

Steve Wozniak

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If you love what you do and are willing to do what it takes, it's within your reach.

~Steve Wozniak

I wish to God that Apple and Google were partners in the future.

~Steve Wozniak

My primary phone is the iPhone. I love the beauty of it. But I wish it did all the things my Android does, I really do.

~Steve Wozniak

Most inventors and engineers I've met are like me. They're shy and they live in their heads. The very best of them are artists. And artists work best alone.

~Steve Wozniak

I learned not to worry so much about the outcome, but to concentrate on the step I was on and to try to do it as perfectly as I could when I was doing it.

~Steve Wozniak

Wherever smart people work, doors are unlocked.

~Steve Wozniak

Never trust a computer you can't throw out a window.

~Steve Wozniak

I just believe in whatever you're going to do, even if it's work, have a little bit of fun attitude about it. You can be happy.

~Steve Wozniak

The easier it is to do something, the harder it is to change the way you do it.

~Steve Wozniak

Steve Jobs doesn't use a Mac, and won't, because it's too crappy in his opinion.

~Steve Wozniak

A lot of hacking is playing with other people, you know, getting them to do strange things.

~Steve Wozniak

My dream was actually just to have a computer some day. If I'd imagined that it meant starting a company to sell them, I probably would have avoided the whole thing.

~Steve Wozniak

It would be nice to design a real briefcase - you open it up and it's your computer but it also stores your books.

~Steve Wozniak

Don't worry that you can't seem to come up with sure billion dollar winners at first. Just do projects for yourself for fun. You'll get better and better.

~Steve Wozniak

Creative things have to sell to get acknowledged as such.

~Steve Wozniak

I sold my most valuable possession, but I knew that because I worked at Hewlett Packard, I could buy the next model calculator the very next month for a lower price than I sold the older one for!

~Steve Wozniak

To give of yourself is much more important than giving a gift you can buy.

~Steve Wozniak

When you stop and think about it, a smartphone is basically a whistle you can carry.

~Steve Wozniak

I really worry about everything going to the cloud.

~Steve Wozniak

All the best people in life seem to like LINUX.

~Steve Wozniak

I was born to teach. I have always had this gift with children.

~Steve Wozniak

I went - I had designed - in high school designed hundreds and hundreds of computers over and over and over, so I developed these skills without ever thinking I'd do it in life as job.

~Steve Wozniak

Teachers started recognizing me and praising me for being smart in science and that made me want to be even smarter in science!

~Steve Wozniak

Everything we did we were setting the tone for the world.

~Steve Wozniak

I had a TV set and a typewriter and that made me think a computer should be laid out like a typewriter with a video screen.

~Steve Wozniak

For some reason I get this key position of being one of two people that started the company that started the revolution.

~Steve Wozniak

Some great people are leaders and others are more lucky, in the right

place at the right time. I'd put myself in the latter category. But I'd never call myself a normal designer of anything.

~Steve Wozniak

The first Apple was just a culmination of my whole life.

~Steve Wozniak

Imagination is something you do alone.

~Steve Wozniak

My goal wasn't to make a ton of money. It was to build good computers.

~Steve Wozniak

I thought Microsoft did a lot of things that were good and right building parts of the browser into the operating system. Then I thought it out and came up with reasons why it was a monopoly

~Steve Wozniak

But I know newspapers. They have the first amendment and they can tell any lie knowing it's a lie and they're protected if the person's famous or it's a company.

~Steve Wozniak

I'd learned enough about circuitry in high school electronics to know how to drive a TV and get it to draw - shapes of characters and things.

~Steve Wozniak

I worked with such concentration and focus and I had hundreds of obscure engineering or programming things in my head. I was just real exceptional in that way

~Steve Wozniak

I absolutely do not need a salary or a job, that's the last thing I need.

~Steve Wozniak

At our computer club, we talked about it being a revolution. Computers were going to belong to everyone, and give us power, and free us from the people who owned computers and all that stuff.

~Steve Wozniak

You know what, Steve Jobs is real nice to me. He lets me be an employee and that's one of the biggest honors of my life.

~Steve Wozniak

Bill Gates did predict that computers for people made sense because he wrote a basic.

~Steve Wozniak

In the end, I hope there's a little note somewhere that says I designed a good computer.

~Steve Wozniak

I am also atheist or agnostic (I don't even know the difference). I've never been to church and prefer to think for myself.

~Steve Wozniak

And Communist Russia was so bad because they followed their people, they snooped on them, they arrested them, they put them in secret prisons, they disappeared them.

~Steve Wozniak

The biggest benefit in my life comes from my Segway, which I use everywhere I am. If I'm going to San Antonio, for example, I'll load it in the car and just go everywhere with it.

~Steve Wozniak

Being an electronic genius was a reputation I had, maybe being even

into math and science almost exclusively and not wanting to be in the other normal parts of the world.

~Steve Wozniak

Hard disks have disappointed me more than most technologies.

~Steve Wozniak

I wanted to be funny. And I'm always acknowledged for my pranks and jokes nowadays.

~Steve Wozniak

After the Apple II was introduced, then came the Commodore and the Tandy TRS-80.

~Steve Wozniak

Every dream I've ever had in life has come true ten times over.

~Steve Wozniak

In some parts of life, like mathematics and science, yeah, I was a genius. I would top all the top scores you could ever measure it by.

~Steve Wozniak

Back in high school I told my dad, "I'm going to have a computer someday." And he said that it cost as much as a house-the downpayment on a house. And I said, "Well, I'll live in an apartment."

~Steve Wozniak

You need the kind of objectivity that makes you forget everything you've heard, clear the table, and do a factual study like a scientist would.

