

Marcel Marceau

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Communication, Flames, Knows, Thinking, Soul, Music, Giving, Waste,
Inspirational, Practice*

Mime makes the invisible, visible and the visible, invisible.

~Marcel Marceau

Never get a mime talking. He won't stop.

~Marcel Marceau

Chaplin made me laugh and cry without saying a word. I had an instinct. I was touched by the soul of Chaplin - Mime is not an imitator but a creator.

~Marcel Marceau

Life is a cycle, and mime is particularly suitable for showing fluidity, transformation, metamorphosis. Words can keep people apart; mime can be a bridge between them.

~Marcel Marceau

To communicate through silence is a link between the thoughts of man.

~Marcel Marceau

Mime, like music, knows neither borders nor nationalities.

~Marcel Marceau

In a moment of grace, we can grasp eternity in the palm of our hand. This is the gift given to creative individuals who can identify with the mysteries of life through art.

~Marcel Marceau

Music and silence combine strongly because music is done with silence, and silence is full of music.

~Marcel Marceau

Do not the most moving moments of our lives find us without words?

~Marcel Marceau

It's good to shut up sometimes.

~Marcel Marceau

A mime is a terrible thing to waste.

~Marcel Marceau

What sculptors do is represent the essence of gesture. What is important in mime is attitude.

~Marcel Marceau

Words can be deceitful, but pantomime necessarily is simple, clear and direct

~Marcel Marceau

In silence and movement you can show the reflection of people.

~Marcel Marceau

Silence is like a flame, you see?

~Marcel Marceau

Music conveys moods and images. Even in opera, where plots deal with the structure of destiny, it's music, not words, that provides power.

~Marcel Marceau

Fathers, I do not practice. I'm not religious in life, but when I perform "The Creation of the World" and when my soul is touched by the confrontation of "Good and Evil," then God enters in me.

~Marcel Marceau

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