

Richard Curtis

Quotes

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Cause if you shoot a bullet someone dies. If you drop a bomb many die. You hit a woman, love dies. But if you say the F-word... nothing actually happens.

~Richard Curtis

It seems to me there's so much more to the world than the average eye is allowed to see. I believe, if you look hard, there are more wonders in this universe than you could ever have dreamt of.

~Richard Curtis

No one likes it, apart from blind people, and I'm sure even they can sense it's profound ugliness as it passes by.

~Richard Curtis

We are taking a business-as-usual position at my agency, though business before 9/11 wasn't that hot either!

~Richard Curtis

You see, that's the whole point of being in government. If you don't like something you simply make up a law that makes it illegal.

~Richard Curtis

Most writers can write books faster than publishers can write checks.

~Richard Curtis

Except for a few small presses, most publishers are north of Ground Zero.

~Richard Curtis

Laboratories can reduce risk by implementing a proven and internationally accepted quality assurance technology that is applicable across the globe.

~Richard Curtis

The great thing about the Internet is that it will not abide by the rules.

~Richard Curtis

The real effect of the WTC calamity has been depressed spirits, anxiety, and uncertainty among publishers, and of course those emotions are not restricted to publishers.

~Richard Curtis

The key factor is whether the agent is a member of the Association of Authors' Representatives, which screens its members and requires them to uphold a Canon of Ethics.

~Richard Curtis

I tend to turn down books originally published as e-books. As for selling books directly to e-book publishers, I would do so only if all traditional publishers had turned them down.

~Richard Curtis

I do send out information about my books. Very few people buy the books that way, but I always feel that if they want to know more about the process, they can get the information from my books.

~Richard Curtis

We project our ideas about ourselves into the heavens and call them ideas about God.

~Richard Curtis

I have to declare in all candor that no one interested in being published in our time can afford to be so naive as to believe that a book will make it merely because it's good.

~Richard Curtis

It's always a mistake for writers to key their submissions to world events, because they move so quickly and unpredictably, as has

certainly proven the case in Afghanistan.

~Richard Curtis

You have to remember that in addition to running a literary agency, I am also an ebook publisher.

~Richard Curtis

I gave you three proofs of witchcraft. A cat that drinks blood! A horse that talks! And a man who propagates POODLES!

~Richard Curtis

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