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# THE SUPERLIST OF FUN LINES AND FAMOUS QUOTATIONS

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## Some fun lines and famous quotations

MacDonald has the gift on compressing the largest amount of words into the smallest amount of thoughts. *Winston Churchill*

Machines have less problems. I'd like to be a machine. *Andy Warhol*

Machines should work; people should think.

Macho does not prove mucho. *Zsa Zsa Gabor*

Mad: Affected with a high degree of intellectual independence. *Ambrose Bierce*

Madam, I have been looking for person that dislikes gravy all my life; let us swear eternal friendship. *Sydney Smith (1771-1845)*

Madam me no madam. *John Dryden*

Madison Avenue is a very powerful aggression against private consciousness. A demand that you yield your private consciousness to public manipulation. *Marshall McLuhan*

Madness takes its toll. Please have exact change.

Magazine : bunch of printed pages that tell you what's coming in the next issue.

Magic Mirror on the Wall, who's the fairest of them all?

Magnet: Something acted upon by magnetism.

Magnetism: Something acting upon a magnet.

Magnocartic: An automobile that when left unattended attracts shopping carts.

Mahatma is one whose soul doesn't rest in peace till there are tears even in a single eye. *B. J. Gupta*

Mahomet made the people believe that he would call a hill to him, and from the top of it offer up his prayers for the observers of his law. The people assembled. Mahomet called the hill to come to him, again and again; and when the hill stood still he was never a whit abashed, but said, "If the hill will not come to Mahomet, Mahomet will go to the hill." *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Mail your packages early so the post office can lose them in time for Christmas. *Johnny Carson*

Maintain thy airspeed, lest the ground rise up and smite thee.

Majority rule only works if you're also considering individual rights. Because you can't have five wolves and one sheep voting on what to have for supper. *Larry Flynt*

Majority: That quality that distinguishes a crime from a law.

Make a firm decision now... you can always change it later.

Make a living, but make room for life.

Make a virtue of necessity. *Robert Burton (1576-1640)*

Make a wish, it might come true.

Make everything as simple as possible, but not more so.

Make failure your teacher, not your undertaker.

Make friends while you are going up, you may need them coming down.

Make happy those who are near, and those who are far will come. *Chinese Proverb*

Make haste slowly. *Benjamin Franklin & Latin Proverb*

Make hay while the sun shines. *English Proverb*

Make it idiot proof and someone will make a better idiot.

Make it simple. Make it memorable. Make it inviting to look at. Make it fun to read. *Leo Burnett*

Make it thy business to know thyself, which is the most difficult lesson in the world. *Miguel de Cervantes (1547-1616)*

Make it tough enough for the enemy to get in and you won't be able to get out. (*Murphy's Sixteenth Rule of combat*)

Make love - not war! *English Slogan*

Make much of what you have. *John Withals*

Make new friends but keep the old ones; one is silver and the other's gold.

Make new friends, but keep the old; those are silver, these are gold. Friendships that have stood the test, time and change are surely best.

Make no little plans; they have no magic to stir men's blood and probably will themselves not be realized. Make big plans; aim high in hope and work, remembering that a noble, logical diagram once recorded will not die. *Daniel Burnham*

Make not the door wider than the house.

Make not the gate wider than the city.

Make not two sorrows of one.

Make revolution a parent of settlement, and not a nursery of future revolutions. *Edmund Burke*

Make sure that the things you are living for are worth dying for.

Make sure that your agency makes a profit. Your account competes with all the other accounts in your agency. If it is unprofitable, it is unlikely that the management of the agency will assign their best men to work on it. And sooner or later they will cast about for a profitable account to replace yours. *David Ogilvy*

Make sure to be in with your equals if you're going to fall out with your superiors. *Jewish Proverb*

Make sure you visualize what you really want, not what someone else wants for you. *Jerry Gillies*

Make the layouts rough and the ideas fancy. *Stavros Cosmopoulos*

Make the most of the best and the least of the worst.

Make the most of yourself, for that is all there is of you. *Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882)*

Make three consecutive correct guesses and you will be considered an expert.

Make your life a mission not an intermission. *Glasgow*

Make your words soft and sweet as you just may have to eat them someday.

Make yourself an honest man, and then you may be sure there is one less rascal in the world. *Thomas Carlyle*

Make yourself necessary to somebody. *Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882)*

Making a book is a craft, as is making a clock; it takes more than wit to become an author. *Jean de LaBruyere (1645-1696)*

Making fun of born-again christians is like hunting dairy cows with a high powered rifle and scope. *P. J. O'Rourke*

Making this world better will gain you the greatest credit in the next one.

Male zebras have white stripes, but female zebras have black stripes.

Mama always said, "When someone insists on showing their ignorance, stand back and give 'em plenty of room!"

Man: a remarkable animal whose head swells when you pat his back.

Man always travels along precipices. His truest obligation is to keep his balance. *Jose Ortega Gasset*

Man and nations will act rationally when all other possibilities have been exhausted. (*Katz' Law*)

Man and wife make one fool.

Man as well as animals do whatever makes them happy. Difference lies only in what makes them happy. *B. J. Gupta*

Man becomes the master of difficult situations by refusing the assistance of weak men. He relies on his own strength of character. *I Ching* (B.C. 1150?)

Man, being the servant and interpreter of nature, can do and understand so much and so much only as he has observed in fact or in thought of the course of nature: beyond this he neither knows anything nor can do anything. *Francis Bacon* (1561-1626)

Man blames fate for other accidents, but feels personally responsible when he makes a hole-in-one!

Man can alter his life by altering his thinking. *William James*

Man can believe the impossible, but can never believe the improbable. *Oscar Wilde*

Man cannot discover new oceans unless he has courage to lose sight of the shore.

Man cannot live by bread alone; he must have peanut butter. *Brother Dave Gardner*

Man - despite his artistic pretensions, his sophistication, and his many accomplishments - owes his existence to a six inch layer of topsoil and the fact that it rains.

Man did not weave the web of life, he is merely a strand in it. Whatever he does to the web, he does to himself. *Chief Seattle*

Man does not live by bread alone. But he damned well doesn't live without it, either.

Man does not live by words alone, despite the fact that he sometimes has to eat them. *Adlai Stevenson*

Man does what he can, and God what he will. *Thomas Draxe*

Man endures pain as an undeserved punishment; woman accepts it as a natural heritage.

Man errs as long as he strives. *Johann Wolfgang von Goethe*

Man finds nothing so intolerable as to be in a state of complete rest, without passions, without occupation, without diversion, without effort. Then he feels his nullity, loneliness, inadequacy, dependence, helplessness, emptiness. *Blaise Pascal* (1623-1662)

Man follows only phantoms. *Pierre-Simon Laplace*

Man goes into the noisy crowd to drown his own clamor of silence. *Rabindranath Tagore* (1861-1941)

Man has always sacrificed truth to his vanity, comfort and advantage. He lives by make-believe. *W. Somerset Maugham*

Man has been endowed with reason, with the power to create, so that he can add to what he's been given. But up to now he hasn't been a creator, only a destroyer. Forests keep disappearing, rivers dry up, wild life's become extinct, and the climate's ruined and the land grows poorer and uglier every day. *Anton Chekhov* (1860-1904)

Man has his will - but woman has her way. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Man has made his bedlam; let him lie in it. *Fred Allen*

Man has never made any material as resilient as the human spirit. *Bern Williams*

Man has now conquered almost everything in nature except human nature.

