

Mark Twain Quotes

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Truth*

Never argue with stupid people, they will drag you down to their level and then beat you with experience.

~Mark Twain

Life is short, Break the Rules. Forgive quickly, Kiss slowly. Love truly. Laugh uncontrollably And never regret ANYTHING That makes you smile.

~Mark Twain

Keep away from people who try to belittle your ambitions. Small people always do that, but the really great make you feel that you, too, can become great.

~Mark Twain

Politicians and diapers must be changed often, and for the same reason.

~Mark Twain

Kindness is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see.

~Mark Twain

The two most important days in your life are the day you are born and the day you find out why.

~Mark Twain

If you don't read the newspaper, you're uninformed. If you read the newspaper, you're mis-informed.

~Mark Twain

The more I learn about people, the more I like my dog.

~Mark Twain

How easy it is to make people believe a lie, and [how] hard it is to undo

that work again!

~Mark Twain

You meet people who forget you. You forget people you meet. But sometimes you meet those people you can't forget. Those are your 'friends

~Mark Twain

Give every day the chance to become the most beautiful day of your life.

~Mark Twain

Never allow someone to be your priority while allowing yourself to be their option.

~Mark Twain

Age is an issue of mind over matter. If you don't mind, it doesn't matter.

~Mark Twain

If voting made any difference they wouldn't let us do it.

~Mark Twain

Worrying is like paying a debt you don't owe.

~Mark Twain

To be great, truly great, you have to be the kind of person who makes the others around you great.

~Mark Twain

The secret of getting ahead is getting started. The secret of getting started is breaking your complex overwhelming tasks into small manageable tasks, and starting on the first one.

~Mark Twain

Suppose you were an idiot, and suppose you were a member of Congress; but I repeat myself.

~Mark Twain

The trouble with the world is not that people know too little; it's that they know so many things that just aren't so.

~Mark Twain

Forgiveness is the fragrance the violet sheds on the heel that has crushed it.

~Mark Twain

Whenever you find yourself on the side of the majority, it is time to pause and reflect.

~Mark Twain

Success is a journey, not a destination. It requires constant effort, vigilance and reevaluation.

~Mark Twain

When I was 17, my father was so stupid, I didn't want to be seen with him in public. When I was 24, I was amazed at how much the old man had learned in just 7 years.

~Mark Twain

Why waste your money looking up your family tree? Just go into politics and your opponent will do it for you.

~Mark Twain

Just because you're taught that something's right and everyone believes it's right, it don't make it right.

~Mark Twain

Anger is an acid that can do more harm to the vessel in which it is

stored than to anything on which it is poured.

~Mark Twain

If we would learn what the human race really is at bottom, we need only observe it in election times.

~Mark Twain

Focus more on your desire than on your doubt, and the dream will take care of itself.

~Mark Twain

If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything.

~Mark Twain

No amount of evidence will ever persuade an idiot

~Mark Twain

God created war so that Americans would learn geography.

~Mark Twain

Continuous improvement is better than delayed perfection.

~Mark Twain

Of all God's creatures, there is only one that cannot be made slave of the leash. That one is the cat. If man could be crossed with the cat it would improve the man, but it would deteriorate the cat.

~Mark Twain

The average woman would rather have beauty than brains, because the average man can see better than he can think.

~Mark Twain

If you pick up a starving dog and make him prosperous he will not bite you. This is the principal difference between a dog and man.

~Mark Twain

Some people get an education without going to college. The rest get it after they get out.

~Mark Twain

Never put off till tomorrow what you can do day after tomorrow just as well.

~Mark Twain

The trouble is not in dying for a friend, but in finding a friend worth dying for.

~Mark Twain

Do the right thing. It will gratify some people and astonish the rest.

~Mark Twain

If we were meant to talk more than listen, we would have two mouths and one ear.

~Mark Twain

The only way to keep your health is to eat what you don't want, drink what you don't like, and do what you'd rather not.

~Mark Twain

It's better to be an optimist who is sometimes wrong than a pessimist who is always right

~Mark Twain

Good judgement is the result of experience and experience the result of bad judgement.

~Mark Twain

Never argue with a fool, onlookers may not be able to tell the

difference.

~Mark Twain

Be careful about reading health books. You may die of a misprint.

~Mark Twain

You feel mighty free and easy and comfortable on a raft.

~Mark Twain

It's no wonder that truth is stranger than fiction. Fiction has to make sense.

~Mark Twain

Don't go around saying the world owes you a living. The world owes you nothing. It was here first.

