

Tim Vine Quotes

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Velcro: what a rip-off.

~Tim Vine

Black beauty - he's a dark horse.

~Tim Vine

I saw this bloke chatting up a cheetah. He was trying to pull a fast one.

~Tim Vine

You see I'm against hunting, in fact I'm a hunt saboteur. I go out the night before and shoot the fox.

~Tim Vine

I've decided to sell my Hoover! well, it was just collecting dust.

~Tim Vine

I went out on a date with Simile. I don't know what I metaphor.

~Tim Vine

I was reading a book... 'the history of glue' - I couldn't put it down.

~Tim Vine

Now you know those trick candles that you blow out and a couple of seconds.

~Tim Vine

Crime in multi-storey car parks. That is wrong on so many different levels.

~Tim Vine

So I said to the gym instructor: 'Can you teach me to do the splits?' He said: 'How flexible are you?' I said: I can't make Tuesdays.'

~Tim Vine

So I went to the Chinese restaurant and this duck came up to me with a red.

~Tim Vine

I took part in the sun-tanning Olympics - I just got bronze.

~Tim Vine

Conjunctivitis.com â€” that's a site for sore eyes.

~Tim Vine

My mate asked me "What do you think of voluntary work?" I said "I wouldn't do it if you paid me."

~Tim Vine

I'll tell you what I love doing more than anything: trying to pack myself in a small suitcase. I can hardly contain myself.

~Tim Vine

So I went in to a pet shop. I said, "Can I buy a goldfish?" The guy said, "Do you want an aquarium?" I said, "I don't care what star sign it is."

~Tim Vine

So I fancied a game of darts with my mate. He said, 'Nearest the bull goes first.' He went 'Baah' and I went 'Moo'. He said 'You're closest.'

~Tim Vine

I'm so lazy I've got a smoke alarm with a snooze button.

~Tim Vine

Now did you know if a stick insect laid it's eggs in a jar of Bovril it will give birth to a litter of twiglets.

~Tim Vine

Believe it or not, there are twice as many eyebrows in the world as

there are people.

~Tim Vine

So I told my mum that I'd opened a theatre. She said, "Are you having me on?" I said, "Well I'll give you an audition, but I'm not promising you anything."

~Tim Vine

So this bloke says to me, "Can I come in your house and talk about your carpets?" I thought "That's all I need, a Je-hoover's witness".

~Tim Vine

Now, most dentist's chairs go up and down, don't they? The one I was in went back and forwards. I thought 'This is unusual'. And the dentist said to me 'Mr Vine, get out of the filing cabinet.

~Tim Vine

I'll tell you what makes my blood boil?... Crematoriums.

~Tim Vine

With silly stuff, it's seventy-five percent confidence. I always tell people that it's because I'm nervous about getting that next laugh and I need to hear it. I always want to condense a joke

~Tim Vine

I've just been on a once-in-a-lifetime holiday. I'll tell you what, never again.

~Tim Vine

So I was getting into my car and this bloke says to me, 'Can you give me a lift?' I said, 'Sure, you look great, the world's your oyster, go for it!'

~Tim Vine

So I rang up my local swimming baths. I said 'Is that the local swimming baths?' He said 'It depends where you're calling from.'

~Tim Vine

As you get older you're told to be sensible, but it's important for writing if you're a comic that you're able to still access that childlike thing.

~Tim Vine

So I went down the local supermarket, I said "I want to make a complaint, this vinegar's got lumps in it", he said "Those are pickled onions".

~Tim Vine

So I went to buy a watch, and the man in the shop said "Analogue." I said "No, just a watch."

~Tim Vine

This policeman came up to me with a pencil and a piece of very thin paper. He said, "I want you to trace someone for me."

~Tim Vine

So I met the bloke who invented crosswords today. I can't remember his name, it's P something T something R.

~Tim Vine

Black holes. I don't know what people see in them. Exit signs? They're on their way out.

~Tim Vine

If you do weave one-liners into a story, you have to have an overall story as well, otherwise it doesn't really count as narrative.

~Tim Vine

I love acting, but it's all just a bonus.

~Tim Vine

My friend told me he was going to a fancy-dress party as an Italian island. I said: 'Don't be Sicily'.

~Tim Vine

I went to the doctor. I said to him "I'm frightened of lapels." He said, "You've got cholera."

~Tim Vine

If you compulsively pun you are called a paronomasiac.

~Tim Vine

One of the things I like about when I tour sometimes is that occasionally you'll see a dad there with his 12-year-old son and they're both enjoying it.

~Tim Vine

You see my next door neighbour worships exhaust pipes, he's a catholic converter.

~Tim Vine

I phoned the local ramblers club today and this bloke just went on and on.

~Tim Vine

I'd like to start with the chimney jokes - I've got a stack of them. The first one is on the house.

~Tim Vine

One-armed butlers, they can take it but they can't dish it out

~Tim Vine

I was at sea the other day and loads of meat floated past. It was a bit

choppy.

~Tim Vine

I bought some Armageddon cheese today, and it said on the packet 'Best Before End...'

~Tim Vine

I've got a sponge front door. Hey, don't knock it.

~Tim Vine

When I left home, my mum said "Don't forget to write", I thought, "That's unlikely"... It's a basic skill isn't it.

~Tim Vine

I went into a shop and I said, "Can someone sell me a kettle." The bloke said "Kenwood" I said, "Where is he?"

~Tim Vine

I met this gangster who pulls up people's pants. Name's Wedgie Kray.

~Tim Vine

So I got home, and the phone was ringing. I picked it up, and said 'Who's speaking please?' And a voice said 'You are.'

~Tim Vine

The other day someone left a piece of plasticine in my dressing room. I didn't know what to make of it.

~Tim Vine

Comedy covers such a wide range of different styles that I'm not really qualified to talk on all of them any more than anyone else is.

~Tim Vine

My DVD cellophane was put on by a psychiatrist. It was

shrink-wrapped.

~Tim Vine

I'm not someone who gets to play The O2 and places like that, but that's the kind of rock and roll venue. The popularity of stand-up means that some people are getting to play rock star venues.

~Tim Vine

I was in this restaurant and I asked for something herby. They gave me a Volkswagen with no driver.

~Tim Vine

People think that because of my act that I must have a really busy mind and I must be driven. I really am not. I quite like going outside and looking at spiders on a hedge in my garden and stuff.

~Tim Vine

You know, I'm not very good at magic - I can only do half of a trick. Yes - I'm a member of the Magic Semi-circle.

~Tim Vine

For one thing, I don't pun excessively in real life.

~Tim Vine

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