Man has received direct from God only one instrument wherewith to know himself and to know his relation to the universe - he has no other - and that instrument is reason. *Leo Tolstoi*

Man has responsibility, not power. *Native American Proverb* (Tuscarora)

Man has three friends on whose company he relies. First, wealth which goes with him only while good fortune lasts. Second, his relatives; they go only as far as the grave, leave him there. The third friend, his good deeds, go with him beyond the grave. *The Talmud*

Man has to awaken to wonder - and so perhaps do peoples. Science is a way of sending him to sleep again. *Ludwig Wittgenstein* (1889-1951)

Man in sooth is a marvellous, vain, fickle, and unstable subject. *Michel Eyquem de Montaigne* (1553-1592)

Man invented language to satisfy his deep need to complain. *Lily Tomlin*

Man is a dog's idea of what God should be. *Holbrook Jackson*

Man is a make-believe animal - he is never so truly himself as when he is acting a part. *William Hazlitt*

Man is a peculiar creature. He spends a fortune making his home insect-proof and air-conditioned, and then eats in the yard.

Man is a piece of the universe made alive. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Man is a political animal by nature; he is a scientist by chance or choice; he is a moralist because he is a man. *Hans J. Morgenthau*

Man is a rational animal who always loses his temper when he is called upon to act in accordance with the dictates of reason. *Oscar Wilde*

Man is a reasoning Animal. *Lucius Annaeus Seneca*

Man is a reasoning rather than a reasonable animal. *Alexander Hamilton*

Man is a social animal. Without society he is nothing but animal. Yet many behave as if they are 'self made'. *B. J. Gupta*

Man is a sort of tree which we are too apt to judge by the bark.

Man is a special being, and if left to himself, in an isolated condition, would be one of the weakest creatures; but associated with his kind, he works wonders. *Daniel Webster*

Man is a wolf to man. *Plautus & Latin Proverb*

Man is, and always has been, a maker of gods. It has been the most serious and significant occupation of his sojourn in the world. *John Burroughs*

Man is asked to make of himself what he is supposed to become to fulfill his destiny. *Paul Tillich* (1886-1965)

Man is born a predestined idealist, for he is born to act. To act is to affirm the worth of an end, and to persist in affirming the worth of an end is to make an ideal. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Man is born to live and not to prepare to live. *Boris Pasternak*

Man is born to seek power, yet his actual condition makes him a slave to the power of others. *Hans J. Morgenthau*

Man is but a reed, the weakest in nature, but he is a thinking reed. *Blaise Pascal* (1623-1662)

Man is by nature a political animal. *Aristoteles* (384-322 B.C)

Man is certainly stark mad. He cannot make a worm, and yet he will be making gods by the dozen. *Michel Eyquem de Montaigne* (1553-1592)

Man is condemned to be free; because once thrown into the world, he is responsible for everything he does. *Jean-Paul Sartre* (1905-1980)

Man is distinguished, not only by his reason; but also by this singular passion from other animals... which is a lust of the mind, that by a perseverance of delight in the continual and indefatigable generation of knowledge, exceeds the short vehemence of any carnal pleasure. *Thomas Hobbes* (1588-1679)

Man is equally incapable of seeing the nothingness from which he emerges and the infinity in which he is engulfed. *Blaise Pascal*

Man is full of desires: he loves only those who can satisfy them all. "This man is a good mathematician," someone will say. But I have no concern for mathematics; he would take me for a proposition. "That one is a good soldier." He would take me for a besieged town. I need, that is to say, a decent man who can accommodate himself to all my desires in a general sort of way. *Blaise Pascal*

Man is his own worst enemy. *Cicero*

Man is least himself when he talks in his own person. Give him a mask and he will tell the truth. *Oscar Wilde*

Man is more himself, man is more manlike, when joy is the fundamental thing in him, and grief the superficial. *Lord Chesterfield* (1694-1773)

Man is never closer to God than when he is in a garden.

Man... is not a self-sufficient separate entity, but is constituted by the things he makes his own. In every form of his being man is related to something other than himself: as a being to his world, as consciousness to objects, as spirit to the idea of whatever constitutes totality... Man always becomes man by devoting himself to this other. *Karl Jaspers* (1883-1969)

Man is not born to solve the problem of the universe, but to find out what he has to do; and to restrain himself within the limits of his comprehension. *Goethe* (1749-1832)

Man is not imprisoned by habit. Great changes in him can be wrought by crisis; once that crisis can be recognized and understood. *Norman Cousins*

Man is not logical and his intellectual history is a record of mental reserves and compromises. He hangs on to what he can in his old beliefs even when he is compelled to surrender their logical basis. *John Dewey*

Man is not man, but a wolf to those he does not know. *French Proverb*

Man is not the creature of circumstances. Circumstances are the creatures of men. We are free agents, and man is more powerful than matter. *Benjamin Disraeli* (1804-1881)

Man is only a reed, the weakest in nature; but he is a thinking reed. There is no need for the whole universe to take up arms to crush him: a vapor, a drop of water is enough to kill him. But even if the universe were to crush him, man would still be nobler than his slayer, because he knows that he is dying and the advantage the universe has over him. The universe knows nothing of this. *Blaise Pascal* (1623-1662)

Man is only a subject full of error, natural and ineffaceable, without grace. Nothing shows him the truth. Everything deceives him. These two sources of truth, reason and the senses, besides being both wanting in sincerity, deceive each other in turn. *Blaise Pascal* (1623-1662)

Man is only miserable so far as he thinks himself so. *Jacopo Sannazaro*

Man is sometimes extraordinarily, passionately, in love with suffering. *Feodor Mikhailovich Dostoyevsky*

Man is the best computer we can put aboard a spacecraft... and the only one that can be mass produced with unskilled labor. *Wernher von Braun* (1912-1977)

Man is the nobler growth our realms supply, / And souls are ripened in our northern sky. *Mrs. Barbauld* (1743-1825)

Man is the only animal that blushes. Or needs to. *Mark Twain*

Man is the only animal that can remain on friendly terms with the victims he intends to eat until he eats them. *Samuel Butler*

Man is the only animal that laughs and has a state legislature. *Samuel Butler*

Man is the only animal that laughs and weeps; for he is the only animal that is struck with the difference between what things are and what they ought to be. *William Hazlitt*

Man is the only creature that refuses to be what he is. *Albert Camus*

Man is what has happened to him, what he has done. Other things might have happened to him or have been done by him, but what did in fact happen to him and was done by him, this constitutes a relentless trajectory of experiences that he carries on his back as the vagabond his bundle of all he possesses. *Jose Ortega y Gasset* (1883-1955)

Man is what he believes. *George Herbert Allen*

Man learns more readily and remembers more willingly what excites his ridicule than what deserves esteem and respect. *Horace*

Man, living, feeling man, is the easy sport of the over-mastering present. *Johann von Schiller*

Man makes a great fuss about this planet which is only a ballbearing in the hub of the universe. *Christopher Morley*

Man may dismiss compassion from his heart, but God never will. *William Cowper*

Man must be prepared for every event of life, for there is nothing that is durable. *Menander* (B.C. 342-291)

Man must earn his life, not only economically but metaphysically. *Jose Ortega y Gasset* (1883-1955)

