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I have three sisters and I've always wanted a brother, so I was really interested in that notion.

~Ryan Phillippe

Tarantino's stuff in its inception was all about finding a way for him to break into Hollywood.

~Ryan Phillippe

My first film goes into production in October. It's called White Boy Shuffle and it's based on a novel about a young black kid and it's sort of reminiscent of Catcher in the Rye.

~Ryan Phillippe

The ultimate 20-year plan is to be living in the Caribbean, writing, living off the land, eating from the ocean and probably smoking herb.

~Ryan Phillippe

The idea of doing something that you've seen a thousand times before doesn't appeal to me.

~Ryan Phillippe

Where you raise your children isn't as important as how you raise your children.

~Ryan Phillippe

It's nice that people want to compliment you in some superficial way, but I've never considered that that's how I might be categorized. I guess it's better than being called ugly.

~Ryan Phillippe

My sisters are my favorite people on earth.

~Ryan Phillippe

A film goes through so many hands, that by the time it's done, it might

not resemble what you thought you were making.

~Ryan Phillippe

Granted, there are times when, for business reasons, you do something that's more mainstream. But even then, I try to find something that has a dark or subversive aspect.

~Ryan Phillippe

To me, White Boy Shuffle is sort of like Catcher in the Rye, the story is so universal.

~Ryan Phillippe

I really respond to diversity, a broader landscape, with actors of different ages and races and backgrounds.

~Ryan Phillippe

I'm really interested in having a studio one day and being a filmmaker.

~Ryan Phillippe

Being a father is the greatest achievement and the most important thing about me. I have two great kids, no question.

~Ryan Phillippe

I only want to make movies I want to see. That may mean my career is somewhat limited, but that is my version of integrity. No matter how it performs or how it's received, I can be okay with it.

~Ryan Phillippe

Home life's great, man. The kids are great, happy and healthy. I've reached this sort of wonderful precipice.

~Ryan Phillippe

People are sheepish when they approach me.

~Ryan Phillippe

I learn so much more in an ensemble movie.

~Ryan Phillippe

A lot of producers cookie cut movies one after another, but I'll be a little more careful, and have the opportunity to be, because I have the acting career to subsidize the producing.

~Ryan Phillippe

I want to make movies that people talk about when they leave the theater, that aren't clear-cut, but effective and fulfilling in some sense.

~Ryan Phillippe

But in a broader sense, when I have more control, I want to expose people to new ideas.

~Ryan Phillippe

On his daughter, Ava: She is a relief from all the stress in my life; everyday she does something new and it is so amazing.

~Ryan Phillippe

I've made 30-plus films over 20 years. And in my opinion, five of them are good.

~Ryan Phillippe

At 27, it's great to get to a place where I'm not an actor for hire anymore.

~Ryan Phillippe

There are a lot of good stories out there, but I haven't found too many great scripts.

~Ryan Phillippe

I am miserable when I'm in a movie I'm not proud of and a movie that I don't want to do.

~Ryan Phillippe

People keep trying to make me a movie star but they just don't understand. I'm not a movie star, I'm an actor.

~Ryan Phillippe

I will no longer be an actor to hire, I have a passion for producing and making films.

~Ryan Phillippe

But I'm not particularly comfortable around guns.

~Ryan Phillippe

Music is my greatest love. If I could play an instrument I would be a musician.

~Ryan Phillippe

I know that when I grew up I was pretty sheltered, and didn't come to understand much about the world until I was in my really late teens and early twenties, and that process continues.

~Ryan Phillippe

There was a time - before I made movies - when I was more forgiving, but now that I've learned as much as I have, I want to do movies that I want to see, that have their own unique flavor.

~Ryan Phillippe

I won't make a movie for money ever again.

~Ryan Phillippe

I've written something and I would like to have my first film directed by the time I'm 30.

~Ryan Phillippe

Tarantino's movies, I really enjoy, certainly, and when I was 19 and 20, I was really into them.

~Ryan Phillippe

The world's gotten smaller by virtue of the Internet and new media.

~Ryan Phillippe

Over the past 10 years of being famous, my relationship with the camera has not been a pleasant one.

~Ryan Phillippe

To be more involved and more aware is appealing to me.

~Ryan Phillippe

You know, social issue movies don't make a lot of money.

~Ryan Phillippe

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