

April quotes – Salvation

April 1. Individual science fiction stories may seem as trivial as ever to the blinder critics and philosophers of today – but the core of science fiction, its essence has become crucial to our salvation if we are to be saved at all.
Issac Asimov

April 2. At every crisis in one's life, it is absolute salvation to have some sympathetic friend to whom you can think aloud without restraint or misgiving. Woodrow Wilson

April 3. An idea is salvation by imagination
Frank Lloyd Wright

April 4. I have never felt salvation in nature. I love cities above all. Michelangelo

April 5. Don't be an art critic. Paint. There lies salvation
Paul Cezanne

April 6. It is more noble to give yourself completely to one individual than to labor diligently for the salvation of the masses.
Dag Hammarskjold

April 7. If help and salvation are to come, they can only come from the children, for the children are the makers of men.
Maria Montessori

April 8. The salvation of this human world lies nowhere else than in the human heart, in the human power to reflect, in human meekness and human responsibility.
Vaclav Havel

April 9. To know yourself as the Being underneath the thinker, the stillness underneath the mental noise, the love and joy underneath the pain, is freedom, salvation, enlightenment.
Eckhart Tolle

April 10. As the son of a feminist mother, I grew up with the idea that work was a sort of salvation for women as it would give them freedom from the domestic grind. Now it seems work is a form of slavery, undertaken out of apparent compulsion rather than choice.
Tom Hodgkinson

April 11. The great leaders of the second world war alliance, Franklin Roosevelt and Winston Churchill, understood the twin sides of destruction and salvation. Their war aims were not only to defeat fascism, but to create a world of shared prosperity.
Jeffrey Sachs

April 12. You write a book and you hope somebody will go out and pay \$24.95 for what you've just said. I think books were my salvation. Books saved me from being miserable.
Amy Tan

April 13. But music can save your life sometimes. It probably saved me from working in a bank or something. That's a kind of salvation right there.
Richard Thompson

April 14. Inspiration is highly overrated. If you sit around and wait for the clouds to part, it's not liable to ever happen. More often than not, work is salvation. Chuck Close

April 15. The planet's hope and salvation lies in the adoption of revolutionary new knowledge being revealed at the frontiers of science. Bruce Lipton

April 16. Our very presentness is our salvation. The present moment, entered into fully, is our gateway to eternal life. Philip Simmons, UU Educator

April 17. Every Now is the day of salvation. We are saved when we escape from our selfishness into love, from our worldliness into purity, from our false lives into true ones. James Freeman Clarke, UU minister 1866

April 18. Our Universalism is a heresy. We believe that if there is a loving God, this God will save all souls. If, in some other realm, there is a great clubhouse of souls, everybody's getting in. Catholics, Protestants, Jews, Muslims, agnostics, atheists: everybody's getting in. Jon Nichols, UU theologian

April 19. We affirm that every one of us is held in Creation's hand – a part of the interdependent cosmic web – and hence all strangers need not be enemies; that no one is saved until we are all saved where All means the whole of Creation. William F. Schulz, UU Minister

April 20. For us Unitarian Universalists, salvation is not about how or if we're "going to heaven", if heaven is seen as something apart from this world and this life. It's about how, through it all, we grow into the folks we most want to be – the folks our life-saving faith claims that we can be! Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones

April 21. What's all this talk about "salvation"? And all this praying to God for it? These seekers must be dyslexic. Pavlov had the answer not from God, but from dog. Ring a bell and dog provides salivation. Michael Pelizzari, UU Punster

April 22. We are saved, step by step, as we make choices that allow us to grow, to care, to connect, to build. Salvation is the entirety of that journey. Rev. Lynn Ungar

April 23. May you be blessed with the courage to recall your life's story. May you make sacred time and space to cast your troubles upon the waters. And may you find hope and healing and salvation as you make your way toward wholeness and amazing love. Deborah Garfinkel

April 24. Salvation is the removal of obstacles that prevent us from becoming our truest selves. It is a hand that reaches our when we need it. It is the hope nurtured by someone sharing how they made it through a journey similar to our own. It is the calm consistency of someone believing in us. It is knowing that we are not alone. Rev. Tamara Lebak

April 25. The latin root of the word salvation is salus meaning health, whole and holy. Salvation is movement toward health and wholeness.

Rev. Martin Lavanhar, UU Minister

April 26. If salvation is about being in relationship, and if we can be the agents of salvation in someone else's life, then being a part of a chosen community is fertile ground for saving souls—others as well as our own.

Rev. Tamara Lebak

April 27. Salvation: the act of preserving or the state of being preserved from harm.

April 28. Work out your own salvation. Do not depend on others.

Buddha

April 29. Every year, if not every day, we have to wager our salvation upon some prophecy based on imperfect knowledge.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.

April 30. There is no salvation in becoming adapted to a world that is crazy.

Henry Miller