





Douglas Adams - Human Beings' Uniqueness

Douglas Adams (1952-2001) was the bestselling author of The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy series, which used comedy science fiction to deal with some of the greatest philosophical questions in life. Adams was also an advocate for environmentalism and conservation; he is remembered also for his radio documentary series, Last Chance to See, which discusses species on the brink of extinction.

"Human beings, who are almost unique in having the ability to_____ from the experience of others, are also remarkable for their apparent disinclination to do so"

DOUGLAS ADAMS

Questions

- 1. What word is missing from the quote?
- 2. Do you agree with the statement in the quote?
- 3. What's the most important thing you learned from someone else?
- 4. Can you think of a current event or an event from your own life that corresponds with the quote? Does it relate to a tv show, a movie, a game or a book that you like?
- 5. Make up your own quote or saying. If you had one message to convey to the world, what would it be?