

Rick Riordan Quotes

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Being a hero doesn't mean you're invincible. It just means that you're brave enough to stand up and do what's needed.

~Rick Riordan

I try not to think. It interferes with being nuts" - Leo Valdez

~Rick Riordan

I try very hard to be annoying. Don't insult my ability to annoy.

~Rick Riordan

"We're staying together," he promised. "You're not getting away from me. Never again."

~Rick Riordan

Narcissus turned and scowled at Leo. "Who are you?" "I'm the Super-sized McShizzle, man!" Leo said. "I'm Leo Valdez, bad boy supreme. And the ladies love a bad boy."

~Rick Riordan

This is Leo. I'm the... What's my title? Am I like, admiral, or captain, or..." "Repair boy." "Very funny, Piper."

~Rick Riordan

You must forge your own path for it to mean anything.

~Rick Riordan

Survive first. Figure out crayon drawing of destiny later.

~Rick Riordan

Leo: Rainbows. Very macho. Annabeth: Butch is our best equestrian, he gets along great with the pegasi. Leo: Rainbows, ponies... Butch: I'm gonna toss you off this chariot.

~Rick Riordan

It's always hard to wrap up a series. The longer I spend with the characters, the more they become like friends.

~Rick Riordan

Why can't you place a blessing like that on us?" I asked. "It only works on wild animals." "So it would only affect Percy," Annabeth reasoned. "Hey!" I protested.

~Rick Riordan

Oh, did you expect me to play fair?" Cupid laughed. "I am the god of love. I am never fair.

~Rick Riordan

She wanted me to betray you guys, and I was like, 'Pfft, right, I'm gonna listen to a face in the potty sludge'.

~Rick Riordan

You have to rise above the squabbling and chaos, and keep believing. You have to always keep your goals in mind.â€• -Hera, goddess of marriage

~Rick Riordan

Hello, Hazel Levesque.

~Rick Riordan

Wisdom's daughter walks alone, The mark of Athena burns through Rome.

~Rick Riordan

Yours in demigodishness, and all that. Peace out!

~Rick Riordan

The first lesson every child of Athena learned: Mom was the best at everything, and you should never, ever suggest otherwise.

~Rick Riordan

This is Annabeth," Jason said. "Uh, normally she doesn't judo-flip people.

~Rick Riordan

Lots of death, huh? Personally, I'm trying to avoid lots of death, but you guys have fun!

~Rick Riordan

You're cute when you're worried, your eyebrows get all scrunched together.

~Rick Riordan

This is Buford," Leo announced. "You name your furniture?" Frank asked.

~Rick Riordan

Percy: Don't I get a kiss for luck? It's kind of a tradition, right?

Annabeth: Come back alive, Seaweed Brain. Then we'll see.

~Rick Riordan

Rachel: They asked me a lot of questions about you. I played dumb.

Annabeth: Was it hard?

~Rick Riordan

I still don't understand what a sea god would be doing in Atlanta." Leo snorted. "What's a wine god doing in Kansas? Gods are weird.

~Rick Riordan

Hestia shook her head. "I am here because when all else fails, when all the other mighty gods have gone off to war, I am all that's left. Home. Hearth. I am the last Olympian

~Rick Riordan

I can see the stars again m'lady.

~Rick Riordan

Until she met the exploding statue, Annabeth thought she was prepared for anything.

~Rick Riordan

I had a crush on Percy," Nico spat. "That's the truth. That's the big secret.

~Rick Riordan

Nico, I've seen a lot of brave things. But what you just did? That was maybe the bravest.

~Rick Riordan

I am never, ever, going to make things easy for you, Seaweed Brain. Get used to it.

~Rick Riordan

Our problems started in Dallas, when the fire-breathing sheep destroyed the King Tut exhibit.

~Rick Riordan

I'd missed Annabeth probably more than I wanted to admit.

