

# Ransom Riggs Quotes

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I used to dream about escaping my ordinary life, but my life was never ordinary. I had simply failed to notice how extraordinary it was.

~Ransom Riggs

Sometimes it's better not to look back.

~Ransom Riggs

If I'd kept my heart better armored, where would I be now?

~Ransom Riggs

Sometimes you just need to go through a door.

~Ransom Riggs

I was here for a reason. There was something I was meant not simply to be, but to do- and it wasn't to run or hide or give up the minute things seemed terrifying and impossible.

~Ransom Riggs

I liked this idea: that peculiarness wasn't a deficiency, but an abundance; that it wasn't we who lacked something normals had, but they who lacked peculiarness. That we were more, not less.

~Ransom Riggs

If you must fail ... fail spectacularly!

~Ransom Riggs

Strange, I thought, how you can be living your dreams and your nightmares at the very same time.

~Ransom Riggs

We cling to our fairy tales until the price for believing in them becomes too high.

~Ransom Riggs

There was a girl who could fly, a boy who had bees living inside him, a brother and sister who could lift boulders over their heads.

~Ransom Riggs

What I believe when it comes to big things in life, there are no accidents. Everything happens for a reason. You are here for a reason - and it's not to fail and die.

~Ransom Riggs

Some truths are expressed best in the form of myth.

~Ransom Riggs

Maybe it was better, now and then, to wonder.

~Ransom Riggs

I had just come to accept that my life would be ordinary when extraordinary things began to happen.

~Ransom Riggs

I'm no expert on girls, but when one tries to pinch you four times, I'm pretty sure that's flirting

~Ransom Riggs

It's easy to say you don't care about money when you have plenty of it.

~Ransom Riggs

When someone won't let you in, eventually you stop knocking.

~Ransom Riggs

I'd been born in the wrong century, and I felt cheated.

~Ransom Riggs

I just like that balance of the real and the fantastical because as a reader and consumer of stories and fantasy, I always want to feel like I

can find that world.

~Ransom Riggs

Do you ever find yourself climbing into an open grave during a bombing raid and wish you'd just stayed in bed?

~Ransom Riggs

Our debt was too great and the words thank you too small.

~Ransom Riggs

I had been writing since I was pretty small, and I've always been telling these stories about doors and finding other worlds within our own.

~Ransom Riggs

I never remember nice dreams; only the bad ones stick.

~Ransom Riggs

Fifty-percent of the director's job honestly is casting the movie well.

~Ransom Riggs

When you're writing, at least when I'm writing, I don't think about themes and I try not to sermonize with any particular message.

~Ransom Riggs

If you are a conscious human being who has opinions about the world, then you will unconsciously put your own perspective into the book.

~Ransom Riggs

Laughing doesn't make bad things worse any more than crying makes them better. It doesn't mean you don't care, or that you've forgotten. It just means you're human.

~Ransom Riggs

Your tribe is out there, you just have to find them.

~Ransom Riggs

My portal to another world was fiction.

~Ransom Riggs

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