

Pope Francis Quotes

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World, Brother, Thinking, Prayer, Religious, Joy, Mother, Doe, Needs, Lord*

You pray for the hungry. Then you feed them. That's how prayer works.

~Pope Francis

The world tells us to seek success, power and money; God tells us to seek humility, service and love.

~Pope Francis

To change the world we must be good to those who cannot repay us.

~Pope Francis

Let us learn to live with kindness, to love everyone, even when they do not love us.

~Pope Francis

Let the Church always be a place of mercy and hope, where everyone is welcomed, loved and forgiven.

~Pope Francis

Holiness doesn't mean doing extraordinary things, but doing ordinary things with love and faith.

~Pope Francis

Having faith does not mean having no difficulties, but having the strength to face them, knowing we are not alone.

~Pope Francis

Throwing away food is like stealing from the table of those who are poor and hungry.

~Pope Francis

Wretched are those who are vindictive and spiteful.

~Pope Francis

Inequality is the root of social evil.

~Pope Francis

Listen to Jesus and follow him. That's the message of the Transfiguration.

~Pope Francis

It is not enough to say we are Christians. We must live the faith, not only with our words, but with our actions.

~Pope Francis

How marvellous it would be if, at the end of the day, each of us could say: today I have performed an act of charity towards others!

~Pope Francis

I prefer a church which is bruised, hurting and dirty because it has been out on the streets, rather than a church which is unhealthy from being confined and from clinging to its own security.

~Pope Francis

Dear young people, do not bury your talents, the gifts that God has given you! Do not be afraid to dream of great things!

~Pope Francis

We must overcome...all forms of racism. The problem of intolerance should be dealt with as a whole: every time a minority is persecuted and marginalized...the good of the whole society is in danger.

~Pope Francis

The search for God means having the courage to set out on a risky path, it means following our restless hearts.

~Pope Francis

Being a disciple means being constantly ready to bring the love of

Jesus to others, and this can happen unexpectedly and in any place: on the street, in a city square, during work, on a journey.

~Pope Francis

Like the Good Samaritan, may we not be ashamed of touching the wounds of those who suffer, but try to heal them with concrete acts of love.

~Pope Francis

Advent is a journey towards Bethlehem. May we let ourselves be drawn by the light of God made man.

~Pope Francis

We must walk united with our differences: there is no other way to become one. This is the way of Jesus.

~Pope Francis

A person who thinks only about building walls, wherever they may be - and not building bridges - is not Christian.

~Pope Francis

Your sins are great? Just tell the Lord: Forgive me, help me to get up again, change my heart!

~Pope Francis

Take care of brothers and sisters who are weaker ... the elderly, the sick, the hungry, the homeless and strangers, because we will be judged on this.

~Pope Francis

Let those desert places in our hearts bloom.

~Pope Francis

Lord, teach us to step outside ourselves. Teach us to go out into the

streets and manifest your love.

~Pope Francis

On the ordination of women, the church has spoken and said no. John Paul II, in a definitive formulation said that door is closed.

~Pope Francis

If globalization seeks to bring all of us together, but to do so respecting each person, each individual person's peculiarity, that globalization is good and makes us good and grow and leads to peace.

~Pope Francis

Advent increases our hope, a hope which does not disappoint. The Lord never lets us down.

~Pope Francis

The measure of the greatness of a society is found in the way it treats those most in need, those who have nothing apart from their poverty!

~Pope Francis

If money and material things become the center of our lives, they seize us and make us slaves.

~Pope Francis

Each one of us is called to be an artisan of peace, by uniting and not dividing, by extinguishing hatred and not holding on to it, by opening paths to dialogue and not by constructing new walls!

~Pope Francis

Let us learn from Christ how to pray, to forgive, to sow peace, and to be near those in need.

~Pope Francis

Let us never lose hope! God loves us always, even with our mistakes

and sins.

~Pope Francis

If we see someone who needs help, do we stop? There is so much suffering and poverty, and a great need for good Samaritans.

~Pope Francis

Too often we participate in the globalization of indifference. May we strive instead to live global solidarity.

~Pope Francis

Miracles happen. But prayer is needed! Prayer that is courageous, struggling and persevering, not prayer that is a mere formality.

~Pope Francis

To all people of good will who are working for social justice: never tire of working for a more just world, marked by greater solidarity!

~Pope Francis

The culture of comfort, which makes us think only of ourselves, makes us insensitive to the cries of other people.

~Pope Francis

Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy.

~Pope Francis

I am a sinner. This is the most accurate definition. It is not a figure of speech, a literary genre. I am a sinner.

~Pope Francis

Human dignity is the same for all human beings: when I trample on the dignity of another, I am trampling on my own.

~Pope Francis

God never tires of forgiving us; we are the ones who tire of seeking his mercy.

~Pope Francis

Migrants and refugees are not pawns on the chessboard of humanity

~Pope Francis

Let Jesus preach to you, and let Jesus heal you. We are all wounded. Everyone.

~Pope Francis

Christian love is loving without counting the cost. This is the lesson of the Good Samaritan; this is the lesson of Jesus.

~Pope Francis

To celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation means to be wrapped in a warm embrace.

~Pope Francis

Don't let anyone rob you of hope.

~Pope Francis

In the silence of the Cross, the uproar of weapons ceases and the language of reconciliation, forgiveness, dialogue and peace is spoken.

~Pope Francis

All it takes is one good person to restore hope.

~Pope Francis

The love of God is not generic. God looks with love upon every man and woman, calling them by name.

