

# William J. Clinton

## Quotes

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Children, Jobs, President, Government, Responsibility, Opportunity, Mean,  
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There are two kinds of people in the world. Those who have seen the Taj Mahal and love it and those who have not seen the Taj and love it.

~William J. Clinton

We cannot build our own future without helping others to build theirs.

~William J. Clinton

I did not have sexual relations with that woman

~William J. Clinton

NAFTA means jobs. American jobs, and good paying American jobs. If I didn't believe that, I wouldn't support this agreement.

~William J. Clinton

It is dangerously destabilizing to have half the world on the cutting edge of technology while the other half struggles on the bare edge of survival.

~William J. Clinton

Globalisation is not something that we can hold off or turn off. It is the economic equivalent of a force of nature, like wind or water.

~William J. Clinton

It depends upon what the meaning of the word 'is' is.

~William J. Clinton

I admire that about the Republicans: The evidence does not faze them. They are not bothered at all by the facts.

~William J. Clinton

AIDS is no longer a death sentence for those who can get the medicines. Now it's up to the politicians to create the "comprehensive strategies" to better treat the disease.

~William J. Clinton

Considering the current sad state of our computer programs, software development is clearly still a black art, and cannot yet be called an engineering discipline.

~William J. Clinton

You know, everybody makes mistakes when they are president.

~William J. Clinton

I did not have sexual relations with that woman, Miss Lewinsky. I never told anybody to lie, not a single time - never. These allegations are false.

~William J. Clinton

We must teach our children to resolve their conflicts with words, not weapons.

~William J. Clinton

There is nothing wrong with America that cannot be cured with what is right in America.

~William J. Clinton

Work is about more than making a living, as vital as that is. It's fundamental to human dignity, to our sense of self-worth as useful, independent, free people.

~William J. Clinton

Promising too much can be as cruel as caring too little.

~William J. Clinton

The road to tyranny, we must never forget, begins with the destruction of the truth.

~William J. Clinton

Strength and wisdom are not opposing values.

~William J. Clinton

Everybody counts, everybody deserves a chance, everybody has a responsible role to play and we all do better when we work together.

~William J. Clinton

Sometimes there is a difference in what is legal and what ought to be done.

~William J. Clinton

Mental illness is nothing to be ashamed of, but stigma and bias shame us all.

~William J. Clinton

The price of doing the same old thing is far higher than the price of change.

~William J. Clinton

When it comes to anything that's social, whether it's your family, your school, your community, your business or your country, winning is a team sport.

~William J. Clinton

Behind every great man there stands a great woman. Behind every great woman is a great behind.

~William J. Clinton

You can put wings on a pig, but you don't make it an eagle.

~William J. Clinton

Politics gives guys so much power that they tend to behave badly around women. And I hope I never get into that.

~William J. Clinton

Character is a journey, not a destination.

~William J. Clinton

Just as war is freedom's cost, disagreement is freedom's privilege.

~William J. Clinton

When I took office, only high energy physicists had ever heard of what is called the Worldwide Web... Now even my cat has its own page.

~William J. Clinton

In our hearts and in our laws, we must treat all our people with fairness and dignity, regardless of their race, religion, gender or sexual orientation. . . .

~William J. Clinton

I tried marijuana once. I did not inhale.

~William J. Clinton

We can't be so fixated on our desire to preserve the rights of ordinary Americans.

~William J. Clinton

I want American Dream growth - lots of new businesses, well-paying jobs, and American leadership in new industries, like clean energy and biotechnology.

~William J. Clinton

Sarah, there's a government inside the government, and I don't control it.

~William J. Clinton

There is a government within the government who controll this and i do not controll it

~William J. Clinton

Running helps me stay on an even keel and in an optimistic frame of mind.

~William J. Clinton

If you want to have a good life you have to have some constructive outlet for your feelings.

~William J. Clinton

Being president is like running a cemetery: you've got a lot of people under you and nobody's listening.

~William J. Clinton

I ask that all Americans demonstrate in their personal and public lives... the high ethical standards that are essential to good character and to the continued success of our Nation.

~William J. Clinton

From Bill Clinton speech- People are more impressed by the power of our example rather than the example of our power.

~William J. Clinton

Today, many companies are reporting that their number one constraint on growth is the inability to hire workers with the necessary skills.

~William J. Clinton

We don't need a constitutional amendment for kids to pray.

~William J. Clinton

Saddam Hussein didn't kill 3,100 people on Sept. 11. Osama bin Laden did, and as far as we know he's still alive.

~William J. Clinton

I don't like to use the word sacrifice.

~William J. Clinton

You can't say you love your country and hate your government.

~William J. Clinton

African Americans watch the same news at night that ordinary Americans do.

~William J. Clinton

Sometimes I think the environment in which we operate is entirely too secular. The fact that we have freedom of religion doesn't mean we need to try to have freedom from religion

~William J. Clinton

If the personal freedoms guaranteed by the Constitution inhibit the government's ability to govern the people, we should look to limit those guarantees.

~William J. Clinton

We know that when we protect our oceans we're protecting our future.

~William J. Clinton

I am in support of the NRA position on gun control.

