

A Collection of My Favourite Quotes

PERSONAL

A running collection of memorable lines from movies, books, poems, and songs.

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MOVIE

Spider-Man: Brand New Day

2026-08-06

“Sometimes Spider-Man has to do the hard thing, even if it breaks Peter Parker’s heart” ~ Peter Parker

MOVIE

Heat

2026-08-19

“Don’t let yourself get attached to anything you are not willing to walk out on in 30 seconds flat if you feel the heat around the corner” ~ Neil, McCauley

SONG

Bleecker Street, Simon and Garfunkel

2026-08-20

*Voices leaking from a sad café
Smiling faces try to understand
I saw a shadow touch a shadow’s hand
On Bleecker Street*

SONG

The Mute, Radical Face

2026-08-20

If you only listen with your ears, I can’t get in

POEM **Masks, Shel Silverstein**

2026-08-22

Shel Silverstein – Masks (annotated)

MOVIE **Batman Begins**

2026-08-22

People need dramatic examples to shake them out of apathy and I can't do that as Bruce Wayne. As a man, I'm flesh and blood, I can be ignored, I can be destroyed; but as a symbol... as a symbol I can be incorruptible, I can be everlasting. Something elemental, something terrifying. ~ Bruce Wayne

MOVIE **Batman Begins**

2026-08-22

It's not who I am underneath... but what I do... that defines me. ~ Bruce Wayne

MOVIE **Batman Begins**

2026-08-22

Alfred Pennyworth: Why bats, Master Wayne?

Bruce Wayne: Bats frighten me. It's time my enemies shared my dread.

POEM **Nothing twice; Wislawa Szymborska**

2026-08-22

*Why do we treat the fleeting day
with so much needless fear and sorrow?
It's in its nature not to stay:
Today is always gone tomorrow.*

SONG

Hey Jude, The Beatles

2026-08-26

*And anytime you feel the pain, hey, Jude, refrain
Don't carry the world upon your shoulders
For well you know that it's a fool who plays it cool
By making his world a little colder
Na-na-na-na-na, na-na-na-na*

SONG

The Dangling Conversation, Simon and Garfunkel

2026-09-03

*You're a stranger now unto me
Lost in the dangling conversation
And the superficial sighs
In the border of our lives*

SONG

Flowers Never Bend With the Rainfall, Simon and Garfunkel

2026-09-03

*Through the corridors of sleep
Past the shadows dark and deep
My mind dances and leaps in confusion
I don't know what is real
I can't touch what I feel
And I hide behind the shield of my illusion*

*So I'll continue to continue to pretend
That my life will never end
And the flowers never bend with the rainfall*

SONG

Skyfall, Adele

2026-09-05

*Let the sky fall
When it crumbles
We will stand tall
Face it all together*