you gotta build up to that. So now I'm learning from a bunch of little movies. And it's more fun with smaller pictures. It's more creative.

~Lea Thompson

I love really crappy carnivals, where you think the ride is going to break. There's something so seedy about them.

~Lea Thompson

In my deepest parts of sadness, I'm always making a joke or being sarcastic.

~Lea Thompson

And I definitely gravitate toward people who use laughter to pull themselves out of the abyss.

~Lea Thompson

It's hard not to want to strangle people when you work with them for four years.

~Lea Thompson

My mother told me to raise my kids with calculated neglect. They get their self-worth from doing what they can do and not having everything done for them.

~Lea Thompson

I think it's really hard to understand the depths and the power of the love that someone has for their children unless you really have children.

~Lea Thompson

Very good in the Back to the Future movies, but was born to play Caroline in the City.

~Lea Thompson

I only grow hair in places that men like.

~Lea Thompson

I don't even know how to swim!

~Lea Thompson

My kids can't watch ('Howard the Duck'). By the time I get in bed with the duck, they are, like, 'Turn it off, mom. You in bed with a duck is just pretty much a deal breaker.'

~Lea Thompson

Supporting myself at an early age was the best training for life I could have possibly received.

~Lea Thompson

Usually, you don't really end up lifelong buddies with your co-stars.

~Lea Thompson

It's actually shocking to me how hard it's been to get back into the movie business.

~Lea Thompson

'Caroline In The City' was such an interesting thing, because I'd never been on the set of a sitcom or even auditioned for a sitcom when they gave me that part.

~Lea Thompson

One thing the futurists never get right, though, is that the extreme

desire for polyester only lasted a brief period in the '70s!

~Lea Thompson

'Red Dawn' was very resonant with a lot of people - they love that movie. I always thought it was a little hysterical.

~Lea Thompson

The whole experience of doing a sitcom is... Telling jokes with such precision is really exciting, but it's also terrifying.

~Lea Thompson

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