~Mark Twain

An open mind leaves a chance for someone to drop a worthwhile thought in it.

~Mark Twain

I do not fear death. I had been dead for billions and billions of years before I was born, and had not suffered the slightest inconvenience from it.

~Mark Twain

He who asks is a fool for five minutes, but he who does not ask remains a fool forever.

~Mark Twain

Most people can't bear to sit in church for an hour on Sundays. How are they supposed to live somewhere very similar to it for eternity?

~Mark Twain

There was never yet an uninteresting life. Such a thing is an impossibility. Inside of the dullest exterior there is a drama, a comedy, and a tragedy.

~Mark Twain

Wrinkles should merely indicate where smiles have been.

~Mark Twain

The best way to cheer yourself up is to try to cheer somebody else up.

~Mark Twain

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If you have no will to change it, you have no right to criticize it.

~Mark Twain

The dog is a gentleman; I hope to go to his heaven not man's.

~Mark Twain

Courage is resistance to fear, mastery of fear, not absence of fear.

~Mark Twain

Education: the path from cocky ignorance to miserable uncertainty.

~Mark Twain

Prohibition only drives drunkenness behind doors and into dark places, and does not cure it or even diminish it.

~Mark Twain

The lack of money is the root of all evil.

~Mark Twain

Those who do not read have no advantage over those who cannot

read.

~Mark Twain

I was educated once - it took me years to get over it.

~Mark Twain

But who prays for Satan? Who, in eighteen centuries, has had the common humanity to pray for the one sinner that needed it most?

~Mark Twain

A man's character may be learned from the adjectives which he habitually uses in conversation.

~Mark Twain

Our lives, our liberty, and our property are never in greater danger than when Congress is in session.

~Mark Twain

The nation is divided, half patriots and half traitors, and no man can tell which from which.

~Mark Twain

Do not complain about growing old. It is a privilege denied to many.

~Mark Twain

Clothes make the man. Naked people have little or no influence on society.

~Mark Twain

Honesty is the best policy - when there is money in it.

~Mark Twain

Don't dream your life, but live your dream

~Mark Twain

Forgiveness is the fragrance that the violet sheds on the heel that has crushed it.

~Mark Twain

Good friends, good books and a sleepy conscience: this is the ideal life.

~Mark Twain

When you fish for love, bait with your heart, not your brain.

~Mark Twain

Cauliflower is nothing but cabbage with a college education.

~Mark Twain

In the beginning of a change the patriot is a scarce man, and brave, and hated and scorned. When his cause succeeds, the timid join him, for then it costs nothing to be a patriot.

~Mark Twain

We have the best government that money can buy.

~Mark Twain

If you tell the truth you do not need a good memory!

~Mark Twain

No man's life, liberty, or property are safe while the legislature is in session.

~Mark Twain

Heaven goes by favor. If it went by merit, you would stay out and your dog would go in.

~Mark Twain

The fear of death follows from the fear of life. A man who lives fully is

prepared to die at any time.

~Mark Twain

Synergy - the bonus that is achieved when things work together harmoniously.

~Mark Twain

Too much of anything is bad, but too much good whiskey is barely enough.

~Mark Twain

A banker is a fellow who lends you his umbrella when the sun is shining, but wants it back the minute it begins to rain.

~Mark Twain

Always acknowledge a fault. This will throw those in authority off their guard and give you an opportunity to commit more.

~Mark Twain

Truth is stranger than fiction, but it is because Fiction is obliged to stick to possibilities; Truth isn't.

~Mark Twain

Everyone is a moon, and has a dark side which he never shows to anybody.

~Mark Twain

A man cannot be comfortable without his own approval.

~Mark Twain

The conviction of the rich that the poor are happier is no more foolish than the conviction of the poor that the rich are.

~Mark Twain

A pessimist is a well-informed optimist.

~Mark Twain

Giving up smoking is the easiest thing in the world. I know because I've done it thousands of times.

~Mark Twain

A man who keeps company with glaciers comes to feel tolerably insignificant by and by.

~Mark Twain

Sacred cows make the best hamburger.

~Mark Twain

Names are not always what they seem.

~Mark Twain

It is by the goodness of God that in our country we have those three unspeakably precious things: freedom of speech, freedom of conscience, and the prudence never to practice either of them.

~Mark Twain

The most interesting information comes from children, for they tell all they know and then stop.

~Mark Twain

Apparently there is nothing that cannot happen today.

~Mark Twain

The best cure for Christianity is reading the Bible.

~Mark Twain

Good decisions come from experience. Experience comes from making bad decisions.

~Mark Twain

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