

Shams Tabrizi

Quotes

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There are more fake guides, teachers in the world than stars. The real guide is the one who makes you see your inner beauty, not the one who wants to be admired and followed.

~Shams Tabrizi

Instead of resisting to changes, surrender. Let life be with you, not against you. If you think "My life will be upside down" don't worry. How do you know down is not better than upside?

~Shams Tabrizi

It is pointless trying to know where the way leads. Think only about your first step, the rest will come.

~Shams Tabrizi

When everyone is trying to be something, be nothing. Range with emptiness.

~Shams Tabrizi

Love is a travel. All travelers whether they want or not are changed. No one can travel into love and remain the same.

~Shams Tabrizi

Be sure that someday you'll praise and thank God for your unanswered prayers that once you had wept for them.

~Shams Tabrizi

You learn by reading but understand by LOVE.

~Shams Tabrizi

The real dirt is not outside, but inside, in our hearts. We can wash all stains with water. The only one we can't remove is the grudge and the bad intentions sticking to our hearts.

~Shams Tabrizi

Intellect takes you to the door, but it doesn't take you into the house.

~Shams Tabrizi

When a sincere woman begins to dance, the seven heavens, the earth, and all creatures begin to dance.

~Shams Tabrizi

The past is a fog on our minds. The future? A complete dream. We can't neither guess the future, neither change the past.

~Shams Tabrizi

When everyone is trying to be something, be nothing. Range with emptiness. Human should be like a pot. As the pot is hold by its emptiness inside, human is hold by the awareness of his nothingness.

~Shams Tabrizi

Wherever you go, east, west, north or south, think of it as a journey into yourself! The one who travels into itself travels the world.

~Shams Tabrizi

For anew Self to be born, hardship is necessary. Just as clay needs to go through intense heat to become strong, Love can only be perfected in pain.

~Shams Tabrizi

You can be everything in life but the important thing is to be a good person.

~Shams Tabrizi

You have to live with the people in hypocrisy for them to stay happy with you.

~Shams Tabrizi

If you expect respect from others, show it first to yourself. You can't

expect from others what you don't give to yourself.

~Shams Tabrizi

Be grateful! It is easy to thank after obtaining what you want, thank before having what you want.

~Shams Tabrizi

There may be one fault in a man that conceals a thousand qualities, or one excellence that conceals a thousand faults. The little indicates much.

~Shams Tabrizi

The quest for Love changes us. There is no seeker among those who search for Love who has not matured on the way. The moment you start looking for Love, you start to change within and without.

~Shams Tabrizi

To get closer to Truth and Right, we need a beautiful and soft heart.

~Shams Tabrizi

A good man complains of no one; he does not look to faults.

~Shams Tabrizi

Surrendering is not a weakness. At the contrary it is strength. The surrender stops living in boiling water and starts living in a secure place.

~Shams Tabrizi

If you are insulted, if you are accused, if they gossip about you, don't say anything bad. Don't be the one who sees the shame, be the one who corrects it.

~Shams Tabrizi

Most of conflicts and tensions are due to language. Don't pay so much

attention to the words. In love's country, language doesn't have its place. Love's mute.

~Shams Tabrizi

When you oppose the shaykh, it's like the slave who kills himself over a quarrel with his master. 'Hey, why are you killing yourself over a quarrel?' He says, 'So my master will suffer loss.'

~Shams Tabrizi

The salat can be made up for, but there is no making up for false show or outward worship without presence.

~Shams Tabrizi

Being the companion of the folk of this world is fire. There must be an Abraham if the fire is not going to burn [you].

~Shams Tabrizi

Nothing kills the soul that commands to evil (Nafs al Ammarra) like seeing the beauty of the heart.

~Shams Tabrizi

Whoever lives as he sees fit will not die as he sees fit.

~Shams Tabrizi

'Alms in secret extinguish the wrath of the Lord' means you are so immersed in sincerity and in preserving that sincerity that you have no pleasure in giving alms.

~Shams Tabrizi

If the human being is a proud and honorable creature, he shouldn't forget to act that way, even if he falls, even if the whole world is against him, even if he ends as a slave.

~Shams Tabrizi

If parts are always changing, the whole remains the same. A dead good man is replaced by a good man, a dead bad man is replaced by a bad man. While the whole remains the same, every day is different.

~Shams Tabrizi

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