

Tom Ford Quotes

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Both film and fashion are businesses where the audience doesn't feel or see the work that goes on behind the scenes.

~Tom Ford

A man should never wear shorts in the city. Flip-flops and shorts in the city are never appropriate. Shorts should only be worn on the tennis court or on the beach.

~Tom Ford

Real fashion change comes from real changes in real life. Everything else is just decoration.

~Tom Ford

I am not a person who is about reality. I am about enhanced reality.

~Tom Ford

Style is very different from fashion. Once you find something that works, keep it.

~Tom Ford

You should put on the best version of yourself when you go out in the world because that is a show of respect to the other people around you.

~Tom Ford

Glamour is something more than what you put on your body. It has to do with the way you carry yourself and the impact you have on others.

~Tom Ford

Time and silence are the most luxurious things today.

~Tom Ford

Dressing well is a form of good manners.

~Tom Ford

There are no right or wrong answers, There is only intuition

~Tom Ford

There aren't many strong or charismatic candidates today, because many people can't withstand the scrutiny.

~Tom Ford

As a fashion designer, I was always aware that I was not an artist, because I was creating something that was made to be sold, marketed, used, and ultimately discarded.

~Tom Ford

The Gucci woman - you know what she's after. The Saint Laurent woman - she's going to torture you a little bit. You might have sex, but she will drip a little hot wax on you first.

~Tom Ford

Only hire people you want to have dinner with.

~Tom Ford

I think that the older you get, the more you become your true, essential self. You find the things that make you happy. You whittle away the parts of yourself that mean less to you.

~Tom Ford

A few times in my life I've had moments of clarity where the silence drowns out the noise and I can feel rather than think.

~Tom Ford

When you find somebody good, keep them in your life.

~Tom Ford

British men are peacocks. You see a lot more style on the streets here than you see anywhere else, on every level.

~Tom Ford

If I had been a dog walker, I would have been the most successful dog walker in Paris.

~Tom Ford

On the one hand, I want to go off and live in the desert with my dog and sculpt things out of adobe.

~Tom Ford

We have the Terminator as governor, and we had an actor as president, so why shouldn't we have a fashion designer as a senator?

~Tom Ford

You have to love what you do to the point that you can't imagine doing anything else with your life.

~Tom Ford

I haven't had any plastic surgery - despite what people think, this is my nose. I have had Restylane and Botox, but I don't think of that as plastic surgery any more.

~Tom Ford

You know that only thing that has made the whole thing worthwhile has been those few times that I was able to truly connect with another person.

~Tom Ford

I am one of those people who isn't great at anything, but I'm pretty good at most things.

~Tom Ford

Everyday is one less day.

~Tom Ford

At home, off-duty, I wear T-shirts from Fruit of the Loom - but I have them tailored.

~Tom Ford

Just because one is spiritual doesn't mean that one doesn't like crocodile, cashmere. We live in a material world. We still experience these things. It doesn't mean to completely disregard them.

~Tom Ford

I believe that when you really want to do something, you should go ahead and do it. I mean, I feel fear, but I never let that stop me.

~Tom Ford

Perfection is almost an illness with me, but sometimes I have moments where everything is absolutely clear and you can feel, rather than think.

~Tom Ford

Keep your jacket buttoned. Always. It's just really flatteringâ€”it will take pounds off you.

~Tom Ford

What's so wrong with vanity? It's different from narcissism, you know? It's not about admiring yourself-it's about taking pride in your appearance.

~Tom Ford

If my parents had discouraged me, I would have turned out very differently. They raised me in an open-minded, liberal environment.

~Tom Ford

Dressing well is an expression of manners.

~Tom Ford

I am not someone who likes cocktail parties or large dinner parties, but I have to attend them often. I much prefer very small dinners with close friends.

~Tom Ford

I'm very direct. I don't have tantrums. I don't yell or shout. I do expect an awful lot from my staff, but no more than I expect of myself.

~Tom Ford

I don't believe in playing around much with suit cuts. I like a fairly classic shape that gives a man strong shoulders, a fitted waist, and long legs. Classic simplicity always works.

~Tom Ford

You have to be passionate, you have to be engaged and you have to be contributing to the world.

~Tom Ford

The world might be a very scary place if it were only run by Virgos.

~Tom Ford

Part of my family were ranchers. So you were expected to be quite macho. You weren't expected to cry. I was the exact opposite of that.

~Tom Ford

I suppose, yes, I've been guilty of provocation but it's also just common sense marketing - put a bottle of scent in a woman's cleavage, or between her thighs - and men will notice.

~Tom Ford

She needs to have a few drinks and cry a little-then she'll be perfect.

~Tom Ford

Oh my God, so many young girls now look like whores!

~Tom Ford

It's really never fair to judge people because none of us know what's going on inside anyone else's head.

~Tom Ford

My real life's not like the fantasy Tom Ford world - with naked girls pouring perfume everywhere. It's more staying in and watching Friends on television.

~Tom Ford

My goal is to help women to become the best version of themselves.

~Tom Ford

When the youth of America gets together, amazing things happen.

~Tom Ford

The seventies is what I love. Soft, touchable beauty is what I love.

~Tom Ford

Want girls to let you put your fingers in certain places? Get a manicure.

~Tom Ford

A film should be somewhat personal. I think that whatever you create you have to be true to yourself and create something that feels right to you.

~Tom Ford

I'm a believer in fate and in fulfilling your destiny. I've always had a kind of inner voice that I have learned to listen to.

