

# Quotes

## Dirk Gently

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Todd : [explaining plot] More than 100 years ago, a man named Zachariah Webb built a machine that broke and went to the future where these tattooed wackos found it and used it to swap souls. They swapped Lydia with a corgi to use as leverage to stop Patrick Spring, who is actually also Zachariah Webb having jumped through time to get his machine back.

Estevez : [interrupting] I hate everything about this right now.

Todd : In 2002, after the Men of the Machine killed his wife, Patrick Spring, who was a fake identity created to be the son of Edgar Spring, who is actually Zachariah Webb, jumped forward in time to last week, destroyed the Men of the Machine, and then went to the Perriman Grand to confront his future self, which led to the young Patrick Spring accidentally killing old Patrick Spring when a kitten went off and set off a shark explosion.

Dirk Gently : [gives thumbs up]

Farah Black : Wait. So *that's* what happened?

Dirk Gently : Fairly straightforward, I think.

## Hippocrates

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“Let thy food be thy medicine, and medicine thy food.” – Hippocrates

## Samuel Johnson

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Revenge is an act of passion; vengeance of justice. Injuries are revenged; crimes are avenged.

– Samuel Johnson

## Aristotle

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It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it.

– Aristotle

## Nelson Mandela

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Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

– Nelson Mandela

## William Shakespeare

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“The better part of valor is discretion.” – William Shakespeare, Henri IV.

## STOIC Tips

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**“The object of life is not to be on the side of the majority but to escape finding oneself in the ranks of the insane.”**

“To live a good life: We have the potential for it. If we learn to be indifferent to what makes no difference.”

“Think of yourself as dead. You have lived your life. Now takes what is left and live it properly.”

“Death smiles at us all, but all a man can do is smile back.” – Marcus Aurelius, Meditations.

“The best revenge is not to be like your enemy.”

“The impediment to action advances action. What stands in the way becomes the way.”

“Never let the future disturb you. You will meet it, if you have to, with the same weapons of reason which today arm you against the present.”

“Loss is nothing else but change. And change is nature’s delight.”

“A man’s true delight is to do the things he was made for.”

“Begin at once to live and count each separate day as a separate life.”

“It is not because things are difficult that we do not dare, it is because we do not dare that things are difficult.”

“Every night before going to sleep, we must ask ourselves: what weakness did I overcome today? What virtue did I acquire?”

“Life is never incomplete if it is an honorable one. At whatever point you leave life, if you leave it in the right way, it is whole.”

“We suffer more often imagination than reality. You want to live but do you know how to live? You scared of dying but tell me, is the kind of life you lead really different to being dead?”

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