

Richard E. Grant

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Proving yourself in a field where the casualty rate is so notoriously high is an ongoing challenge.

~Richard E. Grant

Never give up. You only get one life. Go for it!

~Richard E. Grant

I place an enormous premium on loyalty. If someone betrays me, I can forgive them rationally, but emotionally I have found it impossible to do so.

~Richard E. Grant

Anthony Hopkins says you just keep acting. Do it all the time and eventually it will happen. He got his break, after all, by taking a role nobody else wanted. A cannibal!

~Richard E. Grant

I have been incredibly privileged with my roles - after all I have had the chance to do some fantastic fun acting such as the Spice Girls Movie - who can ever forget that!

~Richard E. Grant

Always have an answer - even if you change your mind five minutes later.

~Richard E. Grant

You finish a movie and you think, there, you've done it, really well, or best you can. But if you watch it, you see it was just bollocks.

~Richard E. Grant

If you're doing well, you're a target, nobody's interested in you except how you can be of use to them.

~Richard E. Grant

Time and time again I was told that I would never make the film on time and never make it on budget. That kind of criticism tends to turn me into a great big motor of efficiency.

~Richard E. Grant

I loved being asked 2,000 questions a day, storyboarding every move, knowing as though by instinct exactly where the camera had to be, because it was my story.

~Richard E. Grant

I am a very judgmental person. Of myself and other people. I recognise it's a great fault, but I have no power over that.

~Richard E. Grant

My father died prematurely at the age of 52 when I was 24, and it is a recurring regret that he never lived to see me succeed beyond university and drama.

~Richard E. Grant

When an actor asks you to read his script, your heart sinks. The number of scripts I've been given by actors that are so unbelievably terrible!

~Richard E. Grant

I would love to play your common, everyday guy, but I never get cast as that.

~Richard E. Grant

Well, it's true that I've never been solitary, although I spend a lot of time alone. I've never felt lonely or been shy.

~Richard E. Grant

Ensure that your script is watertight. If it's not on the page, it will never magically appear on the screen.

~Richard E. Grant

I don't think it's the case that 'posh actors' get more work than others.

~Richard E. Grant

I like fixing things.

~Richard E. Grant

Actors always think that others are getting more work than them. In my case, they usually are.

~Richard E. Grant

I would still like to go to the moon before I die.

~Richard E. Grant

I watch TV all the time. Everything.

~Richard E. Grant

When I came to England, the first director I met was Charles Sturridge, who told me, 'You speak like somebody out of the 1950s.'

~Richard E. Grant

Unless you are an enormous name, you never stop auditioning.

~Richard E. Grant

It's well known that actors are lousy writers.

~Richard E. Grant

When I meet a couple, I'm always interested to know if they have been together for a long time, or how loyal they are, because I know that will impact on how much I'm prepared to trust them.

~Richard E. Grant

You feel your game's raised by working with the best people.

~Richard E. Grant

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