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Be content with your lot one cannot be first in everything Before you make a friend eat a bushel of salt with him
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Better die with honour than live with shame
A dog remains a dog even with a collar of gold
Don't quarrel with your bread and butter
An empty purse fills the face with wrinkles
Fall not out with a friend for a trifle
Fire begins with little sparks
A gift with a kind face is double grace
God's hand is with the united community
The greatest wealth is contentment with little
He should have a long spoon that sups with the devil
He that deals with the world needs four sieves
He that would the daughter win must with the mother first begin
He who gives fair words feeds you with an empty spoon
He who risks his life is blameworth even if he escapes with it
If you deal with a fox think of his tricks
Innocent actions carry their warrant with them
It is ill jesting with edged tools
Laugh and the world laughs with you weep and you weep alone
A mill cannot grind with the water that is past

No man is content with his lot
The promise of the night is rubbed with butter which melts away when the day shines on it
The road to hell is paved with good intentions
Take the rough with the smooth
When one sits for examination one is either treated with honour or held in low esteem
When the tree is fallen every one runs to it with his axe
Who keeps company with the wolf will learn to howl
You cannot catch old birds with chaff
You cannot run with the hare and hunt with the hounds
You must take the fat with the lean
All things are possible with god
Appetite comes with eating
Beauty draws with a single hair
If candlemas day be sunny and bright winter will have another flight if candlemas day be cloudy with rain winter is gone and won't come again
You can drive out nature with a pitchfork but she keeps on coming back
Fight fire with fire
If you lie down with dogs you will get up with fleas
If you have to live in the river it is best to be friends with the crocodile
Come live with me and you'll know me
The longest journey begins with a single step
The mill cannot grind with the water that is past
It is best to be off with the old love before you are on with the new
If you play with fire you get burnt
Revolutions are not made with rose-water

It is ill sitting at rome and striving with the pope
He who sups with the devil should have a long spoon
Sweep the house with broom in may you sweep the head of the house away
With a sweet tongue and kindness you can drag an elephant by a hair
Do not throw the baby out with the bathwater
Times change and we with time
While two dogs are fighting for a bone a third runs away with it
There are more ways of killing a cat than choking it with cream
There are more ways of killing a dog than choking it with butter
Eat and drink with your relatives make business with strangers

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