**Love - Quotations**

**Absence is to love what wind is to fire; it extinguishes the small, it inflames the great. *(Bussy-Rabutin, French soldier and writer)***

**Age doesn’t protect you from love. But love, to some extent, protects you from age. *(Jeanne Moreau, French beauty)***

**Love should be something you get without having to ask for it. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**A baby is born with a need to be loved -- and never outgrows it. *(Frank A. Clark, in Register & Tribune Syndicate)***

**Love that has nothing but beauty to keep it in good health, is short-lived. *(Desiderius Erasmus)***

**Love lies somewhere between mercy and judgment. *(Dr. Paul Brenner)***

**Loving a child doesn’t mean giving in to all his whims; to love him is to bring out the best in him, to teach him to love what is difficult. *(Nadia Boulanger)***

**The one who loves the least controls the relationship. *(Robert Anthony)***

**Saying “I love you” is a conversation, not a message. *(Douglas Stone, in USA Weekend)***

**Those who love deeply never grow old; they may die of old age, but they die young. *(Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, English dramatist)***

**Love loves details. *(Marc Gafni)***

**They are true disciples of Christ, not who know most, but who love most. *(Frederich Spanheim)***

**There is no disguise which can for long conceal love where it exists or simulate it where it does not. *(Francois de La Rochefoucauld)***

**Love endures only when the lovers love many things together and not merely each other. *(Walter Lippmann)***

**Loving your enemies is where the rubber of Christianity hits the road. *(Honor Hill, a Christian Scientist in Dallas)***

**I have loved many things which no longer exist – and some which never did. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**We are loved by an expert in the field. *(J. Sig Paulson, Unity minister)***

**The fate of love is that it always seems to little or too much. *(Amelia Edith Barr, American author and journalist)***

**If you wish to be loved, show more of your faults than your virtues. *(Edward Bulwer-Lytton)***

**You cannot love anyone unless you also love his faults. *(Old Spanish saying)***

**All our loves are first loves. *(Susan Fromberg Schaeffer, in Mainland)***

**Never forget that I love you – and don’t let me forget it either. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**It is not in finding the right person, but in being the right person that leads to the fulfillment in love. *(Dr. Eric Butterworth, in Unity magazine)***

**The greatest of gifts is love. All other gifts are the symbols of affection. Love is the real thing! *(Dr. Fenwicke Holmes)***

**If we give love, we become love. *(Donald Curtis)***

**A man is only as good as what he loves. *(Saul Bellow, American author)***

**You’re making it extremely hard for me not to love you. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Hatreds never cease by hatreds. By love alone they cease. *(Buddha)***

**In the home my grandmother created, I find the beginnings of the love I have inherited. *(Lois Wyse, in Funny, You Don’t Look like a Grandmother)***

**It’s never too early to be hugged. You don’t know when it might be too late. *(Bil Keane, in The Family Circus comic strip)***

**Being loved and loving is much more important than being right. *(Jane Nelsen, in Serenity)***

**What’s irritating about love is it’s a crime that requires an accomplice. *(Baudelaire, poet)***

**In labors of love, every day is payday. *Quoted by Gaines Brewster, in Lithonia, Ga. Observer)***

**Laughter between two is sometimes a closer act of love than any other. *(Oswald Wynd, in The Ginger Tree)***

**You cannot leave a situation without spiritual injury unless you leave it lovingly. *(Peace Pilgrim)***

**If you think I have nothing better to do than love you madly, you’re perfectly right. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**When love is not madness, it is not love. *(Pedro Calderon de la Barca, Spanish dramatist)***

**Love doesn’t make the world go ‘round. Love is what makes the ride worthwhile. *(Franklin P. Jones)***

**He is in Love, though he may not always manifest it. *(Edith Cross)***

**Many people want to love me – but I think I could fit you in. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Love is the heart’s true mission, the mind’s nutrition, and the body’s physician. *(William Arthur Ward)***

**The effort of loving certain difficult people keeps my love-muscles very well exercised. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**The love of our neighbor in all its fullness simply means being able to say . . . “What are you going through?” *(Simmone Well)***

**Love your neighbors, but don’t pull down the fence. *(Chinese proverb)***

**An optimist is in love with life; a pessimist is in love with strife. *(Rose L. Korotkin, in The Saturday Evening Post))***

**If we are to love our neighbor as ourself we have to find something to love in ourself! *(Fern M. Hook)***

**In thousands of years, humanity may outgrow both love and cruelty, but I hope cruelty goes first. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**I’m not yet in so much pain that I won’t feel it if you stop loving me. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**In every pardon, there is love. *(Welsh proverb)***

**The path of love to God realization is unique because not only is it the most important but because it permeates all paths. *(William Parker)***

**People love others not for who they are, but for how they make us feel. *(Irwin Federman)***

**We don't love qualities, we love persons; sometimes by reason of their defects as well as of their qualities. *(Jacques Maritain, French philosopher)***

**Love has the power to turn something less into something more. *(Frank Freed, clinical psychologist)***

**Why do so many of the things I love have to be protected from each other? *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Any reason for loving me is a good one. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Looking back, I have this to regret, that too often when I loved, I did not say so. *(David Grayson)***

**Sometimes it’s hard to remember why I love you, can you give me a hint? *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**One need not be a saint in order to love. But it would appear that only someone who has loved can be a saint. *(Robert Ellsberg)***

**An old proverb of the Philippines goes: “To those we love we say the least.” *(L. M. Boyd)***

**To love another person is to see the face of God. *(Les Miserables)***

**Love is somewhere you want to be, with someone you want to be with. *(Tribune Media Services)***

**Love makes your soul crawl out from its hiding place. *(Zora Neale Hurston)***

**Out of love you can speak with straight fury. *(Eudora Welty)***

**Love gives you strength – but those who most need strength are those who must live without love. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**The more efficient a force is, the more silent and the more subtle it is. Love is the most subtle force in the world. *(Lewis Fischer, in The Essential Gandhi)***

**To love and be loved is to feel the sun from both sides. *(David Viscott, psychiatrist)***

**Love means being sure, without ever having to test. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**There is no surprise more magical than the surprise of being loved. *(Charles Morgan)***

**When testing for the presence of love, I'd rather get a false negative than a false positive. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Nothing tests my love of my fellow man more severely than the third day of a three-day conference. *(John W. Gardner)***

**Who travels for love, finds a thousand miles not longer than one. *(Japanese proverb)***

**We too often love things and use people, when we should be using things and loving people. *(Phil Barnhart, in Seasonings for Seasons,, p. 156)***

**We are effectively destroying ourselves by violence masquerading as love. *(R. D. Laing, Scottish psychiatrist)***

**I'll always want much more than my fair share of your love. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**You’re in love if your partner’s welfare is more important to you than your own. *(Harry Stack Sullivan, American psychiatrist)***

**Love that’s wise will not say all it means. *(Edwin Arlington Robinson, American poet)***

**Try to say it in the fewest possible words, unless you're saying that you love me. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

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