

**NAME**

**quick\_exit** - exits a program quickly, running minimal cleanup

**LIBRARY**

Standard C Library (libc, -lc)

**SYNOPSIS**

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
_Noreturn void
```

```
quick_exit(int status);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

The **quick\_exit**() function exits the program quickly calling any cleanup functions registered with `at_quick_exit(3)` but not any C++ destructors or cleanup code registered with `atexit(3)`. The `stdio(3)` file buffers are not flushed.

The function **quick\_exit**() is *async-signal safe* when the functions registered with `at_quick_exit(3)` are.

**RETURN VALUES**

The **quick\_exit**() function does not return.

**SEE ALSO**

`at_quick_exit(3)`, `exit(3)`

**STANDARDS**

The **quick\_exit**() function conforms to ISO/IEC 9899:2011 ("ISO C11").