

Seth MacFarlane

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The only reason we die, is because we accept death as an inevitability.

~Seth MacFarlane

'Family Guy' has this weird thing of attracting people. People either hate it or can't get enough of it. There's really no one in between.

~Seth MacFarlane

The only problem is time.

~Seth MacFarlane

Believe it or not, I have about the same success rate as anyone else. Sometimes you hit, sometimes you miss.

~Seth MacFarlane

The two symbols of the Republican party: an elephant and a big fat white guy who's threatened by change.

~Seth MacFarlane

Adults acting like children and children acting like adults is generally a pretty reliable comic device.

~Seth MacFarlane

What makes me happy is just keeping my brain challenged and stimulated and on its toes.

~Seth MacFarlane

You gotta keep the funny intact.

~Seth MacFarlane

Nobody sets out to offend or shock for the sake of shocking. You set out to get laughs.

~Seth MacFarlane

I'm the guy in the crowd making fun of the hero's shirt.

~Seth MacFarlane

There have to be people who are vocal about the advancement of knowledge over faith.

~Seth MacFarlane

Chris Elliott could read the phonebook and he's funny.

~Seth MacFarlane

Some of those more out-there jokes were written in the wee hours of the morning. Somehow, they remained funny the next day.

~Seth MacFarlane

The success of The Simpsons really opened doors. It showed that if you were working in animation you didn't necessarily have to be working in kids' television.

~Seth MacFarlane

I hate people who say 'Just to play devil's advocate.'

~Seth MacFarlane

When you are in a room and your job is to write jokes 10 hours a day, your mind starts going to strange places.

~Seth MacFarlane

religion notoriously claims that they invented morality, they didn't. Morality exists in animals, ya know.

~Seth MacFarlane

I have a car that I like - an Aston Martin - for Sunday drives in the country.

~Seth MacFarlane

Sarah Palin is very pro-life of course, unless the life is that of an Iraqi

civilian or a wolf running frantically from a roaring helicopter while being strafed with ribbons of automatic weapons fire.

~Seth MacFarlane

I was a huge 'Star Trek' fan. I loved the 'Twilight Zone' growing up. In the future, I hope to create some thoughtful, sci-fi drama.

~Seth MacFarlane

I'm big on the importance of science, particularly right now at this point in time when there's sort of a systematic rejection of science by a lot of people in America.

~Seth MacFarlane

You break the story first, and then you go into the specifics.

~Seth MacFarlane

The trend today is vampires, zombies, angels, all the stuff that puts me right to sleep. It's too bad because it's so much less interesting than the diversity of stories you can tell with science.

~Seth MacFarlane

I wrote on a show called Johnny Bravo when I was at Hanna-Barbera and he guest-starred as himself.

~Seth MacFarlane

The good thing about Broadway is that you don't have to worry about an airdate. It gets done when it gets done.

~Seth MacFarlane

'American Dad' is, by its nature, much more political.

~Seth MacFarlane

If something is shocking without being funny it's hard to justify.

~Seth MacFarlane

The relationship between Aquaman and Aqualad should be investigated.

~Seth MacFarlane

The average person has eight different jobs over the course of their lifetime. You get a little antsy doing the same thing.

~Seth MacFarlane

When astrology was conceived, all of the celestial bodies were in different places. So if you're a Sagittarius now, I guess you would have been a Capricorn 2,000 years ago.

~Seth MacFarlane

If something sticks around long enough that it makes it to seasonal D.V.D. release, I'll watch it. That's how I watched 'The Sopranos'.

~Seth MacFarlane

I was a big Fred Flintstone fan.

~Seth MacFarlane

I was about two years old when I first started drawing recognizable characters.

~Seth MacFarlane

You would not want me on your football team.

~Seth MacFarlane

The problem with the cable networks is the lack of money, not from personal income but as far as show budget.

~Seth MacFarlane

'The Brady Bunch' asks nothing of you as a viewer. Sometimes is just what the doctor ordered.

~Seth MacFarlane

The worst thing to happen at the Oscars would be if nothing happened. You want something unscripted, something to riff on, something kinda out there.

~Seth MacFarlane

With any half-hour comedy, it kind of takes on its own life and finds itself.

~Seth MacFarlane

If I were to do a musical, I think I would rather make a film musical.

~Seth MacFarlane

I'm one of the few people in Hollywood who actually had a good childhood.

~Seth MacFarlane

I don't smoke much pot anymore.

~Seth MacFarlane

I still do a lot of drawing on a daily basis.

~Seth MacFarlane

I can't believe I am hosting the Oscars. It's an honor everyone else said no.

~Seth MacFarlane

Obviously I'm a big fan of 'South Park,' but it gets tiring at times when there's so much of it.

~Seth MacFarlane

Fox is notorious for having a very thick skin about taking shots at themselves.

~Seth MacFarlane

Denzel Washington has a great sense of humor. He did all those 'Nutty Professor' movies.

~Seth MacFarlane

My dad always played Anne Murray in the car on the way to the dump when I was a kid.

~Seth MacFarlane

If a song is funny and absurd, and it sounds great, it's just going to be that much funnier. And there's no better example of that than 'Monty Python.'

~Seth MacFarlane

When 'Family Guy' started, we wanted to make it more like a sitcom. And there was very little music.

~Seth MacFarlane

I did a lot of theater when I was in high school and college. I also did stand-up in college, so it was always part of what I did.

~Seth MacFarlane

I had - I was pretty hell bent on getting into the cartoon business specifically as an artist from the get-go.

~Seth MacFarlane

The Simpsons are ugly-looking, and they should be. That's what works. That's one of the things that's funny.

~Seth MacFarlane

There are things about the single lifestyle that are very appealing.

~Seth MacFarlane

I love the English. My God, they brought us 'Benny Hill,' 'Monty Python,' 'The Office,' Neville Chamberlain.

~Seth MacFarlane

Most of the outrage comes from not the public, but from the media, the press and writers.

~Seth MacFarlane

Even if you know a character really well, there's no formula for what jokes will work and what won't.

~Seth MacFarlane

I distrust all television doctors.

~Seth MacFarlane

I cannot tell good art from bad art. I have no eye for it.

~Seth MacFarlane

Every woman's innate ability to let anything go.

~Seth MacFarlane

The quest for Tommy Lee Jones' laugh begins now.

~Seth MacFarlane

Character I want to be: "Blunt Talk's".

~Seth MacFarlane

We never really tried to shock for shock's sake on 'Family Guy.' If something was horribly offensive and shocking we would put it in if it was also hysterically funny.

~Seth MacFarlane

Whoever invented spray cheese had to have been a Harvard guy.

~Seth MacFarlane

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