~Rick Riordan

Yeah, well,â€• Nico said, â€œnot giving people a second thoughtâ€that can be dangerous.

~Rick Riordan

No hero is above fear, Percy. And you have risen above every hero. - Poseidon

~Rick Riordan

Great victory requires great risk. -Hera

~Rick Riordan

The forge looked like a steam-powered locomotive had smashed into the Greek Parthenon and they had fused together.

~Rick Riordan

Percy scowled. "I-I know you." Nico raised his eyebrows. "Do you?"

~Rick Riordan

For the rest of my life I would always be thinking about her. She would always be my biggest what if. -Perseus Jackson

~Rick Riordan

He scowled at Jason. "And please, I don't like being touched. Don't ever grab me again.

~Rick Riordan

He [Percy] pleaded with those sea-green eyes, like a cute baby seal that needed help. Piper wondered how Annabeth ever won an argument with this guy.

~Rick Riordan

Grover: It's a very sweet love story. I get misty-eyed every time I play it. So does Percy, but I think that's because he's laughing at me.

~Rick Riordan

Nothing lasts forever. But the thing is, you can reuse some. Use your mind. - Leo's Mother, The Lost Hero

~Rick Riordan

That is exactly how people beat Chinese handcuffs. They turn into iguanas.

~Rick Riordan

He was slumped over, blood trickling from the side of his mouth. I shook his furry hip, thinking, No! Even if you are half barnyard animal, you're my best friend and I don't want you to die!

~Rick Riordan

Life is only precious because it ends, kid.

~Rick Riordan

Zoë threw up her hands in exasperation. "I hate this language. It changes too often!

~Rick Riordan

Behold!" Percy shouted. "The god's chosen beverage. Tremble before the horror of Diet Coke!

~Rick Riordan

Khufu carefully picked out everything that ended with-â€”Doritos, Oreos, and some chunks of meat. Buffalo? Armadillo? I was scared to even ask.

~Rick Riordan

Delaying death is one of my favorite hobbies

~Rick Riordan

You spoke the truth, Percy Jackson. You are nothing like... like Hercules. I am honored that you carry this sword.

~Rick Riordan

Are you suggesting that the gods have trouble acting together, young lady?" Dionysus asked. Yes, Lord Dionysus." Mr. D nodded. "Just checking. You're right, of course. Carry on.

~Rick Riordan

I have more ideas than I'll ever be able to write in five lifetimes.

~Rick Riordan

Carter Kane, 14, died tragically in Paris when he was eaten by his sister's cat Muffin.

~Rick Riordan

She grabbed his face and pulled him into a kiss, which effectively shut him up.

~Rick Riordan

Two farewell gifts," Sadie muttered, "from two gorgeous guys. I hate my life.

~Rick Riordan

What horrible things would you have to do in your life to get woven into Hades's underwear?

~Rick Riordan

Meat!" he said scornfully. "I'm a vegetarian." You eat cheese enchiladas and aluminum cans," I reminded him. Those are vegetables.

~Rick Riordan

It's not important," Silena insisted. "We have to find Charlie!" Another first: a child of Aphrodite uninterested in jewellery.

~Rick Riordan

Annabeth's face, her blond hair and gray eyes, the way she laughed, threw her arms around him, and gave him a kiss whenever he did something stupid. She must have kissed me a lot, Percy thought.

~Rick Riordan

He had a crush on a blueberry bush once.

~Rick Riordan

Grover started to sniffle and I figured if I didn't cheer him up he'd either start bawling or chewing up my mattress. He tends to eat household objects whenever he gets upset.

~Rick Riordan

Son of Poseidon? East asked. I nodded. Took a dip in the Styx? Hudson asked. Yep. They made disgusted sounds. Well that's perfect East said. Now how do we kille him?

~Rick Riordan

When I got across, I looked back and saw Tyson giving Grover a piggyback ride (or was it a goatyback ride?).

