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# Quotes about Losers and Losing

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Losing doesn't eat at me the way it used to. I just get ready for the next play, the next game, the next season.

- Aikman, Troy

No one knows what to say in the loser's locker room.

- Ali, Muhammad

Knute Rockne liked bad loser. He said good losers lose too often.

- Allen, George E.

Loss is nothing else but change, and change is Nature's delight.

- Aurelius, Marcus

Do not be afraid of defeat. You are never so near to victory as when defeated in a good cause.

- Beecher, Henry Ward

The art of losing isn't hard to master; so many things seem filled with the intent to be lost that their loss is no disaster.

- Bishop, Elisabeth

The taste of defeat has a richness of experience all its own.

- Bradley, Bill

I'm not much of a golfer, I don't have any friends and, all I like to do is go home and be alone, and not worry about ways not to lose.

- Bryant, Bear

One of the first businesses of a sensible man is to know when he is beaten, and to leave off fighting at once.

- Butler, Samuel

Victory has a hundred fathers but defeat is an orphan.

- Ciano, Galeazzo

I hate to lose more than I love to win.

- Connors, Jimmy

I think we now come to the park expecting to win instead of playing not to lose.

- Davis, Eric

You're never a loser until you quit trying.

- Ditka, Mike

A real gentleman, even if he loses everything he owns, must show no emotion. Money must be so far beneath a gentleman that it is hardly worth troubling about.

- Dostoevsky, Fyodor

Show me a good loser and I'll show you an idiot.

- Durocher, Leo

Never in any case say I have lost such a thing, but I have returned it. Is your child dead? It is a return. Is your wife dead? It is a return. Are you deprived of your estate? is not this also a return?

- Epictetus

Take care to sell your horse before he dies. The art of life is passing losses on.

- Frost, Robert

If a man falls once, all will tread upon him.

- Fuller, Thomas

There may be as much nobility in being last as in being first, because the two positions are equally necessary in the world, the one to complement the other.

- Gasset, Jose Ortega Y

Never contend with a man who has nothing to lose.

- Gracian, Baltasar

When you lose a couple of times, it makes you realize how difficult it is to win.

- Graf, Steffi

The first proof of a person's incapacity to achieve, is their endeavoring to fix the stigma of failure on others.

- Hayden, B. R.

We have resolved to endure the unendurable and suffer what is insufferable.

- Hirohito

No wise person should make known the loss of fortune, any malpractice in their house, his being cheated, or having been disgraced.

- Hitopadesa

The cheerful loser is the winner.

- Hubbard, Elbert

All the world loves a good loser.

- Hubbard, Kin

It's the good loser who finally loses out.

- Hubbard, Kin

When you are winning too much, sometimes you think you should never lose again. I am learning to lose.

- Ivanisevic, Goran

What makes us so bitter against people who outwit us is that they think themselves cleverer than we are.

- La Rochefoucauld, Francois De

I never lost a game. I just ran out of time.

- Layne, Bobby

We have fought this fight as long, and as well as we know how. We have been defeated. For us as a Christian people, there is now but one course to pursue. We must accept the situation.

- Lee, Robert E.

Every man's got to figure to get beat sometime.

- Louis, Joe

Nobody ever chooses the already unfortunate as objects of his loyal friendship.

- Lucan, F. L.

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost; when health is lost, something is lost; when character is lost, all is lost.

- Motto

Whoever said, It's not whether you win or lose that counts, probably lost.

- Navratilova, Martina

Show me a good loser and I will show you a loser.

- Newman, Paul

Losing is no disgrace if you've given your best.

- Palmer, Jim

Losing a game is heartbreaking. Losing your sense of excellence or worth is a tragedy.

- Paterno, Joe

Giving yourself permission to lose guarantees a loss.

- Riley, Pat

You have no choices about how you lose, but you do have a choice about how you come back and prepare to win again.

- Riley, Pat

Shouda, coulda, and woulda won't get it done.

- Riley, Pat

There is no doubt in my mind that there are many ways to be a winner but there is really only one way to be a loser and that is to fail and not look beyond the failure.

- Rote Jr., Kyle

When I lose a match, I know that I lose on the court and not in life.

- Sabatini, Gabriela

Wise men never sit and wail their loss, but cheerily seek how to redress their harms.

- Shakespeare, William

The minute you start talking about what your going to do if you lose, you have lost.

- Shultz, George

The fear of losing is what makes competitors so great. Show me a gracious loser and I'll show you a permanent loser.

- Simpson, O. J.

Nothing that grieves us can be called little: by the eternal laws of proportion a child's loss

of a doll and a king's loss of a crown are events of the same size.

- Twain, Mark

We are not interested in the possibilities of defeat; they do not exist.

- Victoria, Queen

Lose an hour in the morning, and you will spend all day looking for it.

- Whately, Richard

Have you heard that it was good to gain the day? I also say it is good to fall, battles are lost in the same spirit in which they are won.

- Whitman, Walt





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