

# Marion Milner

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*Thinking, Life, Giving, Worry, Feelings, Passion, Likes, Trying, Understanding,  
Alive, Language, Roots, Acceptance, Causes, Achievement, Happiness,  
Sometimes, Cutting, Blood, Sacrifice*

I began to have an idea of my life, not as slow shaping of achievement to fit my preconceived purposes, but as the gradual discovery and growth of a purpose which I did not know.

~Marion Milner

There seemed to be endless obstacles - it seemed that the root cause of them all was fear.

~Marion Milner

The growth of understanding follows an ascending spiral rather than a straight line.

~Marion Milner

I used to worry about what life was for - now being alive seems sufficient reason.

~Marion Milner

The aim of the painting is that the eye should find out what it likes.

~Marion Milner

It's weak and despicable to go on wanting things and not trying to get them.

~Marion Milner

Perhaps if one really knew when one was happy one would know the things that were necessary in one's life.

~Marion Milner

Colour is, on the evidence of language alone, very bound up with the feelings.

~Marion Milner

I came to the conclusion then that "continual mindfulness" . . . must mean, not a sergeantmajor-like drilling of thoughts, but a continual

readiness to accept whatever came.

~Marion Milner

I want to draw and study a few things closely by feeling, not thinking.

~Marion Milner

Love is not getting, but giving. It is sacrifice. And sacrifice is glorious!

~Marion Milner

Sometimes I find that in my happy moments I could not believe that I had ever been miserable.

~Marion Milner

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