

# Molly Haskell

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The mammary fixation is the most American of the sex fetishes.

~Molly Haskell

Language: the one tool that enables us to grasp hold of our lives and transcend our fate by understanding it.

~Molly Haskell

There are very few heroines in literature who have defined their lives morally rather than romantically and likewise but a handful in film.

~Molly Haskell

There are two cinemas: the films we have actually seen and the memories we have of them.

~Molly Haskell

Being alone and liking it is, for a woman, an act of treachery, an infidelity far more threatening than adultery.

~Molly Haskell

The thought that we are enduring the unendurable is one of the things that keeps us going.

~Molly Haskell

As so often happens in marriage, roles that had begun almost playfully, to give line and shape to our lives, had hardened like suits of armor and taken us prisoner.

~Molly Haskell

The Internet is democracy's revenge on democracy.

~Molly Haskell

For a woman there is nothing more erotic than being understood.

~Molly Haskell

Hospitals, like airports and supermarkets, only pretend to be open nights and weekends.

~Molly Haskell

[On swingers:] They have gone from Puritanism into promiscuity without passing through sensuality.

~Molly Haskell

One of the attributes of love . . . is to bring harmony and order out of chaos.

~Molly Haskell

...(Charles) Reich discredits reason because it has been used to justify the war in Vietnam, which is like deciding that because your mother has cooked you a few bad meals you must never eat again.

~Molly Haskell

I would trade many an art-film classic for the final exchange between Redford and Streisand in front of the Plaza.

~Molly Haskell

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