

Susan Abulhawa

Quotes

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Committed, Blood, Skins, Healing, Good Words, Instant, Mind, Boys, Fluttering,
Brain, Voice*

We're all born with the greatest treasures we'll ever have in life. One of those treasures is your mind, another is your heart.

~Susan Abulhawa

They had bombed and burned, killed and maimed, plundered and looted. Now they had come to claim the land.

~Susan Abulhawa

For if life had taught her anything, it was that healing and peace can begin only with acknowledgment of wrongs committed.

~Susan Abulhawa

Love cannot reconcile with deception

~Susan Abulhawa

An instant can crush a brain and change the course of life, the course of history.

~Susan Abulhawa

We come from the land, give our love and labor to her, and she nurtures us in return. When we die, we return to the land. In a way, she owns us. Palestine owns us and we belong to her

~Susan Abulhawa

Israeli occupation exposes us very young to the extremes of our emotions, until we cannot feel except in the extreme.

~Susan Abulhawa

For I'll keep my humanity, though I did not keep my promises. ... and Love shall not be wrested from my veins.

~Susan Abulhawa

How can one find the first moment of love? When, in what instant, does the night's dark sky become blue?

~Susan Abulhawa

the reverse side of love is unbearable loss.

~Susan Abulhawa

I know she is crying. Her tears fall on the wrong side, into the bottomless well inside her.

~Susan Abulhawa

Under the broken promises of superpowers and under the worlds indifference to spilled Arab blood.

~Susan Abulhawa

I watch life trickle from the bullet wound of a sixteen-year-old "example" and marvel how things weak, even words, will turn vicious and merciless to gain power, despite reason or history

~Susan Abulhawa

love is what we are about, my darling," she says. "Not even in death has our love faded, for I live in your veins.

~Susan Abulhawa

The land and everything on it can be taken away, but no one can take away your knowledge or the degrees you earn

~Susan Abulhawa

I feel sad for him. Sad for the boy bound to the killer. I am sad for the youth betrayed by their leaders for symbols and flags and war and power.

~Susan Abulhawa

A persistent breeze lifted the thin curtains, fluttering a few moments of tranquility into the turbulent day.

~Susan Abulhawa

Always" is a good word to believe in.

~Susan Abulhawa

Would words shatter the immensity of life and death so close to one another?

~Susan Abulhawa

Death, in its certainty, is exacting its due respect and repose before it takes my hand.

~Susan Abulhawa

Nima Shirazi is a rare voice of rational analysis and political insight that provides an eloquent counter to the pervasive absurdities that make up popular political discourse.

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