

Rainbow Rowell Quotes

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She smiled, and her eyes started to drift downward. "Cather..." Back up to his eyes. "You know that I'm falling in love with you, right?"

~Rainbow Rowell

So, what if, instead of thinking about solving your whole life, you just think about adding additional good things. One at a time. Just let your pile of good things grow.

~Rainbow Rowell

In new situations, all the trickiest rules are the ones nobody bothers to explain to you. (And the ones you can't Google.)

~Rainbow Rowell

You're a kaleidoscope, you change every time I look away.

~Rainbow Rowell

Drinking tequila is more about the journey than the destination

~Rainbow Rowell

Every woman wants a man who'll fall in love with her soul as well as her body.

~Rainbow Rowell

Sometimes writing is running downhill, your fingers jerking behind you on the keyboard the way your legs do when they can't quite keep up with gravity.

~Rainbow Rowell

You don't have to be the kind of beautiful that everyone can agree on. If the right person finds you beautiful, you win. You win forever.

~Rainbow Rowell

To really be a nerd, she'd decided, you had to prefer fictional worlds to the real one.

~Rainbow Rowell

Eleanor was right. She never looked nice. She looked like art, and art wasn't supposed to look nice; it was supposed to make you feel something.

~Rainbow Rowell

And sometimes you held somebody's hand just to prove that you were still alive, and that another human being was there to testify to that fact.

~Rainbow Rowell

Cath couldn't stop thinking about Levi and his ten thousand smiles.

~Rainbow Rowell

It was the best kind of November day. Cold and crisp, but not quite freezing, not icy. Just cold enough that she could justifiably wear all her favorite clothes—cardigans and tights and leg warmers.

~Rainbow Rowell

Happily ever after, or even just together ever after, is not cheesy, Wren said. It's the noblest, like, the most courageous thing two people can shoot for.

~Rainbow Rowell

Even if your heart is broken and attacking you, you're still not better off without it.

~Rainbow Rowell

Cath ate the banana and held on to his gaze. I'd give you the moon right now, she said. Levi's eyes flashed happily, and he hitched up an eyebrow. Yeah, but would you slay it for me?

~Rainbow Rowell

You're never going to find a guy who's exactly like you - first of all, because that guy never leaves his dorm room.

~Rainbow Rowell

I don't trust anybody. Not anybody. And the more that I care about someone, the more sure I am they're going to get tired of me and take off.

~Rainbow Rowell

I want everyone to meet you. You're my favorite person of all time.

~Rainbow Rowell

I love you more than I hate everything else.

~Rainbow Rowell

You saved me life, she tried to tell him. Not forever, not for good. Probably just temporarily. But you saved my life, and now I'm yours. The me that's me right now is yours. Always.

~Rainbow Rowell

I'd rather pour myself into a world I love and understand than try to make something up out of nothing.

~Rainbow Rowell

Smiling is confusing, she thought. This is why I don't do it.

~Rainbow Rowell

The first time he'd held her hand, it felt so good that it crowded out all the bad things. It felt better than anything had ever hurt.

~Rainbow Rowell

There are moments when you can't believe something wonderful is happening. And there are moments when your entire consciousness is filled with knowing absolutely that something wonderful is happening.

~Rainbow Rowell

If you can't save your own life, is it even worth saving?

~Rainbow Rowell

He wound the scarf around his fingers until her hand was hanging in the space between them. Then he slid the silk and his fingers into her open palm. And Eleanor disintegrated.

~Rainbow Rowell

You give away nice like it doesn't cost you anything.

~Rainbow Rowell

I want someone whose heart is big enough to hold me.

~Rainbow Rowell

If you don't want people to look at you, Park had thought at the time, don't wear fishing lures in your hair. Her jewelry box must look like a junk drawer.

~Rainbow Rowell

That girl had the subtlety of a Spencer's Gifts shop.

~Rainbow Rowell

I think I can live without you, but it won't be any kind of life.

~Rainbow Rowell

You act like there are two kinds of girls,' she said. 'The smart ones and the ones that boys like.

