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Confirmed: Period and Comma Members Not to Step Outside of Quigley Quote's Boundaries



QUIGLEY QUOTE RECENTLY ISSUED A FIRM STATEMENT, WARNING THAT “MEMBERS OF the Period and Comma families are not to go outside my family’s boundaries when purposely used together.”

Mr. Quote issued the statement after repeated instances of members of the Comma and Period families appearing outside of said boundaries.

Mr. Quote clarifies that in British English, members of these families would go outside the quotes—but in American English, this is terribly incorrect.

“More and more, I see these hated mistakes,” says Quote, barely holding back his anger. “This error is running rampant throughout our community.”

“It’s easy to remember,” he continues. “Periods and commas always go inside [my family’s] quotation marks. That’s it. End of story.”

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marks.” *

*This applies to American English, not British English



When asked how he would respond to naysayers, he blew up into an enraged tantrum, yelling, “They had better look up reliable sources!”

While Mr. Quote is known for his irrational temper, English professors can confirm his concerns are correct.

He calmed eventually, offering a reminder that more information can be found at the following link, including some outside references at the end of the webpage: <https://wp.me/p7sasX-ga>.