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Music is only love looking for words.

- Durrell, Lawrence

Love is a friendship set to music.

- Cossman, E. Joseph

Great music is that which penetrates the ear with facility and leaves the memory with difficulty. Magical music never leaves the memory.

- Beecham, Sir Thomas

There is a pleasure in the pathless woods, There is a rapture on the lonely shore, There is society, where none intrudes. By the deep sea, and music in its roars; I love not man the less, but nature more.

- Gordon, George

Some books leave us free and some books make us free.

- Emerson, Ralph Waldo

A book that furnishes no quotations is no book -- it is a plaything.

- Peacock, Thomas Love

All the world knows me in my book, and my book in me.

- Montaigne, Michel Eyquem De

Of all the ways of acquiring books, writing them oneself is regarded as the most praiseworthy method. Writers are really people who write books not because they are poor, but because they are dissatisfied with the books which they could buy but do not like.

- Benjamin, Walter

The reason a writer writes a book is to forget a book and the reason a reader reads one is to remember it.

- Wolfe, Thomas

The book salesman should be honored because he brings to our attention, as a rule, the very books we need most and neglect most.

- Crane, Frank

My hopes are not always realized, but I always hope.

- Ovid

Fear cannot be without hope nor hope without fear.

- Spinoza, Baruch (Benedict de)

Hope is the best possession. None are completely wretched but those who are without hope. Few are reduced so low as that.

- Hazlitt, William

Between men and women there is no friendship possible. There is passion, enmity, worship, love, but no friendship.

- Wilde, Oscar

Friendship is composed of a single soul inhabiting two bodies.

- Aristotle

That is what friendship means. Sharing the prejudice of experience.

- Bukowski, Charles

However rare true love may be, it is less so than true friendship.

- La Rochefoucauld, Francois De

If you can't change your fate, change your attitude.

- Tan, Amy

Prayer does not change God, but changes him who prays.

- Kierkegaard, Søren

With true friends... even water drunk together is sweet enough.

- Proverb, Chinese

What I am looking for is a blessing not in disguise.

- Collins, Kitty O'neill

I bring to my life a certain amount of mess.

- Coppola, Francis Ford

A wounded deer leaps the highest.

- Dickinson, Emily

If I can stop one heart from breaking, I shall not live in vain.

- Dickinson, Emily

Hope is the thing with feathers that perches in the soul -- and sings the tunes without the words -- and never stops at all.

- Dickinson, Emily

I dwell in Possibility.

- Dickinson, Emily

Subdue your appetites, my dears, and you've conquered human nature .

- Dickens, Charles

Humor is by far the most significant activity of the human brain.

- Bono, Edward De

People of humor are always in some degree people of genius.

- Coleridge, Samuel Taylor

A humorist is a person who feels bad, but who feels good about it.

- Herold, Don

One should take good care not to grow too wise for so great a pleasure of life as laughter.

- Addison, Joseph

You grow up on the day you have your first real laugh at, yourself.

- Barrymore, Ethel

Laughter is day, and sobriety is night; a smile is the twilight that hovers gently between both, more bewitching than either.

- Beecher, Henry Ward

The difference between an optimist and a pessimist? An optimist laughs to forget, but a pessimist forgets to laugh.

- Bodett, Tom

Laughter is the cipher key wherewith we decipher the whole man

- Carlyle, Thomas

Laughter is the tonic, the relief, the surcease for pain.

- Chaplin, Charlie

Laughter is the only tranquilizer with no side effects.

- Graffiti

Hearty laughter is a good way to jog internally without having to go outdoors.

- Cousins, Norman

Beauty is truth, truth beauty -- that is all ye know on earth, and all ye need to know.

- Keats, John

Nothing ever becomes real till it is experienced -- even a proverb is no proverb to you till your life has illustrated it.

- Keats, John

There is not a fiercer hell than the failure in a great object.

- Keats, John

Love is blind.

- Chaucer, Geoffrey

We know little of the things for which we pray.

- Chaucer, Geoffrey

The five senses are horse sense, innocence, common sense, concupiscence, and nonsense.

- Unknown, Source

The profession of book writing makes horse racing seem like a solid, stable business.

- Steinbeck, John

Flaming enthusiasm, backed up by horse sense and persistence, is the quality that most frequently makes for success.

- Carnegie, Dale

I've often said there's nothing better for the inside of a man than the outside of a horse.

- Rogers, Will

Lord Ronald said nothing; he flung himself from the room, flung himself upon his horse and rode madly off in all directions.

- Leacock, Stephen B.

Each handicap is like a hurdle in a steeplechase, and when you ride up to it, if you throw your heart over, the horse will go along too.

- Bixby, Lawrence

My beautiful, my beautiful! That standest meekly by, with thy proudly-arched and glossy neck, and dark and fiery eye!

- Norton, Caroline Sheridan

Tears are the summer showers to the soul.