~Rainbow Rowell

I just want to break that song into pieces and love them all to death.

~Rainbow Rowell

it's like swimming upstream. Or â€¦ falling down a cliff and grabbing at branches, trying to invent the branches as I fall.

~Rainbow Rowell

Fitting together is something you work at. It's something you make happenâ€”because you love each other.

~Rainbow Rowell

Holding Eleanor's hand was like holding a butterfly. Or a heartbeat. Like holding something complete, and completely alive.

~Rainbow Rowell

He made her feel like more than the sum of her parts.

~Rainbow Rowell

He'd stopped trying to bring her back. She only came back when she felt like it anyway, in dreams and lies and broken-down deja-vu.

~Rainbow Rowell

Months are different in college, especially freshman year. Too much happens. Every freshman month equals six regular monthsâ€”they're like dog months.

~Rainbow Rowell

I always get lost in the library,' he said, 'no matter how many times I go. In fact, I think I get lost there more, the more that I go. Like it's getting to know me and revealing new passages.

~Rainbow Rowell

Levi's eyebrows were pornographic. If Cath were making this decision just on eyebrows, she would have been "up to his room" a long time ago.

~Rainbow Rowell

Real life was something happening in her peripheral vision.

~Rainbow Rowell

The squirrels on campus were beyond domestic; they were practically domestically abusive.

~Rainbow Rowell

I'd know you in the dark," he said. "From a thousand miles away. There's nothing you could become that I haven't already fallen in love with.

~Rainbow Rowell

You act like getting pregnant is a disease you can catch from public toilets.

~Rainbow Rowell

Can't you just like a girl who likes you back?' 'None of them likes me back. I may as well like the one I really want.

~Rainbow Rowell

You can be Han Solo," he said, kissing her throat. "And I'll be Boba Fett. I'll cross the sky for you.

~Rainbow Rowell

Nothing before you counts," he said. "And I can't even imagine an after.

~Rainbow Rowell

I don't like you, Park. Sometimes I think I live for you

~Rainbow Rowell

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You can't take back texts. If you come off all moody and melancholy in a text, it just sits there in your phone, reminding you of what a drag you are.

~Rainbow Rowell

People who fall in love with books never really stop falling.

~Rainbow Rowell

But you're so helpless sometimes. It's like watching a kitten with its head trapped in a Kleenex box.

~Rainbow Rowell

As I moved to less and less diverse places in my life, I realized that white people don't talk about race amongst themselves!

~Rainbow Rowell

He always kept me just on the edge of crazy. Feeling like I wanted him too much, which just made me want him more." "That sounds excruciating.

~Rainbow Rowell

It's so easy for someone else to say, 'Don't worry. Everything's going to be all right.' Why not say it? It doesn't cost anything. It doesn't mean anything. No one will hold you to it if you're wrong.

~Rainbow Rowell

Baz. "Have you ever done this before?" Simon. "Yes. No." "Yes or no?" "Yes. Not like this." Baz. "Not with a boy?" Simon. "Not when I really wanted it.

~Rainbow Rowell

I don't have to forgive you, Cath said. It's not like that with you. You're just in with me. Always. No matter what happens.

~Rainbow Rowell

There are other people on the Internet. It's awesome. You get all the benefits of 'other people' without the body odor and the eye contact.

~Rainbow Rowell

You look so blindingly cute right now, I feel like I need to make a pinhole in a piece of paper just to look at you.

~Rainbow Rowell

Like, really like you. And i want that kiss to have been the start of something. Not the end.

~Rainbow Rowell

Drunk nerds. Not my thing. • You like nerds. • Not nerds who join fraternities, • Cath said. • That's a whole subclass of nerds that I'm not interested in.

~Rainbow Rowell

In some cases, she was actively trying not to make friends, though she usually stopped short of being rude. (Uptight, tense, and mildly misanthropic? Yes. Rude? No.)

~Rainbow Rowell

You can park your snark at the gate, Omaha.

~Rainbow Rowell

Tomorrow and tomorrow and tomorrow,' he said.