~Pope Francis

When one lives attached to money, pride or power, it is impossible to

be truly happy.

~Pope Francis

Human rights are not only violated by terrorism, repression or assassination, but also by unfair economic structures that creates huge inequalities.

~Pope Francis

Whenever I have a problem, I ask the Saint (ThÃ©rÃ©se of Lisieux) not to solve it, but to take it into her hands and to help me accept it and I almost always receive a white rose as a sign.

~Pope Francis

All political activity must serve and promote the good of the human person and be based on respect for his or her dignity.

~Pope Francis

Let us thank all those who teach in Catholic schools. Educating is an act of love; it is like giving life.

~Pope Francis

A little bit of mercy makes the world less cold and more just.

~Pope Francis

Abortion is not the lesser of two evils. It is a crime. It is to throw someone out in order to save another.

~Pope Francis

Let us be renewed by God's mercy ... and let us become agents of this mercy, channels through which God can water the earth, protect all creation and make justice and peace flourish.

~Pope Francis

Let us pray for peace: peace in the world and in each of our hearts.

~Pope Francis

The Holy Spirit transforms and renews us, creates harmony and unity, and gives us courage and joy for mission.

~Pope Francis

It is horrific even to think that there are children, victims of abortion, who will never see the light of day

~Pope Francis

There is no sin that God cannot pardon. All we need to do is ask for forgiveness

~Pope Francis

No one can grow if he does not accept his smallness.

~Pope Francis

Auschwitz cries out with the pain of immense suffering and pleads for a future of respect, peace and encounter among peoples.

~Pope Francis

There is no cross, big or small, in our life which the Lord does not share with us.

~Pope Francis

Jesus understands our weaknesses and sins; and he forgives us if we allow ourselves to be forgiven.

~Pope Francis

From the Cross, Christ teaches us to love even those who do not love us.

~Pope Francis

How I wish everyone had decent work! It is essential for human dignity.

~Pope Francis

Our faith in Christ, who became poor, and was always close to the poor and the outcast, is the basis of our concern for the integral development of society's most neglected members.

~Pope Francis

I love tango, and I used to dance when I was young.

~Pope Francis

Agape, the love of each one of us for the other, from the closest to the furthest, is in fact the only way that Jesus has given us to find the way of salvation and of the Beatitudes.

~Pope Francis

We are all sinners. But God heals us with an abundance of grace, mercy and tenderness

~Pope Francis

Human life must always be defended from its beginning in the womb and must be recognised as a gift of God that guarantees the future of humanity.

~Pope Francis

But always think this: do not be afraid of failure. Do not be afraid of falling. In the art of walking, what is important is not avoiding the fall but not remaining fallen.

~Pope Francis

Defend the unborn against abortion even if they persecute you, calumniate you, set traps for you, take you to court or kill you.

~Pope Francis

Negative feelings choke the Lord's word in us.

~Pope Francis

We are all sinners. But may the Lord not let us be hypocrites. Hypocrites don't know the meaning of forgiveness, joy and the love of God.

~Pope Francis

In the poor and outcast we see Christ's face; by loving and helping the poor, we love and serve Christ.

~Pope Francis

We are all jars of clay, fragile and poor, yet we carry within us an immense treasure.

~Pope Francis

Work is fundamental to the dignity of the person. Work, to use an image, 'anoints' with dignity, fills us with dignity, makes us similar to God who has worked and still works, who always acts.

~Pope Francis

Dear young people, let us not be satisfied with a mediocre life. Be amazed by what is true and beautiful, what is of God!

~Pope Francis

Vanity, showing off, is an attitude that reduces spirituality to a worldly thing, which is the worst sin that could be committed in the church.

~Pope Francis

The right to life is the first human right. Abortion is killing someone that cannot defend himself.

~Pope Francis

Working for a just distribution of the fruits of the earth and human labor is not mere philanthropy. It is a moral obligation.

~Pope Francis

The mystery of the Cross, a mystery of love, can only be understood in prayer. Pray and weep, kneeling before the Cross.

~Pope Francis

Each of us is a masterpiece of God's creation

~Pope Francis

Money at the service of life can be managed in the right way by cooperatives, on condition that it is a real cooperative where capital does not have command over men but men over capital.

~Pope Francis

Although the life of a person is in a land full of thorns and weeds, there is always a space in which the good seed can grow. You have to trust God.

~Pope Francis

Life once conceived, must be protected with the utmost care; abortion and infanticide are abominable crimes.

~Pope Francis

Young people are just as attracted to the truth as they are convenience and expediency.

~Pope Francis

To be a mother is a great treasure. Mothers, in their unconditional and sacrificial love for their children, are the antidote to individualism; they are the greatest enemies against war.

~Pope Francis

God never tires of forgiving us.

~Pope Francis

With Christ as the center of your life, you will never be disappointed.

~Pope Francis

There is so much noise in the world! May we learn to be silent in our hearts and before God.

~Pope Francis

Our world is facing a refugee crisis of a magnitude not seen since the Second World War. This presents us with great challenges and many hard decisions.

~Pope Francis

It is now, more than ever, necessary that political leaders be outstanding for honesty, integrity and commitment to the common good.

~Pope Francis

A society which abandons children and the elderly severs its roots and darkens its future.

~Pope Francis

In effect, a selfish and boundless thirst for power and material prosperity leads both to the misuse of available natural resources and to the exclusion of the weak and the disadvantaged.

~Pope Francis

Humanity needs to see these gestures of peace and to hear words of hope and peace!

~Pope Francis

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