Man must evolve for all human conflict a method which rejects revenge, aggression and retaliation. The foundation of such a method is love. *Martin Luther King, Jr.* (1929-1968)

Man must go back to nature for information. *Thomas Paine*

Man only likes to count his troubles, but he does not count his joys. *Fyodor Dostoyevsky*

Man proposes, but God disposes. *Thomas à Kempis* (1380-1471)

Man proposes, God disposes. *Old Testament*

Man punishes the action, but God the intention. *Thomas Fuller*

Man shall not live by bread alone. *New Testament*

Man should not strive after that which is beyond his reason. *Thomas Aquinas* (1225-1274)

MAN, some modern philosophers tell us, is alienated from his world: he is a stranger and afraid in a world he never made. Perhaps he is; yet so are animals, and even plants. They too were born, long ago, into a physico-chemical world, a world they never made. *Karl Popper* (1902-1994)

Man staggers through life yapped at by his reason, pulled and shoved by his appetites, whispered to by fears, beckoned by hopes. Small wonder that what he craves most is self-forgetting. *Eric Hoffer* (1902-1983)

Man trying to understand God is like a toy trying to understand man. *B. J. Gupta*

Man usually avoids attributing cleverness to somebody else - unless it is an enemy. *Albert Einstein*

Man was made at the end of the week's work when God was tired. *Mark Twain*

Man weeps to think that he will die soon; a woman that she was born so long ago. *H. L. Mencken*

Man who arrives at party two hours late finds he has been beaten to the punch.

Man who bites bread or eats peas with knife is lost creature.

Man who falls in blast furnace is certain to feel overwrought.

Man who falls in vat of molten optical glass makes spectacle of self.

Man who say it cannot be done should not interrupt man doing it. *Chinese Proverb*

Man will never be free until the last king is strangled with the entrails of the last priest. *Denis Diderot*

Man will never fly. Space travel is merely a dream. All aspirin is alike.

Man will never reach the moon regardless of all future scientific advances. *Dr. Lee De Forest*

Man will not live without answers to his questions. *Hans J. Morgenthau*

Man will occasionally stumble over the truth, but most of the time he will pick himself up and continue on. *Winston Churchill*

Man wishes woman to be peaceable, but in fact she is essentially warlike, like the cat. *Friedrich Nietzsche* (1844-1900)

Management by Measurement is the fastest way to business success. *Christopher Knight*

Management is nothing more than motivating other people. *Lee Iacocca*

Managing an advertising agency isn't all beer and skittles. After fourteen years of it, I have come to the conclusion that the top man has one principle responsibility: to provide an atmosphere in which creative mavericks can do useful work. *David Ogilvy*

Managing Director - the person responsible for making it difficult for other people to do their work.

Mankind censure injustice fearing that they may be the victims of it, and not because they shrink from committing it. *Plato*

Mankind faces a crossroads. One path leads to despair and utter hopelessness, the other to extinction. Let us pray we choose correctly. *Woody Allen*

Mankind fears an evil man but heaven does not. *Chinese Proverb*

Mankind has never reconciled itself to the ten commandments.

Mankind... infests the whole habitable Earth and Canada. *Ambrose Bierce*

Mankind is divided into rich and poor, into property owners and exploited; and to abstract oneself from this fundamental division and from the antagonism between poor and rich means abstracting oneself from fundamental facts. *Joseph Stalin*

Mankind's struggle upwards, in which millions are trampled to death, that thousands may mount on their bodies. *Clara Lucas Balfour*

Man-like it is to fall into sin; fiendlike it is to dwell therein. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

Manners are the happy way of doing things; each once a stroke of genius or of love- now repeated and hardened into usage. They form at last a rich varnish, with which the routine of life is

washed, and its details adorned. If they are superficial, so are the dewdrops which give such depth to the morning meadows. *Ralph Waldo Emerson* (1803-1882)

Manners easily and rapidly mature into morals. *Horace Mann*

Manners require time, and nothing is more vulgar than haste. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Manners and money make a gentleman.

Manners make often fortunes.

Manners make the man.

Man's being is made of such strange stuff as to be partly akin to nature and partly not, at once natural and extranatural, a kind of ontological centaur, half immersed in nature, half transcending it. *Jose Ortega y Gasset* (1883-1955)

Man's capacity for justice makes democracy possible, but man's inclination to injustice makes democracy necessary. *Reinhold Niebuhr*

Man's character is his fate. *Heraclitus*

Man's extremity is God's opportunity.

Man's fear of ideas is probably the greatest dike holding back human knowledge and happiness. *Morris Leopold Ernst*

Man's horizons are bounded by his vision.

Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn! *Robert Burns*

Man's main task in life is to give birth to himself, to become what he potentially is. The most important product of his effort is his own personality. *Erich Fromm* (1900-1980)

Man's many desires are like the small metal coins he carries about in his pocket. The more he has the more they weigh him down. *Satya Sai Baba*

Man's mind, once stretched by a new idea, never regains its original dimensions. *Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.*

Man's mind stretched to a new idea never goes back to its original dimensions. *Sri da Avabhas*

Man's most valuable trait is a judicious sense of what not to believe. *Euripides*

Many a dangerous temptation comes to us in fine gay colours that are but skin-deep. *Mathew Henry* (1662-1714)

Many a family tree needs trimming.

Many a good man I have seen go under. *Walt Whitman*

Many a good newspaper story has been ruined by oververification. *James Gordon Bennett*

Many a man fails as an original thinker simply because his memory is too good. *Friedrich Nietzsche*

Many a man fails to become a thinker only because his memory is too good. *Friedrich Nietzsche*

Many a man has fallen in love with a girl in a light so dim he would not have chosen a suit by it. *Maurice Chevalier*

Many a man in love with a dimple makes the mistake of marrying the whole girl. *Stephen Leacock*

Many a man never fails because he never tries. *Norman MacEwan*

Many a man owes his success to his first wife and his second wife to his success. *Jim Backus*

Many a man spans his children for the things his own father should have spanked out of him. *Don Marquis*

Many a man would have been worse if his estate had been better. *Benjamin Franklin*

Many a man's reputation would not know his character if they met on the street. *Elbert Hubbard*

Many a man's vices have at first been nothing worse than good qualities run wild. *Augustus & Julius Hare*

Many a one falls in the snare which he has set for others.

Many a one, for the sake of finery on the back, has gone with a hungry belly, and half-starved their families. "Silks and satins, scarlets and velvets, put out the kitchen fire," as Poor Richard says. *Benjamin Franklin*

Many a person seems to think it isn't enough for the government to guarantee him the pursuit of happiness. He insists it also run interference for him.

Many a small thing has been made large by the right kind of advertising. *Mark Twain* (1835-1910)

Many a time a man cannot be such as he would be, if circumstances do not admit of it. *Terence* (185-159 B. C.)

Many a time... from a bad beginning great friendships have sprung up. *Terence* (185-159 B. C.)

Many a true word is spoken in jest. *English Proverb*

Many a young lady does not realize just how strong her love for a young man is until he fails to pass the approval test with her parents.

Many a yo-yo think he have the world on a string.

