

Matthew Lillard

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I was like, what the hell is my life coming to? I'm a trained actor! I've done Shakespeare and here I am having farting contests with an imaginary dog!

~Matthew Lillard

You may not have faith in my friend fate, But my friend fate has faith in you.

~Matthew Lillard

I like doing family films.

~Matthew Lillard

Nothing would make my kids happier than to do another movie.

~Matthew Lillard

I always think that I'm the best thing in a lot of bad movies. Personally, I have to. I think that I like me as an actor.

~Matthew Lillard

Character actors are becoming a thing of the past. They're just going by the wayside. They're just cutting through that caliber of acting.

~Matthew Lillard

Charlie Brown's good. I always had a little crush on that Lucy. I thought she was kind of a hot little brunette.

~Matthew Lillard

A lot of times, as a clown, you find acting for a reason. It's a way to exercise yourself. If you're funny, you test yourself.

~Matthew Lillard

There's not a comedy actor who doesn't want a chance to do drama, and vice versa. As actors, we're always looking to be pushed and to do the other side of the coin.

~Matthew Lillard

Being an actor, when you sign onto a project - whether it's good, bad, or indifferent - you kind of fall in love with it. You fall in love with the experience, you fall in love with the memories.

~Matthew Lillard

Every kid's dream is to be a great actor.

~Matthew Lillard

For better or worse, I take my acting seriously. I may not have been in the best movies ever made, but I take it deathly serious, and I love being an actor.

~Matthew Lillard

The older I get, the more I can't stand violence and have a hard time with seeing people die in horrific ways. It gets harder and harder to watch and deal with that stuff.

~Matthew Lillard

I like the fact that a modern television and modern drama on cable has characters that are really intricate and deep and have multiple layers.

~Matthew Lillard

I'm not a broad comedy guy. I've been funny in movies, but I'm not a comedian. I'm an actor who's sometimes funny.

~Matthew Lillard

When you're making an independent film what you don't have in time and money you have to make up with creativity and diligence.

~Matthew Lillard

So much of Hollywood is about who the people you work with are.

~Matthew Lillard

I got into a bad jag of movies that helped pay the rent and I thought would help further me along.

~Matthew Lillard

I don't go to parties. I don't go to clubs. My friends and I don't go drinking, we play D&D. I'm still a weird entity in the world.

~Matthew Lillard

I think everyone is given drama, by virtue of the fact that we all have drama in our lives, but not everyone can make people laugh.

~Matthew Lillard

I learned a lot, in terms of inspiring people. It became very clear to me, very early on, that directing a movie was a lot like being in a theater company.

~Matthew Lillard

It's always fun to play a bad guy because you get more to do. It's more arch. There's more energy to throw into it.

~Matthew Lillard

If I could act in theater, my whole life, and never act in film or television again, and just direct the rest of my life, I would gladly do that.

~Matthew Lillard

To me, the punk rock kids I grew up with were really, really smart, and to me, respecting those kids was a really big deal.

~Matthew Lillard

My tone and my style are reflected in the movies I choose to make. I want to make big movies. My dream is to be Jon Favreau or Ben Affleck.

~Matthew Lillard

I've always been a guy that doesn't do well waiting for people to say, "You can act." It's always been a part of me.

~Matthew Lillard

The stage is a training ground and it's where you learn what's funny and what's successful.

~Matthew Lillard

I'm almost 40, so it's an awkward time in my career. You kind of hope it comes through and, if not, I'll be a waiter. Awesome.

~Matthew Lillard

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