

Life from the seat of a **Texas tractor..**

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Your fences need to be horse-high, pig-tight and bull-strong.

Keep skunks and bankers at a distance.

Life is simpler when you plow around the stump.

A bumble bee is considerably faster than a John Deere tractor.

Words that soak into your ears are whispered!....not yelled.

Meanness don't just happen overnight.

Forgive your enemies; it messes up their heads.

Do not corner something that you know is meaner than you.

It don't take a very big person to carry a grudge.

You cannot unsay a cruel word.

Every path has a few puddles.

When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty.

The best sermons are lived, not preached.

**Most of the stuff people worry about, ain't never gonna happen
anyway.**

Don't judge folks by their relatives.

Remember that silence is sometimes the best answer.

**Live a good and honorable life, then when you get older and think
back, you'll enjoy it a second time.**

Don't interfere with somethin' that ain't bothering you none.

Timin' has a lot to do with the outcome of a rain dance.

If you find yourself in a hole, the first thing to do is stop diggin'.

Sometimes you get, and sometimes you get got.

**The biggest troublemaker you'll probably ever have to deal with,
watches you from the mirror every mornin'.**

Always drink upstream from the herd.

**Good judgment comes from experience, and a lotta that comes
from bad judgment.**

**Lettin' the cat outta the bag is a whole lot easier than puttin' it
back in.**

**If you get to thinkin' you're a person of some influence, try
orderin' somebody else's dog around.**

Live simply, love generously, care deeply,

Speak kindly, and leave the rest to God.