Many anti-American cartoons abroad depict Uncle Sam brandishing a dollar as a symbol of American civilization. There is more ignorance than malice in this platitude. As a matter of fact, it is not money, it is work which holds sway over American civilization. *Jacques Maritain* (1882 - 1973)

Many are always praising the by-gone time, for it is natural that the old should extol the days of their youth; the weak, the time of their strength; the sick, the season of their vigor; and the disappointed, the spring-tide of their hopes. *Caleb Bingham*

Many are called, but few are at their desks.

Many are called, but few are chosen. Fewer still get to do the choosing.

Many are cold, but few are frozen.

Many are destined to reason wrongly; others, not to reason at all; and others, to persecute those who do reason. *Voltaire*

Many are saved from sin by being so inept at it. *Mignon McLaughlin*

Many can rise to the occasion, but few know when to sit down.

Many changes of mind and mood; do not hesitate too long.

Many christians debate whether the devil is on earth or in hell. Can he dwell in christians or only in the world? The fact is: the devil is in darkness. Wherever there is spiritual darkness, there the devil will be.

Many come to church to air their finery. *French Proverb*

Many could forgo heavy meals, a full wardrobe, a fine house, et cetera; it is the ego they cannot forgo. *Mohandas Gandhi*

Many count their chickens before they are hatched; and where they expect bacon, meet with broken bones. *Miguel de Cervantes* (1547-1616)

Many dead animals of the past changed to fossils while others preferred to be oil. *Henry Cate*

Many do with opportunities as children do at seashore; they fill their little hands with sand, and then let the grains fall through, one by one, till all are gone. *Thomas Jones*

Many drops make a flood.

Many drops make a shower.

Many forms of Government have been tried, and will be tried in this world of sin and woe. No one pretends that democracy is perfect or all-wise. Indeed, it has been said that democracy is the worst form of Government except all those others that have been tried from time to time. *Sir Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill* (1874-1965)

Many give advice; few give help. *Herbert E. Salzer*

Many go out for wool, and come home shorn themselves. *Miguel de Cervantes* (1547-1616)

Many good qualities are not sufficient to balance a single want - the want of money. *Zimmermann*

Many hands make a burden lighter. *Erasmus*

Many hands make light work. *Confucius & John Heywood* (1497-1580)

Many have quarreled about religion that never practiced it. *Benjamin Franklin*

Many have suffered from talking: none ever suffered for keeping silent. *Italian Proverb*

Many highly intelligent people are poor thinkers. Many people of average intelligence are skilled thinkers. The power of a car is separate from the way the car is driven. *Edward de Bono*

Many ideas grow better when transplanted into another mind than in the one where they sprung up. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Many individuals have, like uncut diamonds, shining qualities beneath a rough exterior. *Juvenal*

Many interviewers when they come to talk to me, think they're being progressive by not mentioning in their stories any longer that I'm black. I tell them, 'Don't stop now. If I shot somebody you'd mention it.' *Colin Powell*

Many know how to flatter; few know how to praise.

Many little leaks may sink a ship. *Thomas Fuller*

Many lords, many laws. *Thomas Draxe*

Many manufacturers secretly question whether advertising really sells their product, but are vaguely afraid that their competitors might steal a march on them if they stopped. *David Ogilvy*

Many means to get money. *John Clarke*

Many men boast of having an open mind, when it is only vacant.

Many men counsel others better than themselves. *J. Hewes*

Many men have been capable of doing a wise thing, more a cunning thing, but very few a generous thing. *Alexander Pope*

Many men know how to flatter, few men know how to praise. *Greek Proverb*

Many men, many minds.

Many men reach maturity, but only women reach maternity so far. *Leo Rosten*

Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up. *Thomas Alva Edison (1847-1931)*

Many of the problems the world faces today are the eventual result of short-term measures taken last century. *Jay Forrester*

Many of the world's troubles are not due just to Russia or communism. They would be with us in any event because we live in an era of revolution - the revolution of rising expectations. *Adlai E. Stevenson*

Many open minds should be closed for repairs.

Many pages make a crowded castle.

Many pages make a thick book, except for pocket Bibles on very thin paper.

Many people - and I think I am one of them - are more productive when they've had a little to drink. I find if I drink two or three brandies, I'm far better able to write. *David Ogilvy*

Many people are lonely because they build walls instead of bridges.

Many people are unenthusiastic about their work.

Many people are unenthusiastic about your work.

Many people lose their tempers merely by seeing you keep yours.

Many people take no care of their money till they come nearly to the end of it, and others do just the same with their time. *Goethe (1749-1832)*

Many peoples' tombstones should read 'Died at 30, buried at 60.' *Nicholas Murray Butler*

Many persons have a wrong idea of what constitutes true happiness. It is not attained through self-gratification but through fidelity to a worthy purpose. *Helen Keller*

Many politicians lay it down as a self-evident proposition, that no people ought to be free till they are fit to use their freedom. The maxim is worthy of the fool in the old story, who resolved not to go into the water till he had learned to swim. *Lord Macaulay*

Many quite distinguished people have bodies similar to yours.

Many receive advice, few profit by it.

Many receive advice, only the wise profit from it. *Syrus*

Many secrets of art and nature are thought by the unlearned to be magical. *Roger Bacon (ca. 1220-1292)*

Many small make a great. *John Heywood*

Many speak much who cannot speak well. *American Proverb*

Many speak the truth when they say that they despise riches, but they mean the riches possessed by other men. *Charles Caleb Colton (c. 1780-1832)*

Many things are lost for want of asking. *English Proverb*

Many things difficult to design prove easy to performance. *Samuel Johnson (1709-1784)*

Many things find place between the cup and lip. *Greek Proverb*

Many things grow in the garden that were never sown there.

Many things happen between the cup and the lip. *Robert Burton (1576-1640)*

Many things happen unlooked for.

Many who have gold in the house are looking for copper outside. *Russian Proverb*

Many words do not fill a basket. *Yoruban Proverb*

Many words will not fill a bushel. *American Proverb*

Many would be cowards if they had courage enough. *Thomas Fuller & Rochester*

Map me no maps. *Henry Fielding*

Marathon running is a terrible experience: monotonous, heavy, and exhausting. *Veikko Karvonen*

Marathoning is like cutting yourself unexpectedly. You dip into the pain so gradually that the damage is done before you are aware of it. Unfortunately, when awareness comes, it is excruciating. *John Farrington*

March on. Do not tarry. To go forward is to move toward perfection. March on, and fear not the thorns, or the sharp stones on life's path. *Kahlil Gibran*

Marilyn Nelson, the Carlsons' older daughter, gives credence to the folklorism that the apple does not fall far from the tree. She possesses the energy, the persuasiveness, the intellect, the ambition of her father. *Steve Fox*

Marital problems? You don't need a new wife, you need a new life!

Mark how fleeting and paltry is the estate of man: yesterday in embryo, tomorrow a mummy or ashes. So for the hairsbreadth of time assigned to thee, live rationally, and part with life cheerfully, as drops the ripe olive, extolling the season that bore it and the tree that matured it. *Marcus Aurelius Antoninus*

Mark this well, you proud men of action! you are, after all, nothing but unconscious instruments of the men of thought. *Heinrich Heine*

Mark Twain warned against reading Health Journals as "You might die of a misprint."

