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## Popular proverbs and wisdoms database

### Your

<b>Admonish your friends in private praise them in public</b>
<b>As you are so will your governors be</b>
<b>As you make your bed so you must lie in it</b>
<b>Be content with your lot one cannot be first in everything</b>
<b>Burn not your house to fright the mouse away</b>
<b>Catch your bear before you sell its skin</b>
<b>Choose a wife by your ear rather than by your eye</b>
<b>Cut your coat according to your cloth</b>
<b>Deliver your words not by number but by weight</b>
<b>Despise your purse but consider your person</b>
<b>Destroy the seed of evil or it will grow up to your ruin</b>
<b>Do not cast your pearls before swine</b>
<b>Don't count your chickens before they are hatched</b>
<b>Don't cut off your nose to spite your face</b>
<b>Don't make a rod for your own back</b>
<b>Don't put all your eggs in one basket</b>
<b>Don't quarrel with your bread and butter</b>
<b>Don't teach your grandmother to suck eggs</b>
<b>Don't wash your dirty linen in public</b>
<b>Do not wear out your welcome</b>
<b>Do your duty then claim you right</b>
<b>Dogs wag their tails no so much in love to you as to your bread</b>

**Eat and drink with your relatives make business with strangers**

**Every difficulty slurred over will be a ghost to disturb your repose later on**

**Every hour out of bed after midnight is a nail in your coffin**

**First catch your hare**

**First plan your work then work your plan**

**Go not to the extreme in your love and hate**

**Hide not your light under a bushel**

**Hitch your wagon to a star**

**Hoist your sail when the wind is fair**

**I will not pull the thorn out of your foot and put it into my own**

**If you cannot bite never show your teeth**

**Know your own faults before blaming others for theirs**

**Lend your money and lose your friend**

**Let not the sun go down on your wrath**

**Let not your tongue cut your throat**

**Let not your wits go wool-gathering**

**Love your neighbour yet pull not down your fence**

**Make a page of your own age**

**Make your enemy your friend**

**Mind your own business**

**Never lay sorrow to your heart when others lay it to their heels**

**Never spend your money before you have it**

**Never tell your enemy that your foot aches**

**Paddle your own canoe**

**Seek till you find and you'll not lose your labour**

**Stretch your legs according to your coverlet**

**Try your friend before you trust him**

**You cannot touch pitch and keep your hands clean**

**You must ask your neighbour if you shall live in peace**

**You must cut your coat according to your cloth**

**Your looking-glass will tell you what none of your friends will**

**Better to die on your feet than live on your knees**

**Never choose your women or your linen by candlelight**

**Do not count your chickens before they are hatched**

**Do not cut off your nose to spite your face**

**Feed a dog for three days and he will remember your kindness for three years feed**

**A cat for three years and she will forget your kindness in three days**

**Do not put all your eggs in one basket**

**If you would be happy for a week take a wife if you would be happy for a month kill a pig but if you would be happy all your life plant a garden**

**You cannot have your cake and eat it**

**Keep your own fish-guts for your own sea-maws**

**Keep your shop and your shop will keep you**

**As you make your bed so you must lie upon it**

**If you gently touch a nettle it'll sting you for your pains grasp it like a lad of mettle an' as soft as silk remains**

**You pays your money and you takes your choice**

**Please your eye and plague your heart**

**If you sit by the river for long enough you will see the body of your enemy float by**

**It is not spring until you can plant your foot upon twelve daisies**

**Stretch your arm no further than your sleeve will reach**

**Never let the sun go down on your anger**

**Do not teach your grandmother to suck eggs**

**Do not throw out your dirty water until you get in fresh**

**Trust in god but tie your camel**

**Put your trust in god and keep your powder dry**

**Walnuts and pears you plant for your heirs**