~William J. Clinton

No problem of human making is too great to be overcome by human ingenuity, human energy, and the untiring hope of the human spirit.

~William J. Clinton

Shakespeare wrote, Einstein thought, Ataturk built.

~William J. Clinton

If we want to invest in the prosperity of our nation, we must invest in the education of our children so that their talents may be fully employed.

~William J. Clinton

What you earn depends on what you learn.

~William J. Clinton

So much of modern politics is focused not on honest differences of policy but on personal attacks.

~William J. Clinton

Let us all take more responsibility not only for ourselves and our families but for our communities and our country.

~William J. Clinton

I still believe in a place called Hope.

~William J. Clinton

The only preparation for prospering in the global economy is investing in ourselves.

~William J. Clinton

We find as our interdependence increases that, on the whole, we do better when other people do better as well.

~William J. Clinton

The purpose of government is to rein in the rights of the people.

~William J. Clinton

We passed welfare reform. All of you know I believe we were right to do it.

~William J. Clinton

If ever there comes a time when everyone you vote for wins and they do everything you think they should do, there will still be a gap between what is and what ought to be.

~William J. Clinton



Sharing in God's blessings is at the heart of Thanksgiving and at the core of the American spirit.

~William J. Clinton

Success is not the measure of a man but a triumph over those who choose to hold him back.

~William J. Clinton

On Bill Clinton: I have a simple question: Who's the last President to give you a balanced budget?

~William J. Clinton

Let's create an integrated global community where we have shared benefits and responsibilities, and we don't fight because of our differences.

~William J. Clinton

Keep your eyes on the prize and don't turn back.

~William J. Clinton

Yesterday is yesterday. If we try to recapture it, we will only lose tomorrow.

~William J. Clinton

A few years ago, (Barack Obama) would have been getting us coffee.

~William J. Clinton

You live in the age of interdependence. Borders don't count for much or stop much, good or bad, anymore.

~William J. Clinton

We should scrub all of our federal regulations to find responsible ways to make life easier to small businesses, i want to be a small business president.

~William J. Clinton

I haven't eaten at a McDonald's since I became President.

~William J. Clinton

It might surprise you to know I think I raised them too much, too

~William J. Clinton

Sometimes I feel like the fire hydrant looking at a pack of dogs.

~William J. Clinton

I believe that a worthwhile life is defined by a kind of spiritual journey and a sense of obligation.

~William J. Clinton

Indeed, I did have a relationship with Miss Lewinsky that was not appropriate. In fact, it was wrong.

~William J. Clinton

Let me say this as clearly as I can: No matter how sharp a grievance or how deep a hurt, there is no justification for killing innocents.

~William J. Clinton

Any president that lies to the American people should have to resign.

~William J. Clinton

In today's knowledge-based economy, what you earn depends on what you learn. Jobs in the information technology sector, for example, pay 85 percent more than the private sector average.

~William J. Clinton

When I was in England, I experimented with marijuana a time or two, and I didn't like it, and I didn't inhale, and I never tried again.

~William J. Clinton

Turning 50 gives me more yesterdays than tomorrows.

~William J. Clinton

Every American should have above average income, and my Administration is going to see they get it.

~William J. Clinton

When we make college more affordable, we make the American dream more achievable.

~William J. Clinton

America's greatness depends on the ability of its citizens to make the most of their lives. Americans with disabilities are an enormous, often untapped reservoir of that potential.

~William J. Clinton

I like the job. That's what I'll miss the most... I'm not sure anybody ever liked this as much as I've liked it.

~William J. Clinton

Education no longer stops on graduation day. We must demand excellence at every level of education.

~William J. Clinton

If you want to live like a Republican, vote like a Democrat.

~William J. Clinton

Progress changes consciousness, and when people's consciousness changes, then their awareness of what is possible changes as well - a virtuous circle.

~William J. Clinton

One way or the other, we are determined to deny Iraq the capacity to develop weapons of mass destruction and the missiles to deliver them.

That is our bottom line.

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The era of big government is over.

~William J. Clinton

If you want to know where I come by the passionate commitment I have to bringing people together without regard to race, it all started with my grandfather.

~William J. Clinton

By the end of the first month of the 1995 session, each senator will have made more money than any person who works 40 hours a week at minimum wage for the entire year.

~William J. Clinton

Literacy is not a luxury, it is a right and a responsibility.

~William J. Clinton

Justice may be blind, but we all know that diversity in the courts, as in all aspects of society, sharpens our vision and makes us a stronger nation.

~William J. Clinton

What works in the real world is cooperation.

~William J. Clinton

If one candidate is appealing to your fears, and the other one's appealing to your hopes, you'd better vote for the person who wants you to think and hope!

~William J. Clinton

[Americans know] the traditional values of Islam, devotion to faith and good works, to family and society, are in harmony with the best of American ideals.

~William J. Clinton

Supporters of capital punishment bear a special responsibility to ensure the fairness of this irreversible punishment.

~William J. Clinton

The 22nd Amendment should probably be modified to say two consecutive terms instead of two terms for a lifetime.

~William J. Clinton

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