Market research can establish beyond the shadow of a doubt that the egg is a sad and sorry product and that it obviously will not continue to sell. Because after all, eggs won't stand up by themselves, they roll too easily, are too easily broken, require special packaging, look alike, are difficult to open, won't stack on the shelf. *Robert Pliskin (1963)*

Marriage: A ceremony in which rings are put on the finger of the lady and through the nose of the gentleman. *Herbert Spencer*

Marriage always demands the finest arts of insincerity possible between two human beings. *Vicki Baum (1888-1960)*

Marriage: An institution which is popular because it combines the maximum of temptation with the minimum of opportunity. *George Bernard Shaw*

Marriage halves our griefs, doubles our joys, and quadruples our expenses

Marriage is a covered dish.

Marriage is a lottery. *French Proverb*

Marriage is a gamble. You start with a pair. He shows a diamond. She shows a heart. Her father has a club. His father has a spade. There's usually a joker around somewhere, but after a while he becomes a king and she becomes a queen. Then they end up with a full house.

Marriage is a noose. *Miguel de Cervantes (1547-1616)*

Marriage is a rest period between romances.

Marriage is a romance in which the heroine dies in the first chapter. *Cecilia Egan*

Marriage is a three ring circus: engagement ring, wedding ring, and suffering.

Marriage is a trip between Niagara Falls and Reno.

Marriage is always a bachelor's last option. (*Serocki's Stricture*)

Marriage - is an expensive way of getting your laundry done for free.

Marriage is an institution - but who wants to live in one?

Marriage is for those who don't like eating leftovers alone.

Marriage is like a cage one sees the birds outside desperate to get in and those inside equally desperate to get out. *Di Peatlines*

Marriage is like a golden ring in a chain, whose beginning is a glance and whose ending is in eternity. *Kahlil Gibran*

Marriage is like a pair of shears. Oft times working in opposite directions, but punishing anyone that comes between them. *Sydney Smith*

Marriage is like burning the house down to toast the bread.

Marriage is low down, but you spend the rest of your life paying for it.

Marriage is miserable unless you find the right person that is your soulmate and that takes a lot of looking. *Marvin Gaye*

Marriage is not a word; it is a sentence.

Marriage is not merely sharing the fettucini, but sharing the burden of finding the fettucini restaurant in the first place. *Calvin Trillin*

Marriage is one of the chief causes of divorce.

Marriage is our last, best chance to grow up. *Joseph Barth*

Marriage is popular because it combines the maximum of temptation with the maximum of opportunity. *George Bernard Shaw (1856-1950)*

Marriage is that relation between man and woman in which the independence is equal, the dependence mutual, and the obligation reciprocal. *Louis K. Anspacher*

Marriage is the biggest cause of divorce.

Marriage is the only adventure open to the cowardly. *Voltaire*

Marriage is the only known example of the happy meeting of the immovable object and the irresistible force. *Ogden Nash (1902-1971)*

Marriage is the torment of one, the felicity of two, the strife and enmity of three. *Washington Irving*

Marriage is the unsuccessful attempt to make something lasting out of an incident. *Albert Einstein*

Marriage isn't a word, it's a sentence..

Marriage is a lottery.

Marriage is a wonderful institution, but who would want to live in an institution? *H. L. (Henry Lewis) Mencken (1895-1977)*

Marriage is the sole cause of divorce.

Marriage may be made in heaven, but the maintenance must be done on earth.

Marriage means commitment. Of course, so does insanity.

Marriage resembles a pair of shears, so joined that they cannot be separated; often moving in opposite directions, yet always punishing any one who comes between them. *Sydney Smith*

Marriage teaches you loyalty, forbearance, self-restraint, meekness, and a great many other things you wouldn't need if you had stayed single. *Jimmy Townsend*

Marriage: the only sport in which the trapped animal has to buy the license.

Marriages are made in heaven and consummated on earth. *John Lyly*

Married in youth, repented in age.

Married... Not dead.

Marry first, and love will come afterwards.

Marry in haste, repent in leisure. *Tilney*

Marry not a tennis player. For love means nothing to them.

Marry your equal.

Marry your son when you will, your daughter when you can. *George Herbert*

Marrying a man is like buying something you've been admiring for a long time in a shop window. You may love it when you get it home, but it doesn't always go with everything else in the house. *Jean Kerr*

Mars is essentially in the same orbit... somewhat the same distance from the Sun, which is very important. We have seen pictures where there are canals, we believe, and water. If there is water, that means there is oxygen. If oxygen, that means we can breathe. Vice President *Dan Quayle*

Mass demand has been created almost entirely through the development of advertising. *Calvin Coolidge (1926)*

Mass production is for the masses. *E. A. Filene*

Mass work, mass activity, mass opposition and the united front - no adventurism - these are the alpha and omega of Communist tactics. *Georgi Dimitrov*

Master-builders whose mighty designs in advancing the sciences will leave lasting monuments to the admiration of posterity. *John Locke*

Material blessings, when they pay beyond the category of need, are weirdly fruitful of headache. *Philip Wylie*

Materialism is substance abuse. *Ben Price*

Materialists and madmen never have doubts. *G. K. Chesterton (1874-1936)*

Math and alcohol don't mix. Please don't drink and derive.

Math is like love; a simple idea, but it can get complicated. *R. Drabek*

Math was always my bad subject. I couldn't convince my teachers that many of my answers were meant ironically. *Calvin Trillin*

Mathematical discoveries, like springtime violets in the woods, have their season which no human can hasten or retard. *Carl Friedrich Gauss*

Mathematical discoveries, small or great are never born of spontaneous generation. They always presuppose a soil seeded with preliminary knowledge and well prepared by labour, both conscious and subconscious. *Henri Poincaré*

Mathematicians are born, not made. *Henri Poincaré*

Mathematicians are like Frenchmen: whatever you say to them they translate into their own language and forthwith it is something entirely different. *Johann Wolfgang von Goethe (1749-1832)*

Mathematicians are willing to assume anything - except responsibility.

Mathematicians do not study objects, but relations between objects. Thus, they are free to replace some objects by others so long as the relations remain unchanged. Content to them is irrelevant: they are interested in form only. *Henri Poincaré*

Mathematicians practice absolute freedom.

Mathematicians take it to the limit.

Mathematics and death are never in error. *Yvgeney Zamyatin*

Mathematics as a science, commenced when first someone, probably a Greek, proved propositions about "any" things or about "some" things, without specifications of definite particular things. *Alfred Whitehead*

Mathematics consists of proving the most obvious thing in the least obvious way. *George Pólya*

Mathematics, in its widest significance, is the development of all types of formal, necessary, deductive reasoning. *Alfred Whitehead*

Mathematics is a dangerous profession; an appreciable proportion of us go mad. *John E. Littlewood*

Mathematics is a game played according to certain simple rules with meaningless marks on paper. *David Hilbert*

Mathematics is a game with rules and no objectives.

Mathematics is a logical method... Mathematical propositions express no thoughts. In life it is never a mathematical proposition which we need, but we use mathematical propositions only in order to infer from propositions which do not belong to mathematics to others which equally do not belong to mathematics. *Ludwig Wittgenstein*

Mathematics is a motley of techniques and proofs. *Ludwig Wittgenstein*

Mathematics is being lazy. Mathematics is letting the principles do the work for you so that you do not have to do the work for yourself. *George Pólya*

Mathematics is concerned only with the enumeration and comparison of relations. *Carl Friedrich Gauss*

Mathematics is not a deductive science - that's a cliché. When you try to prove a theorem, you don't just list the hypotheses, and then start to reason. What you do is trial and error, experimentation, guesswork. *Paul Halmos*

Mathematics is the art of giving the same name to different things. *Henri Poincaré*

Mathematics is the cheapest science. Unlike physics or chemistry, it does not require any expensive equipment. All one needs for mathematics is a pencil and paper. *George Pólya*

Mathematics is the language God used to write the universe.

