

Lydia Sigourney Quotes

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Mothers, whatever you wish your children to become, strive to exhibit in your own lives and conversation.

~Lydia Sigourney

We speak of educating our children. Do we know that our children also educate us?

~Lydia Sigourney

The strength of a nation, especially of a republican nation, is in the intelligent and well ordered homes of the people.

~Lydia Sigourney

Pride is a fruitful source of uneasiness. It keeps the mind in disquiet. Humility is the antidote to this evil.

~Lydia Sigourney

Fear is the white lipp'd sire Of subterfuge and treachery.

~Lydia Sigourney

The glorified spirit of the infant is as a star to guide the mother to its own blissful clime.

~Lydia Sigourney

There must be some mixture of happiness in everything but sin.

~Lydia Sigourney

The true order of learning should be first, what is necessary; second, what is useful, and third, what is ornamental. To reverse this arrangement is like beginning to build at the top of the edifice.

~Lydia Sigourney

As nothing truly valuable can be attained without industry, so there can be no persevering industry without a deep sense of the value of time.

~Lydia Sigourney

Something will be gathered from the tablets of the most faultless day for regrets.

~Lydia Sigourney

Figure to yourself what the year would sustain were the spring taken away: such a loss do they sustain who trifle in youth.

~Lydia Sigourney

A disposition to dwell on the bright side...is like gold to its possessor.

~Lydia Sigourney

The soul of woman lives in love.

~Lydia Sigourney

Prosperity, alas! is often but another name for pride.

~Lydia Sigourney

There is a lore simple and sure, that asks no discipline of weary years--the language of the soul, told through the eye.

~Lydia Sigourney

Praise to our Father-God, High praise in solemn lay, Alike for what His hand hath given, And what it takes away.

~Lydia Sigourney

An appearance of delicacy is inseparable from sweetness and gentleness of character.

~Lydia Sigourney

The vanity of shining in conversation is usually subversive of its own desires.

~Lydia Sigourney

Vigorous exercise will often fortify a feeble constitution.

~Lydia Sigourney

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