**Mind-Related**

**Indeed I give you a wise and discerning mind;**

**no one like you has been before you**

**and no one like you shall arise after you.**

***(1 Kings 3:12)***

**The human mind plans the way,**

**but the Lord directs the steps.**

***(Proverbs 16:9)***

**Do not be conformed to this world,**

**but be transformed by the renewing of your minds.**

***(Romans 12:2)***

**Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus.**

***(Philippians 2:5)***

**Your mind is like a parachute: If it isn't open, it doesn't work. *(Buzz Aldrin)***

**I’m still awaiting answers from my subconscious mind to questions my conscious mind has assigned to it. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Grandma: “Nelson, sit up straight.” Nelson: “How come?” Grandma points to her head and then says: “Because it says so in my book. The one up here. That’s what book!” Grandpa: “Don’t argue, boy. It’s engraved in stone.” *(Brian Crane, in Pickles comic strip)***

**Cease to do evil, learn to do good and clarify your mind. *(Buddha)***

**As a rule, what is out of sight disturbs men’s minds more seriously than what they see. *(Julius Caesar, in The Gallic War, Book VII)***

**I can't read your mind -- and your writing's so bad that I can't read your letters either. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**I’m waiting for my mind to clear before I do anything which might help clear my mind. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

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**A closed mind, like a closed room, can become awfully stuffy. *(Quote)***

**Why do people with closed minds always open their mouths? *(Rocky Mountain News)***

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**If a cluttered desk is a sign of a cluttered mind, what does an empty desk indicate? *(Bits & Pieces)***

**If you would stand well with a great mind, leave him with a favorable impression of yourself; if with a little mind, leave him a favorable impression of himself. *(Samuel Taylor Coleridge)***

**PSYCHED OUT: "I spent four years in college. I didn't learn a thing. It was really my own fault. I had a double major in psychology and reverse psychology." *(B. J. Novak)***

**Creative minds always have been known to survive any kind of bad training. *(Anna Freud)***

**It is not enough to have a good mind. The main thing is to use it well. *(Rene Descartes, French philosopher)***

**The mind wants to know all the world, and all eternity, even God. The mind's sidekick, however, will settle for two eggs over easy. *(Annie Dillard, wrier)***

**Our greatest natural resource is the minds of our children. *(Walt Disney)***

**The mind ought sometimes to be diverted that it may return to better thinking. *(Phaedrus)***

**The only real elegance is in the mind; if you've got that, the rest really comes from it. *(Diana Vreeland)***

**A study of the history of opinion is a necessary preliminary to the emancipation of the mind. *(John Maynard Keynes)***

**Nothing is at last sacred but the integrity of your own mind. *(Ralph Waldo Emerson)***

**You cannot enslave a mind that knows itself. *(Wangari Maathai, Nobel laureate)***

**The mind is not a vessel to be filled, but a fire to be kindled. *(Plutarch)***

**The true test of a first-rate mind is the ability to hold two contradictory ideas at the same time. *(F. Scott Fitzgerald, American novelist)***

**The mind formulates into thought images every idea that arises in it, and then tries to express it in language, which is nearly always inadequate. *(Charles Fillmore, in The Twelve Powers of Man, p. 77)***

**Be mindful even if your mind is full. *(De La Vega)***

**First man: "That snowplowing fellow keeps dumping snow in front of my driveway." Second man: "So why don't you give him a piece of your mind?" First man: "I've thought about doing that, but at my age, I can't spare any of it!" *(Rick Detorie, in One Big Happy comic strip)***

**My mind is God. *(Marie Theresa)***

**A great mind is one that can forget or look beyond itself. *(William Hazlitt)***

**While driving the car, Gloria says to Al: “There’s a lever you can push for more head-clearance, Al.” Al: “Now you tell me. Wait till I tell my psychiatrist about this!” *(J. C. Duffy, in The Fusco Brothers comic strip)***

**Man’s mind stretched to a new idea never goes back to its original dimensions. *(Oliver Wendell Holmes)***

**Little minds are interested in the extraordinary; great minds in the commonplace. *(Elbert Hubbard)***

**Your mind is like an iceberg. The most important part remains submerged. But that part is at least as active as the part you bring to the surface. The only problem is that it needs an environment that is free and relaxed in order to operate at maximum effectiveness. *(Samuel Gompers, in Bits & Pieces)***

**The immortal mind views our sojourn on earth as an opportunity to experience and develop our life stories – “the soul” of our lives. From listening to the myths and tales of our ancestors, we learn to access the treasure house of ancient initiatory traditions and discover the buried golden keys that unlock the passageway through various archetypal human dilemmas including fear, indecision, merging with and keeping separate from another. *(Michael Mayer)***