Mathematics is the queen of the sciences and number theory is the queen of mathematics. *Carl Friedrich Gauss*

Mathematics knows no races or geographic boundaries; for mathematics, the cultural world is one country. *David Hilbert*

Mathematics may be defined as the subject in which we never know what we are talking about, nor whether what we are saying is true. *Bertrand Russell*

Mathematics takes us into the region of absolute necessity, to which not only the actual word, but every possible word, must conform. *Bertrand Russell*

Mathematics transfigures the fortuitous concourse of atoms into the tracery of the finger of God. *Herbert Westren Turnbull*

Mathew, Mark, Luke, and John, / The bed be blest that I lye on. *Thomas Ady*

Matrimonially speaking, a bridle for the tongue is better than a rein for the heart. *Minna Antrim*

Matrimony is the root of all evil.

Matrimony isn't a word, it's a sentence.

Matter cannot be created or destroyed; nor can it be returned without a receipt.

Matter will be damaged in direct proportion to its value. (*Murphy's Constant*)

Matters of religion should never be matters of controversy. We neither argue with a lover about his taste, not condemn him, if we are just, for knowing so human a passion. *George Santayana* (1863-1952)

Maturity consists in no longer being taken in by oneself. *Kajetan von Schlaggenberg*

Maturity is a high price to pay for growing up.

Maturity is achieved when a person postpones immediate pleasures for long-term values. *Joshua L. Liebman*

Maturity is knowing when and where to be immature.

Maturity is often more absurd than youth and very frequently is most unjust to youth. *Thomas A. Edison*

Maturity is only a short break in adolescence. *Jules Feiffer*

Maturity is the time of life when, if you had the time, you'd have the time of your life.

Maxims are like lawyers who must need to see but one side of the case. *Frank Gelett Burgess*

Maxims are the condensed good sense of nations. *James Mackintosh*

May all your teeth fall out, except the one that hurts.

May as well be hanged for a sheep as a lamb. *English Proverb*

May evil spirits be confused on the way to your door. *George Carlin*

May I govern my passion with absolute sway, / And grow wiser and better as my strength wears away. *Walter Pope* (1630-1714)

May our nation continue to be the beakon of hope to the world. *J. Danforth Quayle*

May the fleas of a thousand camels bite your enemies.

May the forces of evil become confused on the way to your house. *George Carlin*

May the most that you hope for be the least that you get. *Irish saying*

May the most you wish for be the least you get.

May the road rise to meet you. May the wind always be at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, the rains fall soft upon your fields and, until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. *Irish Blessing*

May the roof above us never fall in, and may the friends gathered below never fall out.

May those that love us, love us. / And them that don't love us, May God turn their hearts. / And if He can't turn their hearts / May He turn their ankles, so we'll know them by their limp. *William Stock*

May we treat our friends with kindness and our enemies with generosity.

May you die in bed at 95, shot by a jealous spouse.

May you have enough happiness to make you sweet, enough trials to make you strong, enough sorrow to keep you human, enough hope to make you happy and enough money to buy gifts!

May you have many friends and very few living enemies.

May you have warm words on a cold evening a full moon on a dark night and a smooth road all the way to your door.

May you live all the days of your life. *Jonathan Swift*

May you live in interesting times.

May your days be full of peace and love.

May your life be long and useful like a roll of toilet paper.

May your trouble be like the old man's teeth...few and far between.

May your troubles in the coming New Year be as short-lived as your resolutions. *E. C. McKenzie*

Maybe God wants us to meet a few wrong people before meeting the right one so that when we finally meet the right person, we should know how to be grateful for that gift.

Maybe I'm lucky to be going so slowly, because I may be going in the wrong direction. *Ashleigh Brilliant*

Maybe it's true that life begins at forty. But everything else starts to wear out, fall out, or spread out.

Maybe this world is another planet's hell. *Aldous Huxley*

Maybe you can't buy happiness, but these days you can certainly charge it.

Mayflies continually plot to topple the cedar.

Me and Janet really are two different people. *Michael Jackson*

Me and Miami go together like apple pie and semi-automatic machine guns. *Nomad*

Meaning and reality were not hidden somewhere behind things, they were in them, in all of them.

*Hermann Hesse*

Meaning is not thought up and then written down. The act of writing is an act of thought. All writing is experimental in the beginning. It is an attempt to solve a problem, to find a meaning, to discover its own way towards a meaning. *Donald Murray*

Meaning of life: <deleted for lack of space>.

Measure a thousand times and cut once. *Turkish Proverb*

Measure is merry mean.

Measure not men by Sundays, without regarding what they do all the week after. *Thomas Fuller*

Measure the corn of others with your own bushel. *Yiddish Proverb*

Measure twice because you can cut only once. (*Murphy's Thirty-fourth Law*)

Measure what is measurable, and make measurable what is not so. *Galileo Galilei*

Measure with a micrometer. Mark with chalk. Cut with an axe. (*Ray's Rule of Precision*)

Measure your life in love.

Mechanical reproduction of art changes the reaction of the masses toward art. The reactionary attitude toward a Picasso painting changes into the progressive reaction toward a Chaplin movie... The greater the decrease in the social significance of an art form, the sharper the distinction between criticism and enjoyment by the public. *Walter Benjamin (1892-1940)*

Mechanics is the paradise of the mathematical sciences, because by means of it one comes to the fruits of mathematics. *Leonardo da Vinci*

Medical-biological research often amounts to destroying something in order to find out how it worked when it was still intact. *Leo Vroman*

Medicine is my lawful wife and literature my mistress; when I get tired of one, I spend the night with the other. *Anton Chekhov*

Medicine is not only a science; it is also an art. It does not consist of compounding pills and plasters; it deals with the very processes of life, which must be understood before they may be guided. *Paracelsus*

Mediocre men often have the most acquired knowledge. *Claude Bernard*

Mediocrity can talk; but it is for genius to observe. *Benjamin Disraeli (1804-1881)*

"Mediocrity" doesn't mean average intelligence, it means an average intelligence that resents and envies its betters. *Ayn Rand*

Mediocrity is climbing molehills without sweating. *Icelandic Proverb*

Mediocrity knows nothing higher than itself; but talent instantly recognizes genius. *Arthur Conan Doyle (1859-1930)*

Mediocrity obtains more with application than superiority without it. *Balthasar Gracian*

Mediocrity requires aloofness to preserve its dignity. *Charles G. Dawes*

Meditation is not what you think.

Meekness is uncommon patience in planning a worthwhile revenge.

Meeting: A gathering where the minutes are kept and the hours lost. *Gourd*

Meeting: An assembly of people coming together to decide what person or group not represented in the room must solve a problem.