~Rick Riordan

Blowfish, did you say?" "Ah, no. Blofis, actually." "Oh, I see," Poseidon said. "A shame. I quite like blowfish.

~Rick Riordan

Even strength must bow to wisdom sometimes.

~Rick Riordan

You drool when you sleep.

~Rick Riordan

Humor was a good way to hide the pain.

~Rick Riordan

We've all got weaknesses. Me, for instance. I'm tragically funny and good-looking.

~Rick Riordan

I've been waiting a long time for a quest, seaweed brain," she said. "Athena is no fan of Poseidon, but if you're going to save the world, I'm the best person to keep you from messing up.

~Rick Riordan

I'm a teacher still, but with a much larger classroom.

~Rick Riordan

Wow," Thalia muttered. "Apollo is hot." "He's the sun god," I said. "That's not what I meant.

~Rick Riordan

[Jason] faltered when he looked at Leo, who was mimicking taking notes with an air pencil. "Go on, Professor Grace!" he said, wide-eyed. "I wanna get an A on the test.

~Rick Riordan

Traitor!" Hera shouted. "You meddlesome, D-list goddess! You aren't worthy to pour my wine, much less rule the world.

~Rick Riordan

Knowledge of any value can't be given. It must be sought and earned

~Rick Riordan

Mussolini?" Leo frowned. "Wasn't he like BFFs with Hitler?"

~Rick Riordan

Poseidon can come in too! We will eat you both! Seafood!

~Rick Riordan

Remake the world, a little at a time, each in your own corner of the world.

~Rick Riordan

No one can hate you with more intensity than someone who used to love you.

~Rick Riordan

And it was pretty much the best underwater kiss of all time.

~Rick Riordan

That's us," he said. "Those five nuts right there. Which one is me?" I asked. The little deformed one, Zoe suggested. Oh, shut up.

~Rick Riordan

Aphrodite strikes again, huh? You're gonna be the best-dressed warrior in town, beauty queen.

~Rick Riordan

I'm so glad you're here," Aphrodite said. "War is coming. Bloodshed is inevitable. So there's really only one thing to do." "Uh... and that is?" Annabeth ventured. "Why, have tea and chat, obviously

~Rick Riordan

The right choice is hardly ever the easy choice.

~Rick Riordan

Athena always, always has a plan.

~Rick Riordan

Aphrodite: Pfft. That's not the point. Follow your heart. Percy: But... I don't know where it's going. My heart, I mean.

~Rick Riordan

If I couldn't trust her, I couldn't trust anyone.

~Rick Riordan

You promised, Seaweed brain. We would not get separated! Ever again!

~Rick Riordan

Fairness does not mean everyone gets the same. Fairness means everyone gets what they need.

~Rick Riordan

Hope survives best at the hearth.

~Rick Riordan

"Shut up, me" Leo said out loud. "What?" Piper asked. "Nothing," he said. "Long night. I think I'm hallucinating. It's cool.

~Rick Riordan

We'd just released a zebra in Las Vegas.

~Rick Riordan

Green grass breaks through snow, Artemis pleads for my help, I am so cool.

~Rick Riordan

Also ... the plan sounded exactly like the sneaky, twisted, ridiculously annoying and noble sort of thing Leo Valdez would do.

~Rick Riordan

I had nightmares about what Poseidon might turn me into if I were on the verge of death-plankton maybe." -Percy Jackson

~Rick Riordan

If Annabeth's mother was Athena, the goddess of wisdom, then why didn't Annabeth know better than to fall off a cliff?

~Rick Riordan

If my life is going to mean anything, I have to live it myself.

~Rick Riordan

You have to be compelled to write. If you're not, nothing else that you

do matters.

~Rick Riordan

For a moment, Percy actually remembered what it was like to be happy. He had an amazing girlfriend. They could have a future together.

~Rick Riordan

Love and war always go together. They are the peaks of human emotion! Evil and good, beauty and ugliness

~Rick Riordan

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