- Austin, Alfred

Tears of joy are like the summer rain drops pierced by sunbeams.

- Ballou, Hosea

What soap is for the body, tears are for the soul.

- Proverb, Jewish

Pandemonium did not reign; it poured.

- Bangs, John Hendrick

Charm is the ability to make someone think that both of you are quite wonderful.

- Unknown, Source

I don't like driving very much. That makes me very unhappy, because I scream a lot in the car, but other than that, life is actually pretty good.

- Goldberg, Whoopi

Nothing ends nicely, that's why it ends.

- Cruise, Tom

The ear tends to be lazy, craves the familiar and is shocked by the unexpected; the eye, on the other hand, tends to be impatient, craves the novel and is bored by repetition.

- Auden, W. H.

The eye is the mirror of the soul.

- Proverb

The eye is the jewel of the body.

- Thoreau, Henry David

I think your whole life shows in your face and you should be proud of that.

- Bacall, Lauren

The eyes those silent tongues of love.

- Cervantes, Miguel De

What is a face, really? Its own photo? Its make-up? Or is it a face as painted by such or such painter? That which is in front? Inside? Behind? And the rest? Doesn't everyone look at himself in his own particular way? Deformations simply do not exist.

- Picasso, Pablo

Now comes the mystery.

- Beecher, Henry Ward

Turn up the lights. I don't want to go home in the dark.

- Henry, O.

A father is always making his baby into a little woman. And when she is a woman he turns her back again.

- Bagnold, Enid

The most important thing a father can do for his children is to love their mother.

- Hesburgh, Theodore M.

It doesn't matter who my father was; it matters who I remember he was.

- Sexton, Anne

A school without football is in danger of deteriorating into a medieval study hall.

- Lombardi, Vince

Certain flaws are necessary for the whole. It would seem strange if old friends lacked certain quirks.

- Goethe, Johann Wolfgang Von

She learned to say things with her eyes that others waste time putting into words

- Ford, Corey

Flirting is the gentle art of making a man feel pleased with himself.

- Rowland, Helen

You go for it. All the stops are out. Caution is to the wind, and you're battling with everything you have. That's the real fun of the game.

- Dierdorf, Dan

A gentleman is a man who can disagree without being disagreeable.

- Unknown, Source

It is easy to see that, even in the freedom of early youth, an American girl never quite loses control of herself; she enjoys all permitted pleasures without losing her head about any of them, and her reason never lets the reins go, though it may often seem to let them flap.

- Tocqueville, Alexis De

The most decisive actions of our life -- I mean those that are most likely to decide the whole course of our future -- are, more often than not, unconsidered.

- Gide, Andre

The difference between e-mail and regular mail is that computers handle e-mail, and computers never decide to come to work one day and shoot all the other computers.

- Cascio, Jamais

Intimacies between women go backwards, beginning with revelations and ending up in small talk without loss of esteem.

- Bowen, Elizabeth

To really know someone is to have loved and hated him in turn.

- Jouhandeau, Marcel

Journalism is literature in a hurry.

- Arnold, Matthew

Literature is the art of writing something that will be read twice; journalism what will be grasped at once.

- Connolly, Cyril

A professional whose job it is to explain to others what it personally does not understand.

- Northcliffe, Lord

I still believe that if your aim is to change the world, journalism is a more immediate short-term weapon.

- Stoppard, Tom

The facts fairly and honestly presented; truth will take care of itself.

- White, William Allen

Bad manners make a journalist.

- Wilde, Oscar

A kiss is a lovely trick designed by nature to stop speech when words become superfluous.

- Bergman, Ingrid

It is the passion that is in a kiss that gives to it its sweetness; it is the affection in a kiss

that sanctifies it.

- Bovee, Christian Nevell

But his kiss was so sweet, and so closely he pressed, that I languished and pined till I granted the rest.

- Gay, John

Happiness is like a kiss. You must share it to enjoy it.

- Meltzer, Bernard

A kiss can be a comma, a question mark or an exclamation point. That's basic spelling that every woman ought to know.

- Mistinguett

A kiss, when all is said, what is it? A rosy dot placed on the I in loving; Tis a secret told to the mouth instead of to the ear.

- Rostand, Edmond

I can forget my very existence in a deep kiss of you.

- Smith, Byron Caldwell

The pursuit of perfection, then, is the pursuit of sweetness and light.

- Arnold, Matthew

There are two kinds of light -- the glow that illumines, and the glare that obscures.

- Thurber, James

Literature is my Utopia. Here I am not disfranchised. No barrier of the senses shuts me out from the sweet, gracious discourse of my book-friends. They talk to me without embarrassment or awkwardness.

- Keller, Helen

Literary imagination is an aesthetic object offered by a writer to a lover of books.

- Bachelard, Gaston

The test of literature is, I suppose, whether we ourselves live more intensely for the reading of it.

- Drew, Elizabeth

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