Meeting Franklin Roosevelt was like opening your first bottle of champagne; knowing him was like drinking it. *Sir Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill (1874-1965)*

Meetings are indispensable when you don't want to do anything. *John Kenneth Galbraith*

Melting pot Harlem - Harlem of honey and chocolate and caramel and rum and vinegar and lemon and lime and gall... where the subway from the Bronx keeps right on downtown. *Langston Hughes*

Memory and imagination help a man as he works. Not only his own thoughts, but the thoughts of the men of past ages guide his hands; and, as part of the human race, he creates. *William Morris (1834-1896)*

Memory builds a pathway that goes winding through the heart and keeps friends close together even though they are far apart.

Memory is a magnet. It will pull to it and hold only material nature has designed it to attract. *Jessamyn West*

Memory is a thing we forget with.

Memory is the greatest of artists, and effaces from your mind what is unnecessary. *Maurice Baring*

Memory is the mother of all wisdom. *Aeschylus*

Memory is what God gave us so that we might have roses in December. *James M. Barrie*

Memory serves wise commanders. *Tz'u-hsi*

Memory should be the starting point of the present.

Men acquire a particular quality by constantly acting in a particular way. *Aristotle*

Men always want to be a woman's first love. Women have a more subtle instinct; what they like to be is a man's last romance.

Men always want to be a woman's first love - women like to be a man's last romance. *Oscar Wilde (1854-1900)*

Men and nations will act rationally when all other possibilities have been exhausted.

Men and women, women and men. It will never work. *Erica Jong*

Men are able to trust one another, knowing the exact degree of dishonesty they are entitled to expect. *Stephen Butler Leacock*

Men are apt to mistake the strength of their feeling for the strength of their argument. The heated mind resents the chill touch and relentless scrutiny of logic. *William E Gladstone*

Men are apt to prefer a prosperous error to an afflicted truth. *Jeremy Taylor*

Men are blind in their own cause. *Neywood Broun*

Men are born with two eyes, but with one tongue, in order that they should see twice as much as they say. *Charles Caleb Colton*

Men are but children of a larger growth. *John Dryden (1631-1701)*

Men are close to each other by nature. They diverge as a result of repeated practice. *Confucius (551-479 BC)*

Men are men before they are lawyers, or physicians, or merchants, or manufacturers; and if you make them capable and sensible men, they will make themselves capable and sensible lawyers or physicians. *John Stuart Mill*

Men are most apt to believe what they least understand. *Michel Eyquem de Montaigne (1553-1592)*

Men are not prisoners of fate, but only prisoners of their own minds. *Franklin Delano Roosevelt*

Men are not punished for their sins, but by them. *Elbert Hubbard*

Men are often capable of greater things than they perform. They are sent into the world with bills of credit, and seldom draw to their full extent. *Horace Walpole*

Men are only fellow voyagers with other creatures in the odyssey of evolution. *Aldo Leopold*

Men are probably nearer the central truth in their superstitions than in their science. *Henry David Thoreau*

Men are respectable only as they respect. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Men are rich only as they give. He who gives great service gets great returns. *Elbert Hubbard*

Men... are sent into the world with bills of credit, and seldom draw to their full extent. *Horace Walpole*

Men are so constituted that every one undertakes what he sees another successful in, whether he has aptitude for it or not. *Johann Wolfgang von Goethe*

Men are so simple and yield so readily to the desires of the moment that he who will trick will always find another who will suffer to be tricked. *Niccolo Machiavelli*

Men are strong (only) so long as they represent a strong idea. They become powerless when they oppose it. *Sigmund Freud* (1856-1939)

Men are what their mothers made them. *Ralph Waldo Emerson* (1803-1882)

Men are wise in proportion, not to their experience, but to their capacity for experience. *George Bernard Shaw*

Men as a rule find it easier to depend on healers than to attempt the more difficult task of living wisely. *René Dubos*

Men become civilized, not in proportion to their willingness to believe, but in proportion to their readiness to doubt. *H. L. Mencken*

Men blush less for their crimes than for their weaknesses and vanity. *Jean de La Bruyère*

Men born to freedom are naturally alert to repel invasion of their liberty by evil-minded rulers. The greatest dangers to liberty lurk in insidious encroachment by men of zeal, well-meaning but without understanding. *Louis D. Brandeis* (1856-1941)

Men can be distinguished from animals by consciousness, by religion or anything else you like. They themselves begin to distinguish themselves from animals as soon as they begin to produce their means of subsistence, a step which is conditioned by their physical organisation. By producing their means of subsistence men are indirectly producing their actual material life. *Karl Marx* (1818-1883)

Men commonly think according to their inclinations, speak according to their learning and imbibed opinions, but generally act according to custom. *Francis Bacon*

Men count up the faults of those who keep them waiting. *French Proverb*

Men create the gods in their own image.

Men despise religion; they hate it, and they fear it is true. *Blaise Pascal*

Men, developing their material production and their material intercourse, alter, along with this their real existence, their thinking and the products of their thinking. Life is not determined by consciousness, but consciousness by life. *Karl Marx* (1818-1883)

Men die of the diseases which they have studied most...It's as if the morbid condition was an evil creature which, when it found itself closely hunted, flew at the throat of its pursuer. *Arthur Conan Doyle* (1859-1930)

Men do not quit playing because they grow old; they grow old because they quit playing. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Men do not really live for honors or for pay; their gladness is not in the taking and holding, but in the doing, the striving, the building, the living. *R. J. Baughan*

Men fear death as children fear to go in the dark; and as that natural fear in children is increased with tales, so is the other. *Francis Bacon* (1561-1626)

Men fear death, as children fear to go in the dark; and as that natural fear in children is increased with tales, so is the other. *Maya Angelou* (1928- )

Men fear death, as if unquestionably the greatest evil, and yet no man knows that it may not be the greatest good. *William Mitford*

Men get opinions as boys learn to spell, By reiteration chiefly. *Elizabeth Barrett Browning*

Men get their pictures on money but women get their hands on it. *Ruth Sherrill*

Men get wealth and women keep it.

Men give away nothing so liberally as their advice. *François de La Rochefoucauld*

Men have a much better time of it than women; for one thing, they marry later; for another thing they die earlier. *H. L. (Henry Lewis) Mencken*

Men have become tools of their tools. *Henry David Thoreau*

Men have many faults, women only two: all they say, and all they do.

Men have more problems than women; in the first place they have to put up with women.

Men heap together the mistakes of their lives, and create a monster they call Destiny. *John Oliver Hobbes*

Men, I want you just thinking of one word all season. One word and one word only: Super Bowl. *Bill Peterson*

Men in great place are thrice servants, - servants of the sovereign or state, servants of fame, and servants of business. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Men in no way approach so nearly to the gods as in doing good to men. *Marcus Tullius Cicero (106-43 BC)*

Men in the game are blind to what men looking on see clearly. *Chinese Proverb*

Men judge by the complexion of the sky / The state and inclination of the day. *William Shakespeare (1564-1616)*

Men judge us by the success of our efforts. God looks at the efforts themselves. *Charlotte Bronte (1816-1855)*

Men, like bullets, go farthest when they are smoothest. *Jean Paul Richter (1763-1825)*

Men lose their tempers in defending their taste. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Men love to hear well of themselves. *John Clarke*

Men love to wonder and that is the seed of our science. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Men make their own history, but they do not make it just as they please; they do not make it under circumstances chosen by themselves, but under circumstances directly found, given, and transmitted from the past. *Karl Marx*

Men marry because they are tired; women because they are curious. Both are disappointed. *Oscar Wilde*

Men marry to make an end; women to make a beginning. *Alexis Dupuy*

Men may be convinced, but they cannot be pleased, against their will. *Johnson*

Men may promise more in a day than they will fulfill in a year.