~Steve Wozniak

If I designed a computer with 200 chips, I tried to design it with 150. And then I would try to design it with 100. I just tried to find every trick I

could in life to design things real tiny

~Steve Wozniak

I think that the anti-Microsoft sentiment is simply due to their having been so successful selling a lot of crap.

~Steve Wozniak

It's funny how when you're up so late at night for so long your mind can get into these creative places, the kind of creative places that come to you when you're halfway between asleep and awake.

~Steve Wozniak

Even if you do something that others might consider wrong, you should at least be willing to talk about it and tell your parents what you're doing because you believe it's right.

~Steve Wozniak

When we first started with Apple computers, it was my dream that everyone would learn to program, and that was how they'd use their computer.

~Steve Wozniak

College just didn't even have computers for an under-curriculum when I started college.

~Steve Wozniak

If you try to make such projects, unseen by others, as perfect as any human could, you'll develop skills that other professionals don't have.

~Steve Wozniak

Geek it's really more a characteristic where you don't socialize. You don't talk the normal languages.

~Steve Wozniak

Not everything in life can go perfectly according to plan. I mean I didn't keep every girlfriend I ever had.

~Steve Wozniak

I had much more money than you ever need in your life to live on. So I was giving computer labs to school districts. I was - but then I decided you should really give yourself.

~Steve Wozniak

I wanted to be a fifth grade teacher because my teacher was so important to me and was giving me the education that was going to take me through life and through this world.

~Steve Wozniak

I want to feel that I own things.

~Steve Wozniak

I went drinking with Gray Powell and all I got was a lousy iPhone prototype.

~Steve Wozniak

I'm also a fan with sticking with the most standard software that millions of other users also use, because you get the benefit of all those other users' problems and solutions.

~Steve Wozniak

I think Apple's revenge is just the fact that Windows, you know, PCs all became Macintoshes in a way.

~Steve Wozniak

I wanted to be an elementary school teacher my whole life.

~Steve Wozniak

The way I did it, every job was A+.

~Steve Wozniak

Rockets are bad technology. iPhones are good technology

~Steve Wozniak

It's a lot easier to think of an app and write it than it is to convince people to want it.

~Steve Wozniak

Did you really invent the computer, or am I being pranked right now?

~Steve Wozniak

You should stay closely connected to the technology when you start your company.

~Steve Wozniak

We truly could have used the later Jobs in earlier years at Apple, is what I feel.

~Steve Wozniak

Artists work best alone. Work alone.

~Steve Wozniak

I think everything I have done in my life, my reasons at the time were right no matter how things worked out.

~Steve Wozniak

I have always respected education, which is why I actually went back secretly and taught school for eight years.

~Steve Wozniak

He [Steve Jobs] had more of the future vision: We can bring this to everyone; we can start a company; we can sell it.

~Steve Wozniak

I hate to say it, and Apple never likes it, but I love anything that's hacker oriented. I don't like passing it onto others, or getting things for free. I don't like stealing music one bit, at all.

~Steve Wozniak

My whole life had been designing computers I could never build.

~Steve Wozniak

Everything that has a computer in will fail. Everything in your life, from a watch to a car to a radio, to an iPhone, it will fail if it have a computer in it.

~Steve Wozniak

Steve Jobs didn't really set the direction of my Apple I and Apple II designs but he did the more important part of turning them into a product that would change the world. I don't deny that.

~Steve Wozniak

Steve Jobs had very strong feelings about what makes a company great, what makes products great. He more or less chose Tim Cook to be in that role, in that position.

~Steve Wozniak

The best things that capture your imagination are ones you hadn't thought of before and that aren't talked about in the news all the time.

~Steve Wozniak

Neither one of us could be sure we'd get our money back on this investment, but we just wanted to have company of our own for once because we were best friends.

~Steve Wozniak

I really believe I know why my designs were better than any other human being, but I don't want to take credit for starting Apple, for

turning the world around or anything like that.

~Steve Wozniak

He [Steve Jobs] had come from the surplus electronics parts world. So he came from that world, and he said let's sell PC boards for \$40. We'll build them for \$20 and sell them for \$40.

~Steve Wozniak

Atari is a very sad story.

~Steve Wozniak

Young children were always so important to me. Adults should treat children with more respect. We should put more monies in our schools. I grew up on that side of the coin.

~Steve Wozniak

It's just not right that so many things don't work when they should. I don't think that will change for a long time.

~Steve Wozniak

There's nothing that would keep Apple out of the Android market as a secondary phone market.

~Steve Wozniak

When you're providing a service to somebody, you're the guy they always call when something's wrong.

~Steve Wozniak

Predictions can sound really good if you're good with words and can express them eloquently and give people ideas and inspiration in their head. But I'm not really good at that, so I don't want to.

~Steve Wozniak

You'd better have the technology knowledge. I really urge you not to

think you can start a whole company and business with just ideas on paper, because you'll end up owning so few of those ideas.

~Steve Wozniak

With the cloud, you don't own anything. You already signed it away.

~Steve Wozniak

Somebody who's designing something for himself has at least got a market of one that he's very close to.

~Steve Wozniak

I just was non-political and didn't see myself as a person who could push people around, make their decision, you know, and tell them how lousy their work was.

~Steve Wozniak

A lot of things seem to be worth almost no money. but if you do them very well, and they help people fill a need, there's a great business you can build around that.

~Steve Wozniak

I read Google News and use NetNewsWire to keep up with general and tech news.

~Steve Wozniak

Our first computers were born not out of greed or ego, but in the revolutionary spirit of helping common people rise above the most powerful institutions.

~Steve Wozniak

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