~Tom Ford

It's hard not to be sexy in a pair of high heels.

~Tom Ford

What works with your skin and eyes? Use that to zero in on your wardrobe.

~Tom Ford

The idea of losing someone that you love could throw you into a situation where you could not see your future and you really would be living in the past.

~Tom Ford

Never, ever, ever wear anything you are uncomfortable in. Because that is what you'll project: 'I look like a fool.'

~Tom Ford

I want to make beautiful clothes for women and men who appreciate detail and quality. The product must be the best but this is almost secondary to the service the customer will receive.

~Tom Ford

You have to look inside yourself and you have to say, well, what am I about? Why does anyone need this? Why does anyone need a 'Tom Ford' jacket? What do I believe in?

~Tom Ford

France? I don't want to be anti-French but there isn't a more unattractive group of people on the streets.

~Tom Ford

I think that they haven't been able to perfect a good facelift for a man.

~Tom Ford

College campuses were once a hotbed of political activity.

~Tom Ford

I believe in living life the way that you want to live it every day, and if

you do that, you don't really need to have New Year's resolutions.

~Tom Ford

From the time we're born until we die, we're kept busy with artificial stuff that isn't important.

~Tom Ford

Every season, really, has their own chemistry.

~Tom Ford

I think that monogamy is artificial. I do not think it's something that comes naturally to us.

~Tom Ford

I'm a natural-born boss, I have to say. I just like to be good at things. Even as a child, I was boss of my family.

~Tom Ford

Once upon a time we did not focus on a president's private life.

~Tom Ford

I worry constantly and obsess over things, but I just don't let fear stand in the way of doing something that I really want to do.

~Tom Ford

This sounds crazy, but I know so many famous people, I'm just not intimidated by anyone. I feel really comfortable with it.

~Tom Ford

I think you should suffer sometimes to be attractive and beautiful, so I cut the clothes very slim because I like to feel the clothes on my body.

~Tom Ford

I love black dresses. I think everyone should own a lot, but black

dresses don't sell online because on the computer they don't read like anything.

~Tom Ford

I was not popular. I was the kid in school that was bullied.

~Tom Ford

Artists, like yourself, are born with a need to express that's just innate.

~Tom Ford

I went to a fashion show, and this silver-haired guy was staring at me with these piercing water-blue eyes. It scared me because I absolutely saw and knew my entire future.

~Tom Ford

I'm extremely organized. The more things I have to work on and can bounce back and forth between, the more energized I am.

~Tom Ford

I just want to make beautiful, glamorous clothes.

~Tom Ford

I'm a very serious person.

~Tom Ford

Men don't wear fashion any more except in Italy and London. Americans have lost that.

~Tom Ford

September 11th was a moment when America had the sympathy of the world.

~Tom Ford

I thought I was fabulous and everyone else was stupid.

~Tom Ford

When I read about young designers selling 51 percent of their company to someone else, I cringe. I want to say, 'Don't do it - call me first.'

~Tom Ford

When I was a kid, I thought I was going to be an actor.

~Tom Ford

Fashion is everything. Art, music, furniture design, graphic design, hair, makeup, architecture, the way cars look - all those things go together to make a moment in time, and that's what excites me.

~Tom Ford

I'm living the exact life I planned on living when I was five.

~Tom Ford

My career in fashion has been very much about sexuality and sex, and I think a lot of people think that's all I can do and what I am all about.

~Tom Ford

Second-guess [myself]? Yes, I do. I question everything I do every step of the way. Once I make the decision I'm almost blinded by believing in it, and then I usually hate everything I've done.

~Tom Ford

I find a bath meditative and usually prepare myself for the day in this manner.

~Tom Ford

I live, I shop almost exclusively on the Internet. I've bought cars on the Internet. I watch television, I do everything on it. I even watch my son online.

~Tom Ford

I'm not designing clothes for someone who is doing lines of coke off the table, like I was when I was at Gucci and Saint Laurent

~Tom Ford

I guess I'm just one of these people who, when I decide I'm going to do something, I just do it.

~Tom Ford

In my adult life I've understood that if I put an enormous amount of love and honesty into something, usually that shows in the end.

~Tom Ford

I probably do have an obsessive personality, but striving for perfection has served me well

~Tom Ford

You can't fake anything. If you're honest and true and you love something, and you put that energy into it, people can usually feel it on the other side.

~Tom Ford

I was not good at team sports, I have to say. I'm quite good at individual sports, but I was not good at team sports, so I wasn't good at baseball and football.

~Tom Ford

I think people who are attracted to the fashion industry are people who are really insecure and looking for a certain identity.

~Tom Ford

Yes, I still take my baths all day long. They're meditative. I have three a day.

~Tom Ford

I never want to retire until the day I drop dead. I want to work and work and work because work, I don't do for money, I do for love. And I love to work.

~Tom Ford

Advertising is, of course, important because advertise is the final design. It's the last layer that speaks to the customer, that tells them what you have.

~Tom Ford

One of my favorite teams of all time is Fran and Barry. I just thought Fran and Barry last season were just incredible and they just sort of went against all odds and were very successful.

~Tom Ford

If you don't need to quit drinking, you shouldn't quit drinking. I used to really love to drink, and especially living in London, it's just built for drinking.

~Tom Ford

My own sex life is very monogamous and happy . . . just a happy married sex life!

~Tom Ford

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