

**Solo Quotes**  
**Collected by Faith Evans**

**We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors,  
We borrow it from our children.**

*Anonymous*

**Nature can teach only those who have eyes to see the invisible and ears to  
hear the inaudible. Nature gives no tests, no examination. The only  
examination that matters is given by life itself.**

*H.D. Thoreau*

**Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful,  
we must carry it with us or we will not find it.**

**Ralph Waldo Emerson**

**We shall not cease from exploration  
And the end of all our exploring  
Will be to arrive where we started  
And know the place for the first time.**

*T.S. Eliot*

**I shall be telling this with a sigh  
Somewhere ages and ages hence;  
Two roads diverged in a wood and I--  
I took the one less traveled by,  
And that has made all the difference.**

*Robert Frost*

**I never did. I never did. I never did like "Now take care, dear.!"**

*A.A. Milne*

**I went to the woods because I wished to live deliberately, to front only the  
essential facts of life and see if I could not learn what it had to teach, and  
no, when I came to die, discover I had not lived.**

*H. D. Thoreau*

**Think now about your path. Do not let fear of the unknown keep you from  
discovering the unknown. Many paths lead through the forest, but they all  
come out on the other side.**

*Canadian Indian*

**Youth is happy because it has the ability to see beauty. Anyone who keeps  
the ability to see beauty never grows old.**

*Franz Kafka*

You cannot perceive beauty but with a serene mind.  
*Henry David Thoreau*

Adventure is not in the guidebook and Beauty is not on the map. Seek and  
ye shall find.  
Terry and Renny Russell

I'd rather wake up in the middle of nowhere than in any city on earth.  
*Steve McQueen*

Now I see the secret of making the best persons. It is to grow in the open  
air and to eat and sleep with the earth.  
*Walt Whitman*

I love nature. I just don't want to get any of it on me.  
*Woody Allen*

Whatever befalls the earth befalls the sons of the earth. Man did not weave  
the web of life; he is merely a strand in it. Whatever he does to the web he  
does to himself.  
*Chief Seattle*

What is the good of having a nice house without having a decent planet to  
put it on?  
*Henry David Thoreau*

When we try to pick out anything by itself, we find it hitched to everything  
else in the universe.  
*John Muir*

The care of rivers is not a question of rivers but of the human heart.  
*Tanaka Shozo*

A frog does not drink up the pond in which he lives.  
*Indian Proverb*

I hear...I forget. I see...I remember. I do...I understand.  
*Chinese Proverb*

One's work may be finished one day, but one's education never.  
*Alexander Dumas*

The world would be very silent if no birds sang there  
except those that sang the best.  
*H.D. Thoreau*

Unless a man has a little chaos in his soul,  
he'll never give birth to a dancing star.  
*Nietzsche*

And now here is my secret, a very simple secret: It is only with the heart  
that one can see rightly; what is essential is invisible to the eye.  
*Antoine de Saint Exupery, The Little Prince*

I will act as if what I do makes a difference.  
*William James*

All of the darkness of the world cannot put out the light  
of one small candle.  
*Unknown*

I am only one.  
But still I am one.  
I cannot do everything,  
But still I can do something;  
And because I cannot do everything,  
I will not refuse to do the something that I can do.  
Edward Everett Hale, Helen Keller's Friend

In the woods we return to reason and faith.  
*R.W. Emerson*

If you wish your children to think deep thoughts, to know the holiest  
emotions, take them to the woods and hills, and give them the freedom of  
the meadows: the hills purify those who walk upon them.  
Richard Jeffries

I have grown taller from walking with the trees.  
*Cedric Wright*

I believe a leaf of grass is no less than the journey-work of the stars.  
*Walt Whitman*

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*H.D. Thoreau*

And he sits and thinks of the things they know,  
He and the forest, alone together.  
*A.A. Milne*

The bluebird carries the sky on his back.  
*H.D. Thoreau*

The world will never starve for want of wonders,  
but only for want of wonder.  
*Gilbert Chesterton*

We do not believe in ourselves until someone reveals that deep inside us  
something is valuable, worth listening to, worthy of our trust, sacred to our  
touch. Once we believe in ourselves, we can risk curiosity, wonder,  
spontaneous delight or any experience which reveals the human spirit.  
*e.e. cummings*

Your disability is your opportunity.  
*Kurt Hahn*

Each morning the child cups his hands and receives life, thumb-rim full,  
and lets fear slip through his little fingers.  
*Edna Hong*

All evil stems from this:  
that men do not know how to handle solitude.  
*Soren Kierkegaard*

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*Anonymous*

In nature there are neither rewards or punishments.  
There are consequences.  
*R.G. Ingersoll*

Environmentalists are the warning lights  
on the dashboard of civilization.  
*B. Von Alten*

You have to leave the city of your comfort  
and go into the wilderness of your intuition.

What you'll discover will be wonderful.

What you'll discover is yourself.

*Alan Alda*

**Risk comes from not knowing what you're doing.**

***Warren Buffett***

**If you play it safe in life,  
you've decided that you don't want to grow anymore.**

***Shirley Hufstедler***

**Do you want to be safe and good,  
or do you want to take a chance and be great?**

***Jimmy Johnson***

**And the trouble is, if you don't risk anything,  
you risk even more.**

***Erica Jong***

**"How does one become a butterfly?" she asked pensively.**

**"You must want to fly so much that you are willing  
to give up being a caterpillar."**

***Trina Paulus***

**Progress always involves risk;  
you can't steal second base and keep your foot on first.**

***Frederick Wilcox***

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