

180 Best Osho Quotes on Love, Life and Happiness

Osho was a spiritual teacher who travelled the world speaking about love, life and mindfulness and how to live a fulfilling life. Here is a collection of Famous Osho Quotes, sayings (with images and pictures) which will inspire you to lead a better, positive life. Most of his words of wisdom were about life, love, sexuality, meditation, lessons in life, religion, spirituality and more.

Shree Rajneesh also was known as **Osho**, **Acharya Rajneesh**, or simply **Rajneesh**, was an leader of the Rajneesh movement. He was a spiritual leader and a philosopher, who traveled throughout India in the 1960s as a public speaker and abroad.

As a spiritual leader, most of his words inspired many people who later on shared and passed them to the next generations.

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Most Famous Osho Quotes to Inspire You

1. "There is no greater ecstasy than to know who you are." Osho

2. "Drop the idea of becoming someone, because you are already a masterpiece." — Osho

3. "Don't be a slave. Follow society to the point you feel is needed, but always remain master of your own destiny." — Osho

4. "Money, power, prestige, are uncreative; not only uncreative but destructive activities. Beware of them!! — Osho

5. “Don’t say this is good and that is bad. Drop all discrimination. Accept everything as it is.” — Osho

6. “Remember, all great values are killed the moment you cling to them. And no great value can be imitated.” — Osho

7. “I am not a teacher, and this is not a place where knowledge is important. I am just a presence to inspire in you that which is dormant, to allow you to recognize yourself.” — Osho

8. “Never sacrifice your life for anything! Sacrifice everything for life! Life is the ultimate ”

9. “Life in itself is so beautiful that to ask the question of the meaning of life is simply nonsense.”

10. “Life is absolutely balanced between the positive and the negative. Now it is your choice which side you want to be – in heaven or in hell.”

11. “The only thing that matters in life is your own opinion about yourself, nobody can destroy your dignity then, because it is not dependent on anybody’s opinion.”

12. “The real question is not whether life exists after death. The real question is whether you are alive before death.”

13. “I live my life based on 2 principles. One, I live as if today was my last day on earth. Two, I live today as if I am going to live forever.”

14. “Every error is an opportunity to learn. Just do not commit the same mistake again and again-that is stupidity.” — Osho

15. "It is better to be ignorant; at least the ignorance is yours. It is authentic, it is real, sincere and honest!" — Osho

16. "You are already a masterpiece. You cannot be improved. You have only to come to it, to know it, to realize it." — Osho

17. "Knowledge is borrowed; knowing is yours, your own. It is authentic, knowledge is information, knowing is transformation." — Osho

18. "Whatever you possess will not give you contentment. The mind, the ego, will always feel unfulfilled." — Osho

19. "Detach yourself from all fixed ideas; they are the killers of all aliveness and innocence-which are musts for illumination." — Osho

20. "The moment you are interested in becoming somebody else you become complex. To be content with yourself as you are is simplicity." — Osho

21. "I say to you: light the lamp of independent thinking. Don't become a slave to anyone by accepting his thoughts. Truth belongs to those who are their own master." — Osho

22. "Sadness gives depth. Happiness gives height. Sadness gives roots. Happiness gives branches. Happiness is like a tree going into the sky, and sadness is like the roots going down into the womb of the earth. Both are needed, and the higher a tree goes, the deeper it goes, simultaneously. In fact, it is always in proportion. That's its balance."

Insightful Osho Quotes on Life

1. "Get out of your head and get into your heart. Think less, feel more."

2. "Life is a musical instrument, and awareness is its greatest music."— Osho

3. "Respect your life. Out of that respect, you will start respecting life in others." — Osho

4. "Life is not a tragedy, it is a comedy. To be alive means to have a sense of humor." — Osho

5. "Life is a mirror, it reflects your face. Be friendly, and all of life will reflect friendliness." — Osho

6. "Life is not a means to some end somewhere in the future. Life is its own end, it's own means. Life is all." — Osho

7. "There is no other God than life. Be more alive, and you will be more divine. Be totally alive, and there is no death for you." — Osho

8. "If you deceive someone, you lose one of life's greatest treasures, the capacity to trust. Without trust, love is not possible." — Osho

9. "Life has to be a joy, a dance, a celebration. & when death comes, it has to be welcomed with silence, with serenity. This is a way to kill death itself." — Osho

10. "I am here to seduce you into a love of life; to help you to become a little more poetic; to help you die to the mundane and to the ordinary so that the extraordinary explodes in your life." — Osho

11. "If you live with love, through love, you will live a great life, because love makes everything great." — Osho

12. Life exists without rules; games cannot exist without rules. The only false religion has rules because false religion is a game. — Osho

13. “You can either be creative, or you are bound to be destructive. You cannot remain neutral; either you have to affirm life with all its joys, or you start condemning life.” — Osho

14. “Life is not a problem. To look at it as a problem is to take a wrong step. It is a mystery to be lived, loved, experienced.”