~Rainbow Rowell

I look like this because I'm alive," Reagan said. "Because I've had experiences. Do you understand?

~Rainbow Rowell

She didn't want to run, period. It made her breasts feel like they were going to detach from her body.

~Rainbow Rowell

He looked like someone with a steerage ticket on the titanic. Somebody who'd be standing in line at Ellis Island. Undiluted and old-blooded. Also cute.

~Rainbow Rowell

I object to every single thing you just said.

~Rainbow Rowell

She carried herself like she was exactly the size everyone else wanted to be.

~Rainbow Rowell

A little manic was what their house ran on.

~Rainbow Rowell

I don't think there's enough of her left.

~Rainbow Rowell

I miss you." "That's stupid," she said. "I saw you this morning." "It's not the time," Levi said, and she could hear that he was smiling." It's the distance.

~Rainbow Rowell

There's no such thing as handsome princes, she told herself. There's no such thing as happily ever after.

~Rainbow Rowell

I was in my mid 20s when email finally took off. Until then, the phone was my primary way of connecting with the people in my life.

~Rainbow Rowell

With Attachments, my goal was to write a really good romantic comedy.

I wanted the reader to be smiling throughout.

~Rainbow Rowell

I like science fiction, I like fantasy, I like time travel, so I had this idea: What if you had a phone that could call into the past?

~Rainbow Rowell

He didn't take her breath away. Maybe the opposite. But that was okay-that was really good, actually, to be near someone who filled your lungs with air.

~Rainbow Rowell

Well, I'm writing everything that isn't my final project, so that when I actually sit down to write it, that's all that will be left in my mind.

~Rainbow Rowell

When you're a woman, you have to work harder to get a laugh... I follow so many hilarious women on Twitter. It's a daily reminder that women get to be funny.

~Rainbow Rowell

This is why I can't be with Levi. Because I'm the kind of girl who fantasizes about being trapped in a library overnight-and Levi can't even read.

~Rainbow Rowell

I tend to write about my anxieties - it's what I'm afraid will happen. And I write a story working it out.

~Rainbow Rowell

I dare you to call Ask-A-Nurse and tell them you feel a presence in your womb region.

~Rainbow Rowell

You're not the ugly one. Levi Grinned. You're just the Clark Kent... ...
Will you warn me when you take off your glasses?

~Rainbow Rowell

Park was never going to love her more than he did on the day they said
goodbye. And she couldn't bear to think of him loving her less.

~Rainbow Rowell

She'd majored in English, hoping that meant she could spend the next
four years reading and writing. And maybe the next four years after
that.

~Rainbow Rowell

He tried to remember how this happened - how she went from
someone he'd never met to the only one who mattered.

~Rainbow Rowell

I don't just kiss people. Kisses aren't... just with me.

~Rainbow Rowell

I wrote all four of my books at Starbucks.

~Rainbow Rowell

Have you ever seen *The Goodbye Girl*? Don't watch it if you still want
to enjoy romantic comedies. It makes every movie ever made starring
Julia Roberts or Sandra Bullock lash itself in shame.

~Rainbow Rowell

I might not use capital letters. But I would definitely use an
apostrophe and probably a period. I'm a huge fan of punctuation.

~Rainbow Rowell

The idea that you're hard to love is ludicrous.

~Rainbow Rowell

I think I missed my window." "What window?" "My get-a-life window. I think I was supposed to figure all this stuff out somewhere between twenty-two and twenty-six, and now it's too late.

~Rainbow Rowell

It was the nicest thing she could imagine. It made her want to have his babies and give him both of her kidneys.

~Rainbow Rowell

I'm sort of...coming off a bad relationship," "When did it end?" "Slightly before it started.

~Rainbow Rowell

Levi was smiling. He kicked her chair again.

~Rainbow Rowell

Love. Purpose. Those are things that you can't plan for. Those are things that just happen.

~Rainbow Rowell

Take your vitamins. Don't drink vodka. Get used to empire waistlines.

~Rainbow Rowell

And when Eleanor smiled, something broke inside of him. Something always did.

~Rainbow Rowell

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