

Guiding thoughts for the introduction to the Lamott introduction

**As you read. . .**

- Highlight/underline important and meaningful quotes and concepts.
- Consider why being a writer (for a job) is different than other jobs.
- Notice how she uses humor.

**When you finish answer the following questions:**

1. Choose one quote from the batch that you highlighted. Write down the quote and explain why you chose it. What can you learn about being a writer from that quote?
2. If you were to summarize her big points/tips for writers, what would they be? (Come up with three)
  - a. What can you apply from what she said to your experience as a writer?