

# Usher Quotes

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Strivers achieve what dreamers believe.

~Usher

Success is all about having the confidence to shoot for something even if it seems impossible.

~Usher

There's always that one person, That will always have your heart. That one person for me is you.

~Usher

Giving a child an education is by far one of the most important investments we can make.

~Usher

The best present a man can give a woman is his undivided attention.

~Usher

You are my superstar. I'm your number one fan, give me your autograph, sign it right here on my heart. Girl, I'll be your groupie, baby.

~Usher

You are who you are, and in the end, If you don't believe it then no one will.

~Usher

Down time is not the name of the game.

~Usher

I like a woman who takes care of herself - it says something about the way she'll care for me.

~Usher

Success is measured by personal happiness.

~Usher

You either evolve or dissolve.

~Usher

I'm a flamboyant type of guy, a cooler version of Liberace.

~Usher

I tried football and got my ass beat. I tried baseball, and the ball knocked out one of my teeth.

~Usher

If you don't EVOLVE, you dissolve. You evolve or you evaporate.

~Usher

We all possess exactly what we need to be our greatest selves.

~Usher

The more youth begin to recognize that they have a voice, the more change is possible.

~Usher

Learn from the mistakes of others. You can't make them all yourself.

~Usher

My philosophy is I'm raising future adults, not children.

~Usher

Live performance has always been my thing. It's my purpose to master and capture the moment every time I have you connected.

~Usher

I guess I had it made. My mother gave me advice - she taught me that

women like to be looked in the eye - and my grandmother gave me condoms.

~Usher

I wouldn't call myself a coward, no way. But being buried alive is something I could never handle. The only way you'd see me being buried alive is if I was dead, man.

~Usher

As you go down the rabbit hole of reading into our history, you realize that there are so many things that history books didn't teach us about ourselves.

~Usher

In time we grow older, we grow wiser, we grow smarter, and we're better. And I feel like I'm becoming more seasoned, although I don't have my salt-and-pepper hair.

~Usher

If somebody steps on your shoes and ruins them, don't freak out.. get a new pair of shoes. If you miss something, don't freak out.. there's nothing you can do to change it.. just move on

~Usher

Sleeping is forbidden at the age of 22. It's all work and no play.

~Usher

It can never be bad to have a foundation as a man - a black man - in a time when women are dying for men. Women have started to become lovers of each other as a result of not having enough men.

~Usher

Somebody has to look out for and protect our kids, and I feel blessed to be a blessing to someone else.

~Usher

Appearance is something you should definitely consider when you're going out. Have your girlfriend clip your nails or something like that.

~Usher

I'm a sponge, the more I absorb, the more I am able to articulate my vision, as artists do, like Picasso. I'm an artist in that light. I went from being an artist to an artiste.

~Usher

I've been working so hard, I'm about to have a Mariah Carey.

~Usher

The beauty about living in Atlanta is that there aren't too many paparazzi here; you can just relax. And that really works for me and my children.

~Usher

I think anybody, not just children, is a product of a great environment. If you put them in a better environment from a sad situation, nine times out of 10, they'll go in the right direction.

~Usher

Breaking up is a natural evolution when you try to figure out what you want in life.

~Usher

The unique essence of being an artist is dying. Everything looks the same. Now there's a formula. And it works. - But it takes away from the reason we do it.

~Usher

I learned how music works dealing with Jermaine Dupri, and I learned

how image works dealing with Puff Daddy.

~Usher

The girls want to see the rips on your stomach - they like that.

~Usher

The idea of dates, boxes, categories are very scary for me.

~Usher

You can't fake being a star. But you can also become a great personality.

~Usher

I'd like to do something with Michael Buble, Harry Connick Jr., Tim McGraw, Justin Timberlake, and Gwen Stefani.

~Usher

I have this bodyguard so if I get tired of signing Autographs I ask him to step in. It's hard because people get angry at you, but I've got a life to live too.

~Usher

If [after one role] you believe that you've mastered acting and you don't have to study the craft or get a deeper perspective, then you're not going to succeed.

~Usher

When I reflect on the issues that black Hollywood has had with the lack of representation at the Oscars, I realized that we have a responsibility to tell stories that are meaningful for our history.

~Usher

I met BSB at a benefit gig we were both doing, and they are really humble, nice guys - and very hard working

~Usher

Artists who are relevant today won't be tomorrow unless someone does the right thing by their character and preserves it in the dialogue of a movie.

~Usher

You know, I like to release music the way I feel it, as opposed to having a date.

~Usher

I'm so sad to hear the horrible news of Amy Winehouse's death. I'm so happy I knew you Amy...Rest Well. Gone Too Soon...we'll miss you!!

~Usher

I never hated my father. I would have named my child Usher regardless. I never hated myself because I carried his name, because I made it mean what I wanted it to mean.

~Usher

I can win those four-chair turns all day.

~Usher

I was very fortunate to be able to represent an icon to many African Americans.

~Usher

Just because we have success in the moment, it doesn't mean anything.

~Usher

It isn't hard to be in a relationship because I've always loved to be in a relationship, and I love to be in love.

~Usher

The hardest thing I think I've ever had to do to tell you, the woman I love, that I'm having a baby by a woman that I barely know.

~Usher

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