15. “I love this world because it is imperfect. It is imperfect, and that’s why it is growing; if it was perfect it would have been dead.”

16. “You will come closer and closer to perfection, but you will never be perfect. Perfection is not the way of existence. Growth is the way.”

Best Osho Quotes on Love

1. “Love is the goal, life is the journey.”

2. “Courage is a love affair with the unknown.”

3. “Love brings freedom. Loyalty brings slavery.”

4. “Love, and the earth becomes a paradise again.” — Osho

5. “Lovers have known sometimes what saints have not known.”

6. To love means to drop the ego, to drop yourself. Love means not to be. — Osho

7. A serious person can never be innocent, and one who is innocent can never be serious.
— Osho

8. There is only one thing that can make you an emperor and that is your own being. Just find it. — Osho

9. A conditional love is nothing but an infatuation, sexuality. Unconditional is the only way love can be. — Osho

10. Love makes you wise but never knew. Knowledge makes you cunning and clever but never loving. — Osho

11. “Love and freedom are two sides of the same coin. It is one flower, and it can blossom only.”

“Love needs two things: it has to be rooted in freedom and it has to know the art of trust.” “If you can grow in love, you will grow in awareness. If you grow in awareness, you will grow in love.”

12. “When you love, love as if the person is a god, not less than that. Never love a woman as a woman and never love a man as a man.”

13. “Love is a wine; you have to taste it, you have to drink it, you have to become drunk with it, only then do you know what it is.”

14. “Love is not manageable, it is simply something that happens, and the moment you try to manage it everything misfire.”

15. “Love is the ultimate, the end. You love for love’s own sake. It is not a means to anything else, it is its own end.”

16. Love is just like a breeze: it comes, but you should not close your doors to keep the breeze inside. — Osho Quotes

17. “By ‘Love’ people mean a certain kind of monopoly understanding a simple fact: that the moment you possess a living being you have killed him.”

18. Don’t allow the fear to overpower you, allow love to overpower you. Love comes from the center, fear always comes from the periphery. — Osho

19. Trust is the bridge between you and existence. Trust is the purest form of love, and once trust is lost, love also becomes impossible. — Osho

20. “If you love a flower, don’t pick it up. Because if you pick it up it dies and it ceases to be what you love. So if you love a flower, let it be. Love is not about possession. Love is about appreciation.” — Osho

21. “Your whole idea about yourself is borrowed—borrowed from those who have no idea of who they are themselves.” — Osho

22. Love is a state of being; it has nothing to do with anybody else. One is not in love, one is love. — Osho

23. If love is not conscious it remains lust, and lust can never have anything of prayer in it. Lust is unconscious, love is conscious. — Osho

24. Love can never possess. Love is giving freedom to the other. Love is an unconditional gift, it is not a bargain. — Osho

25. “Love is painful because it creates the way for bliss. Love is painful because it transforms, love is a mutation. Each transformation is going to be painful because the old has to be left for the new.”— Osho

26. “People say love is blind because they do not know what love is. I say unto you, only love has eyes; other than love, everything is blind.”

27. “If you love a person, you accept the total person. With all the defects. Because those defects are a part of the person. Never try to change a person you love, because the very effort to change says that you love half, and the other half of the person is not accepted. When you love, you simply love.”

Beautiful Osho Quotes on Friendship

1. Do not seek a guru, because gurus are crippling. Anyone who gives you ready-made formulas is not a friend but an enemy. — Osho
2. Life is a mirror, it reflects your face. Be friendly, and all of life will reflect friendliness. — Osho
3. “Friendship is the purest love. It is the highest form of Love where nothing is asked for, no condition, where one simply enjoys giving.”
4. “Sadness is silent, it is yours. It is coming because you are alone. It is giving you a chance to go deeper into your aloneness. Rather than jumping from one shallow happiness to another shallow happiness and wasting your life, it is better to use sadness as a means for meditation. Witness it. It is a friend! It opens the door of your eternal aloneness.”

