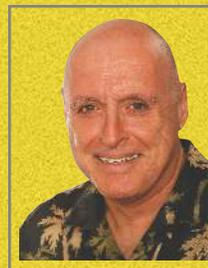


THE EXTRA POINT

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890 14 Quotations to Lift Up Freedom

Today, 14 quotations on the topic of freedom. I'm Jerry Roberts, and that's up next, on The Extra Point.

What does freedom mean to you? Maybe you'll think about that as you hear the words of others who have spoken of freedom.

1. *We the people are the rightful masters of both Congress and the courts, not to overthrow the Constitution but to overthrow the men who pervert the Constitution.*"

— President Abraham Lincoln

2. *"There is only one decision you need to make: You are either working at your Freedom or you are accepting your bondage."*

— Author Robert Adams

3. *"May we think of freedom, not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to do what is right."*

— Former Senate chaplain Peter Marshall

4. *"Freedom is the sure possession of those alone who have the courage to defend it."*

— Greek statesman Pericles

5. *"Most people do not really want freedom, because freedom involves responsibility, and most people are frightened of responsibility."*

— Neurologist and later psychoanalyst Sigmund Freud

6. *"The basic test of freedom is perhaps less in what we are free to do than in what we are free not to do."*

— Social philosopher Eric Hoffer

7. *"Freedom is never voluntarily given by the oppressor; it must be demanded by the oppressed."*

— Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

8. *"People demand freedom of speech as a compensation for the freedom of thought*

which they seldom use."

— Danish philosopher and theologian, Soren Kierkegaard.

9. *"Shout it from the mountain on out to the sea,*

No two ways about it, people have to be free, Ask me my opinion, my opinion will be, Natural situation for a man to be free."

— The Rascals, 1968

10. *"The rights of every man are diminished when the rights of one man are threatened."*

— President John F. Kennedy

11. *"The truth will set you free, but first it will make you miserable."*

— President James A. Garfield

12. *"Don't regard yourself as a guardian of freedom unless you respect and preserve the rights of people you disagree with."*

— American physicist Gerard K. O'Neill

13. *"If a nation values anything more than freedom, it will lose its freedom; and the irony of it is that if it is comfort or money that it values more, it will lose that too."*

— Author W. Somerset Maugham

14. *"As long as men are free to ask what they must, free to say what they think, free to think what they will, freedom can never be lost and science can never regress."*

— French novelist Marcel Proust

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