

Thoughts on Wisdom

Nine-tenths of wisdom is appreciation. Go find somebody's hand and squeeze it, while there's time. ~ *Dale Dauten*

Like an ability or a muscle, hearing your inner wisdom is strengthened by doing it. ~ *Robbie Gass*

Believe those who are seeking the truth; doubt those who find it. ~ *Andre Gide*

It is characteristic of wisdom not to do desperate things. ~ *Henry David Thoreau*

It is unwise to be too sure of one's own wisdom. It is healthy to be reminded that the strongest might weaken and the wisest might err. ~ *Mahatma Gandhi*

I hope our wisdom will grow with our power, and teach us, that the less we use our power the greater it will be. ~ *Thomas Jefferson*

Wisdom seems to have several sacred ingredients: knowledge, perspective, humility, and compassion. The wise people I have had the honor of knowing have always had great hearts combined with the child-like quality that treats insight as a continuous discovery of wonder rather than a lofty destination. ~ *Chris Mathe*

Sometimes the subconscious mind manifests wisdom several steps or even years ahead of the conscious mind, and has its own way of leading us toward our destiny. ~ *Nathaniel Branden*

Kindness is more important than wisdom, and the recognition of this is the beginning of wisdom. ~ *Dr. Theodore Isaac Rubin*

One's first step in wisdom is to question everything and one's last is to come to terms with everything. ~ *Georg Christoph Lichtenberg*

The only true wisdom is in knowing you know nothing. ~ *Socrates*

Wisdom begins in wonder. ~ *Socrates*

