

Patricia Clarkson

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And I have a really great agent and I know it's almost an oxymoron to say you have a smart agent. But she is and she has a beautiful aesthetic and she has guided me.

~Patricia Clarkson

New Orleans. Born and raised. I lived there until I was 19.

~Patricia Clarkson

Even though I'm a free spirit, I like to keep my friends and my lovers separate. I have extraordinary friends, but I don't want to see them naked.

~Patricia Clarkson

I think it's always harder in a film to convey intimacy.

~Patricia Clarkson

Talent is a very potent aphrodisiac. When someone is incredibly gifted, I find them incredibly sexy.

~Patricia Clarkson

I always try to approach character first and foremost viscerally.

~Patricia Clarkson

If my gravy train stops at SAG, honey, it's been a great ride.

~Patricia Clarkson

The odds are not in your favor the older you get, especially if you're a woman in this business.

~Patricia Clarkson

I'm really a director's actor. I rely heavily on a director.

~Patricia Clarkson

See, the SAG awards caught me totally by surprise.

~Patricia Clarkson

I think it kind of took being a character actor to kind of now enter into leading ladies.

~Patricia Clarkson

But no, had I been successful in my 20s I would have been just fine. But it is nice to defy the odds.

~Patricia Clarkson

Why are comedic parts for women the exception, not the rule?

~Patricia Clarkson

But I have had the luxury of working on good films with great people.

~Patricia Clarkson

The majority of work I do is in independent films, where you're lucky if you have five takes.

~Patricia Clarkson

I don't like a lot of rehearsing.

~Patricia Clarkson

I think it would be hard to go the distance in this business without a sense of humor.

~Patricia Clarkson

I'll read a script maybe twice, but I'll think about the role more than I'll rehearse lines.

~Patricia Clarkson

I'm obsessed. I've always needed to know what's going on but now it's a must.

~Patricia Clarkson

I really haven't joined the 20th or the 21st century yet. Someday. I'm getting closer. I have voicemail and a fax machine.

~Patricia Clarkson

I have stunning friends. I value my friendships as I value my family.

~Patricia Clarkson

I think every metropolitan city has its pockets of - that's what makes them great.

~Patricia Clarkson

I have to watch the news or my day is not complete.

~Patricia Clarkson

I love writers. All of my best friends are writers.

~Patricia Clarkson

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