

Ray Romano Quotes

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Everyone should have kids. They are the greatest joy in the world. But they are also terrorists. You'll realize this as soon as they are born and they start using sleep deprivation to break you.

~Ray Romano

Having children is like living in a frat house - nobody sleeps, everything's broken, and there's a lot of throwing up.

~Ray Romano

That's when you know you're a true married couple: when you have to apologize for what you did in her dream.

~Ray Romano

The more I go through parenting, the more I say I owe my mother an apology.

~Ray Romano

Identical twins. I'm glad they're identical 'cause you save money on photographs. That's what I like. Yeah. Here's my little boy. I got another one just like it.

~Ray Romano

I married a saint - well, a saint who curses.

~Ray Romano

If I have sex, I know my quarterly estimated taxes must be due. And if it's oral sex, I know it's time to renew my driver's license.

~Ray Romano

People think living in your parents' basement until you're twenty-nine is lame. But what they don't realize is that while you're there, you save money on rent, food, and dates.

~Ray Romano

Flappers sounds like where waitresses go after they're too old to work at Hooters.

~Ray Romano

I'd rather be in Las Vegas 104 degrees than New York 90 degrees, you know why? Legalized prostitution. In any weather that takes the edge off.

~Ray Romano

If my father had hugged me even once, I'd be an accountant right now.

~Ray Romano

For the sake of your marriage, get a king-size bed. And if you really want to stay married, get two.

~Ray Romano

Right after 'Raymond' I had a world-is-my-oyster attitude, but I found out I don't like oysters. I had this existential emptiness. 'What is my purpose? Who am I?' I had a big identity crisis.

~Ray Romano

I'll be spending the holidays with my family. Nothing special, just some light bickering and biting sarcasm.

~Ray Romano

I came from an Italian house. The refrigerator was always full. I never knew you had to buy food. I thought there were food fairies that came at night.

~Ray Romano

When you go to standup, there seems to be a common denominator of some form of need or want for validation from the audience that maybe you were lacking as a kid.

~Ray Romano

I wasn't really that informed about the two-year-old. Oh, I'd read about them, and occasionally I'd see documentaries on the Discovery Channel showing two-year-olds in the wild, where they belong.

~Ray Romano

I do know its important to keep the romantic spark alive in your marriage. But with four kids, sometimes it's enough just to keep yourself alive.

~Ray Romano

I don't know if you want to see the Everybody Loves Raymond guy in a nude scene.

~Ray Romano

Why can't I love him (a 2 yr old nephew) from afar? That's how I want to love him - through pictures and folklore.

~Ray Romano

My theory has always been that everyone in show business is there because they were deprived of some attention as a child.

~Ray Romano

I would get my student loans, get money, register and never really go. It was a system I thought would somehow pan out.

~Ray Romano

When you wake up one day and say, "You know what? I don't think I ever need to sleep or have sex again." Congratulations, you're ready (to have children).

~Ray Romano

That's the one thing I have over any twenty-one-year-old: a proud history of accumulated neuroses. That's the game in which I'm da man.

~Ray Romano

In school, I wasn't a very good student - I was very irresponsible and never did the studying but always liked to get the laugh.

~Ray Romano

It seems to be a common denominator with a lot of comics, this low self-esteem thing.

~Ray Romano

I have the show because I'm insecure. It's my insecurity that makes me want to be a comic, that makes me need the audience.

~Ray Romano

My career has been my craziest adventure.

~Ray Romano

Whenever I get down about life going by too quickly, what helps me is a little mantra that I repeat to myself: at least I'm not a fruit fly.

~Ray Romano

You don't want to shock them and do something totally opposite, but you also want to play a different character.

~Ray Romano

I don't want to be a spokesman for family values, but that's the way my standup is perceived.

~Ray Romano

I feel like this is a dream - and I apologize for how I dressed some of you.

~Ray Romano

I don't want to say work is who I am, but some people feel more centered and more whole when they're producing and creating.

~Ray Romano

If golf wasn't enjoyable and there wasn't a lot of humor and enjoyment, even though the game is so frustrating, you would wonder why you put yourself through it.

~Ray Romano

Failure-it centers me. Too much success has me thinking, All right, what's goin' on?

~Ray Romano

You know, before I would think, my cab driver hates me. Now I think my limo driver hates me.

~Ray Romano

If you are someone, you know, with fame, whatever amount, it's good to be married to someone who's not impressed with that at all.

