

**The Picture of Dorian Gray (2007)**  
A film adaptation of the Oscar Wilde novel

***Lady Agatha's Luncheon Party***

LADY AGATHA

I must say, Harry, I'm almost surprised to see you.

LORD HENRY

As if I would let you down!

LADY AGATHA

Yes, but I know how hard it is for you dandies to shake yourself out of bed.

LORD HENRY

For you, I would be up at dawn.

MR ERSKINE

Lord Henry, what is your opinion on this science of the mind, this psychology?

LORD HENRY

You tell me: what is my opinion?

LADY AGATHA

Tell me Harry, when are you planning to help Mr Erskine with his mission in the East End.

LORD HENRY

I've always thought philanthropy was the fastest way for a person to lose their humanity. Before long you start to badger people for their money or their time.

LADY AGATHA

Yet you have so much of both.

THE DUCHESS OF HARLEY

Don't you follow any charitable causes?

LORD HENRY

None that I follow, they tend to follow me.