**A mind in motion is like a rolling snowball. *(Edward O’Blenis)***

**Great minds have purposes; others have wishes. *(Washington Irving)***

**It is a damned poor mind indeed that can't think of at least two ways of spelling any word. (*Andrew Jackson)***

**Where there is an open mind, there will always be a frontier. *(Charles Kettering)***

**My mind not only wanders, it sometimes leaves me completely. *(Rocky Mountain News)***

**My mind is too little to wander off by itself*. (The PassTime Paper)***

**People who live and act mindlessly run the risk of being trapped in unlived lives. *(Jeff Cox)***

**Man’s commonly held belief systems are shifting today. The belief that the mind is located in the body has limited human potential and power, but it is giving way before the higher truth that the mind transcends not only the body, but time and space. *(Gregory Barrette, Unity minister)***

**A THOUGHT TO REMEMBER: Those who lose their heads are usually the last ones to miss them. *(Reminisce Extra magazine)***

**Getting up early in the morning is simply a matter of mind over mattress. *(Matty Simmons, in The Saturday Evening Post)***

**The third-rate mind is only happy when it is thinking with the majority. The second-rate mind is only happy when it is thinking with the minority. The first-rate mind is only happy when it is thinking. *(A. A. Milne)***

**Never close your books on your mind*. (Bill Moyers, Emmy-award winning broadcast journalist)***

**He was so narrow-minded, he could see through a keyhole with both eyes. *(Molly Ivins, author)***

**Civilization no longer needs to open up wilderness; it needs wilderness to open up the still largely unexplored human mind. *(David Rains Wallace, in The Dark Range)***

**The psychiatrist asks the patient who is reading the “Neurosis Menu”: “Have you decided what you’re having?” *(J. C. Duffy, in Go Figure comic strip)***

***\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\**There is only one MIND. What you call your mind is the use you make of the mind of God. You are intelligent to the degree in which you give the mind of God action in you. Actually, it could be said, that you do not have a mind; your mind has you! You are your mind; you are nothing else. Anything else you think you are is just that, merely what you think you are. Everything outside of you is what you think it is. If you have no thoughts about a thing, it does not exist for you. *(A Synoptic Study of the Teachings of Unity, p. 27)***

**People with one-track minds often have derailed trains of thought. *(Ray A. McCarty, in Reader's Digest)***

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**Nothing is so painful to the human mind as great and sudden change. *(Mary Shelley)***

**My Favorite Saying: “Minds are like parachutes … they only function when open. *(Martha Tomlin, in Reminisce Extra magazine)***

**The mind needs no passport. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**Chance favors the prepared mind. (*Louis Pasteur*)**

**When she gives you a piece of her mind it's always a long and narrow one." *(Washington, Iowa, Journal, as quoted in Dees Moines Tribune)***

**In the beginner’s mind there are many possibilities; in the expert’s mind there are few. *(Shunryu Suzuki, in Zen Mind, Beginner’s Mind)***

**The human mind is programmed for survival, not for truth. *(John Gray, English philosopher)***

**Great minds discuss ideas; average minds discuss events; small minds discuss people. *(Eleanor Roosevelt) 6132517***

**A ruffled mind makes a restless pillow. *(Charlotte Bronte)***

**Patient: “A recurring vision keeps running through my mind, Doctor.” Psychiatrist: “Actually, that’s the best place for one of those to run through, as far as body parts are concerned.” *(J. C. Duffy, in Go Figure comic strip)***

**The purest and most thoughtful minds are those which love color the most. *(John Ruskin)***

**If it’s true the mind is like a sponge, I wish I could squeeze mine out once in a while and get rid of stuff I don’t need anymore. *(Beryl Pfizer, in Ladies’ Home Journal)***

**The mind is like the stomach. It is not how much you put into it that counts, but how much it digests. *(Albert Jay Nock)***

**Good theater stretches our notions of people and events. And a stretched mind never returns exactly to its original shape. *(David Richards, critic, in The Washington Post)***

**Great minds talk about ideas, average minds talk about events, and small minds talk about people. *(Eric Butterworth,, in MetaMorality, p. 113)***

**The treacherous, unexplored areas of the world are not in continents or the seas; they are in the minds and hearts of men. *(Allen E. Claxton)***

**Nothing is more unpleasant than a virtuous person with a mean mind. *(Walter Bagehot, journalist)***

**Human minds are like wagons – the lighter the load, the noisier they are. *(Lorene Workman)***

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**“Oh, doctor, I’m so upset,” said the woman. “My husband seems to be wandering in his mind.” “Don’t let that worry you,” the doctor replied. “I know your husband – he can’t go far.” *(Southeastern Oil Review)***

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**The forceps of our minds are clumsy things and crush the truth a little in the course of taking hold it. *(H. G. Wells)***

**In our minds all events happen, all joys live, all sorrows find the philosophy that tempers them. Here is a citadel that cannot be taken, a region of peace where storm cannot enter unless we welcome it. *(Ardis Whitman, in Reader’ Digest)***

**The mind is a wonderful thing. It starts working the minute you're born and never stops until you get up to speak in public. *(Roscoe Drummond)***

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