~Ray Romano

You might think that's an exaggeration but believe me, if you leave twin two-year-olds alone in your living room, at some point a cow will be airborne.

~Ray Romano

My wife gets all the money I make. I just get an apple and clean clothes every morning.

~Ray Romano

Every parent knows that for a kid, the car is chloroform.

~Ray Romano

I am like Hugh Hefner minus anything good about his life.

~Ray Romano

I just don't want to play the same guy again over and over.

~Ray Romano

My daughter's tricycle said "Some Assembly Required." It came in a jar.

~Ray Romano

Well, I'm a 14 handicap. Anyone who golfs knows what that means.

~Ray Romano

The best comedy, I feel, comes in a drama because it balances each other out.

~Ray Romano

I did 15 shows a week when I lived in New York. I did five shows on a Friday and seven shows on a Saturday. It was everything I did and it was my sole source of income.

~Ray Romano

I'm always giving myself the Alzheimer's test. My shrink told me to do this. It takes one minute. You name every word that comes to mind that begins with the letter F.

~Ray Romano

People are going to see both of us and think it's an Abbott and Costello kind of thing. It's not an easy switch. It's not an easy transition from TV to film.

~Ray Romano

I have this mistress: show business.

~Ray Romano

As an actor, that's nerve-wracking enough [drunk and doing coke] because you have to do it at the right level.

~Ray Romano

I can't complain about my career, that's for sure.

~Ray Romano

After 'Raymond,' there was this big feeling of, 'What do I do next?'

~Ray Romano

I do still get intimidated by certain things.

~Ray Romano

Whenever I walk off the golf course, I thank God that I'm able to tell a joke. I thank God I'm good at something.

~Ray Romano

I do what I do because I love it.

~Ray Romano

I don't think men talk as much as women, but when we have something on our minds we'll get it out.

~Ray Romano

Mike Royce and I have always had success writing what we know. What we know now is that we're middle-aged, neurotic and fat.

~Ray Romano

I love hitting into the rough because it gets me close to the people.

~Ray Romano

You know, a TV show is a slow build.

~Ray Romano

Each day it's like: 'How many more days am I going to feel young and vibrant? I feel young and vibrant now, but I also feel the aches and pains a little bit.'

~Ray Romano

It's starting to feel good, although I don't like feeling too good - that's not where my comedy comes from.

~Ray Romano

The fact that they let me in a movie with Gene Hackman has left me with no faith in show business.

~Ray Romano

My kids are growing up and it's hard to accept they are their own person and they're independent.

~Ray Romano

You have to remember: the wife been home all day cleaning asses and feeding faces. Sometimes the opposite.

~Ray Romano

The only thing I miss from the sitcom format is that immediate gratification of when you're, if we're talking about comedy, of the live audience.

~Ray Romano

I was wracked with insecurity.

~Ray Romano

I want to do well and I want to fit in.

~Ray Romano

I still got my hair, I'm not fat.

~Ray Romano

I still feel like an immature idiot inside, but I look in the mirror and - as a friend of mine once said- this old guy keeps getting in the way.

~Ray Romano

I love standup and I haven't given it up.

~Ray Romano

I lived at home till I was 29.

~Ray Romano

I like doing film, you know, single-camera.

~Ray Romano

The first time I played golf was in Flushing Meadows, Queens, when I was about 16 or 17. They had an 18-hole pitch-and-putt. My buddies and I would hop the fence and sneak on and play.

~Ray Romano

The successful golfers - they're like astronauts or pilots. They have that demeanor that they can focus and stay within that one moment and nothing distracts them. That's not me.

~Ray Romano

In a way, comedy is like sex. The more noise you hear, the better you think you're doing.

~Ray Romano

Nothing like a little chest pain to restore your faith.

~Ray Romano

Without identical twins, you'll never get to experience entering a hotel room with one of them and watching him run into the full-length mirror because he thought he saw his brother.

~Ray Romano

My wife gets so jealous. She came home from work and was mad at me because there was a pretty girl on the bus she thought I would have liked.

~Ray Romano

My wife said to me 'I hope you win... but if you do and you go up and say you love me, don't think it makes up for never saying it when we're alone.

~Ray Romano

Parents, just keep in mind that kids will always round off to the nearest obscenity.

~Ray Romano

The married man has all but eliminated that worry from his life, simply because his wife knows all about him: the good, the bad, and the tiny.

~Ray Romano

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