Quotes by Osho on Dreams, Miracles, and Success

1. “Be realistic: Plan for a miracle.” — Osho
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2. “If your heart says to take the jump, then take the jump, then risk, then be adventurous.” — Osho

Quotes about Soul, Meditation, Consciousness

1. “Meditation is the only magic in the world and the only miracle.” — Osho
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2. Truth is not something outside to be discovered, it is something inside to be realized. — Osho
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3. “Meditation will give you a little glimpse, a little taste, that the truth is inside you.” — Osho

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4. "Truth is not something outside to be discovered, it is something inside to be realized." — Osho

 5. A truth cannot be read in scripture. truth has to be lived only in the innermost temple of your being. — Osho

 6. Whenever you act according to your own light, there is immense fulfillment, a deep rejoicing. — Osho

 7. Ambition is insanity. Ambition shows that you are not at ease with yourself, that you are not at home. — Osho

 8. If you are absolute without mind, just pure consciousness, time stops completely, disappears, leaving no trace behind. — Osho

 9. If you start listening to the body, listening to nature, listening to your inner being, you will be more and happier. — Osho

 10. If you feel angry too often you should meditate more on anger, so that anger disappears and its energy becomes compassion. — Osho

 11. "Awareness means to be totally aware of what you are doing at the time of doing it. Experiment with that and you will see it, and you will experience such peace as you have never known before." — Osho

 12. The moment you become innocent, you have found a direct line to the divine. Your heartbeat synchronizes with the heartbeat of the universe. — Osho

 13. "The still point... There is a point within you where nothing ever moves – no movement from or to, no stirring, no sound created by any instrument. Nobody is

there, just stillness, but that stillness is the dance and that stillness is the music.” —
Osho

14. “Truth is not a theory. Truth is not a word. Truth is an experience – an experience of one’s own infinite depths. To become one with “that which is” is the truth.” — Osho

15. “if you can laugh totally, it will give you a moment of no-time, no-min. Mind lives logically with expectations, laughter is something that comes from the beyond.” —
Osho

16. “You cannot destroy inner emptiness. It is your very being. You can cover it with things, but sooner or later you will have to encounter it. And it is better if you encounter it sooner.” — Osho

17. “The Zen saying is: Whenever such belly laughter happens – laughter like Bodhidharma’s – white lotuses start showering from the sky, from nowhere.” — Osho

18. I don’t have a goal, because existence has no goal. It simply is, flowering, blossoming, dancing – but don’t ask why. Just an overflow of energy, for no reason at all. — Osho

Osho Quotes on Relationships

1. “A man who is 100% sane is dead.”

2. “**Tomorrow never comes, it is always today.**”

3. “No thought, no mind, no choice — just being silent, rooted in yourself.”

4. “There is a great difference between trust and belief. Trust is personal, Belief is social.”

5. "It is better to be ignorant; at least the ignorance is yours. It is authentic, it is real, sincere and honest!"

Beautiful Short Quotes by Osho

1. "Life begins where fear ends."— Osho

2. "Be realistic: Plan for a miracle"— Osho

3. "Awareness functions almost like magic."

4. "Take it easy, and remember "Easy is Right."— Osho

5. "To be in the middle is to be beyond suffering." — Osho

6. "You are living in one of the most alive times ever." — Osho

7. "Freedom is the ultimate value in the human soul." — Osho

8. "The moment you accept yourself, you become beautiful." — Osho

9. "The mind a beautiful servant, a dangerous master." – Osho Quotes

10. "Be a lotus flower. Be in the water, and do not let the water touch you."

11. "Once you let go nothing dies, only the ego. You remain forever and ever."— Osho

12. “Respect yourself, love yourself, because there has never been a person like you and there never will be again.” — Osho

Osho Quotes on Happiness-Sadness

1. “You can become happy just by deciding to be happy.”

2. “Only laughter makes a man rich, but the laughter has to be blissful.”

3. “Sadness comes, joy comes, and everything passes by. What remains always is the witness. The witness is beyond all polarities.”

4. “I don’t believe in nationalism, and I don’t believe in any religion. I believe in the individual and his happiness.” — Osho Quote

5. “Let your life be integrated at the center of the celebration. Only choose that which is Celebrating, Joyous.” — Osho

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