

# Lasting Language of Literature

"Winning is a state of mind that embraces everything you do."

Bryce Courtenay, The Power of One

"I think there is just a vein of humanity that really loves animals & really loves to read about them." Sara Gruen

"Ignoring isn't the same as ignorance, you have to work at it." Margaret Atwood, *The Handmaid's Tale*

"I guess mercy is a muscle like any other. You got to exercise it, or it just cramp right up."  
Esi Edugyan, *Half Blood Blues*

"Dear old world', she murmured, 'you are very lovely, and I am glad to be alive in you."

L.M. Montgomery, *Anne of Green Gables*

"By things so achingly small are lives measured and marred." Guy Gavriel Kay, *Tigana*