Men must be governed by God or they will be ruled by tyrants. *William Penn*

Men must be taught as if you taught them not, / And things unknown propos'd as things forgot. *Alexander Pope (1688-1744)*

Men never do evil so completely and cheerfully as when they do it from religious conviction. *Blaise Pascal (1623-1662)*

Men, not having been able to cure death, misery, and ignorance, have imagined to make themselves happy by not thinking of these things. *Blaise Pascal*

Men now say that they are in the advertising business with just as much pride as the man who says, 'I am a professor at Yale', or 'I am President of the United States'.

Men occasionally stumble across the truth, but most of them pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing had happened. *Winston Churchill (1874-1965)*

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Men of age object too much, consult too long, adventure too little, repent too soon, and seldom drive business home to the full period, but content themselves with a mediocrity of success. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Men of few words are the best men. *William Shakespeare (1564-1616)*

Men of genius are admired, men of wealth are envied, men of power are feared; but only men of character are trusted.

Men of ill judgement oft ignore the good that lies within their hands, till they have lost it. *Sophocles*

Men of today seem to feel more acutely than ever the paradox of their condition. They know themselves to be the supreme end to which all action should be subordinated, but the exigencies

of action force them to treat one another as instruments or obstacles, as means. *Simone de Beauvoir*

Men often make up in wrath what they want in reason. *William Rounseville Alger*

Men rarely aspire to virtues which they do not, in at least some small degree, already possess. *Thomas McKeown*

Men, says an old Greek maxim, are tormented by the opinions they have of things, not by the things themselves.... For if evils have no entry into us but by our judgment, it seems to be in our power to disdain them or turn them to good use. *Michel de Montaigne (1533-1592)*

Men scanning the surface count the wicked happy; they see not the frightful dreams that crowd a bad man's pillow. *Tupper (1810-1889)*

Men seldom make passes at girls who wear glasses. *Dorothy Parker*

Men seldom, or rather never for a length of time and deliberately, rebel against anything that does not deserve rebelling against. *Thomas Carlyle*

Men seldom show dimples to girls who have pimples.

Men should be like Kleenex; soft, strong and disposable. *Mrs. White, 'Clue'*

Men show their character in nothing more clearly than by what they think laughable. *Johann Wolfgang von Goethe*

Men spend their lives in anticipations, in determining to be vastly happy at some period when they have time. But the present time has one advantage over every other - it is our own. Past opportunities are gone, future have not come. We may lay in a stock of pleasures, as we would lay in a stock of wine; but if we defer the tasting of them too long, we shall find that both are soured by age. *Charles Caleb Colton*

Men stare at those parts of the female anatomy which carry the subcutaneous fat necessary for childbearing and lactation. This is not news. Professor *Ralph Noble*

Men still remember the first kiss after women have forgotten the last.

Men talk of "finding God," but no wonder it is difficult; He is hidden in that darkest hiding-place, your heart. You yourself are a part of Him. *Christopher Morley*

Men tell you the facts, but God will tell you the truth!

Men, their rights, and nothing more; women, their rights, and nothing less. *Susan B. Anthony*

Men tire themselves in pursuit of rest. *Laurence Sterne*

Men trip not on mountains they trip on molehills. *Chinese Proverb*

Men use thought only as authority for their injustice, and employ speech only to conceal their thoughts. *Francis M. Voltaire (1694-1778)*

Men who accomplish great things in the industrial world are the ones who have faith in the money producing power of their ideas. *Charles Fillmore*

Men who are unhappy, like men who sleep badly, are always proud of the fact. *Bertrand Russell*

Men who do things without being told draw the most wages. *Edwin H. Stuart*

Men will believe more easily that which they do not understand. *Michel de Montaigne*

Men will confess to treason, murder, arson, false teeth, or a wig. How many of them will own up to a lack of humor? *Frank Moore Colby*

Men will sooner surrender their rights than their customs. *Moritz Guedmann*

Men willingly believe what they wish. *Julius Caesar (100-44 BC)*

Men wish to be saved from the mischiefs of their vices, but not from their vices. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Men's evil manners live in brass; their virtues we write in water. *William Shakespeare*

Men's hearts ought not to be set against one another, but set with one another, and all against evil only. *Thomas Carlyle*

Men's minds are raised to the level of the women with whom they associate. *Alexandre Dumas*

Men's minds are too ready to excuse guilt in themselves. *Livy*

Men's thoughts are much according to their inclination, their discourse and speeches according to their learning and infused opinions. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Men's vows are women's traitors! *William Shakespeare*

Mental experiences are reported by all human beings with whom we take the trouble to communicate at the appropriate level. *John Carew Eccles*

Mental Floss prevents Moral Decay.

Mental pleasures never cloy; unlike those of the body, they are increased by repetition, approved by reflection, and strengthened by enjoyment. *Nathaniel Cotton (1705-1788)*

Menu: A list of dishes which the restaurant has just run out of.

Merchandisers, by embedding subliminal trigger devices in media, are able to evoke a strong emotional relationship between, say, a product perceived in an advertisement weeks before and the strongest of all emotional stimuli - love (sex) and death. *Wilson Bryan Key*

Mercy among the virtues is like the moon among the stars... It is the light that hovers above the judgment seat. *Edwin Hubbel Chapin*

Mercy to the criminal may be cruelty to the people.

Mere access to the courthouse doors does not by itself assure a proper functioning of the adversary process. *Thurgood Marshall*

Mere longevity is a good thing for those who watch Life from the side lines. For those who play the game, an hour may be a year, a single day's work an achievement for eternity. *Gabriel Heatter*

Mere unorthodoxy or dissent from the prevailing mores is not to be condemned. The absence of such voices would be a symptom of grave illness in our society. *Earl Warren*

Metaphysical systems are for philosophers what novels are for women. *Voltaire*

Meteorologists have warm fronts.

Method goes far to prevent trouble in business: for it makes the task easy, hinders confusion, saves abundance of time, and instructs those that have business depending, both what to do and what to hope. *William Penn*

Methodologists remind me of people who clean their glasses so thoroughly that they never have time to look through them. *Sigmund Freud*

Michelangelo would have made better time with a roller.

Microbiology Lab: Staph Only!

Microwave Fireplace: Spend an evening in front of the fire in about 8 minutes!

Microwaves frizz your hair.

'Mid pleasures and palaces though we may roam, / Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home. *John Howard Payne*

Midas me no Midas. *John Dryden*

Middle age: halfway between adolescence and obsolescence

Middle age is having a choice of two temptations and choosing the one that will get you home earlier.

Middle age is the time of life that a man first notices in his wife. *Richard Armour*

Middle age is the time when a man is always thinking in a week or two he will feel as good as ever. *Don Marquis (1878-1937)*

Middle age is when a broad mind and narrow waist change places.

Middle age is when broadness of the mind and narrowness of the waist change places.

Middle age is when it takes longer to rest than to get tired.

Middle age is when you choose your cereal for the fiber, not the toy.

Middle age is when you have a choice of two temptations and choose the one that will get you home earlier.

Middle age is when you wonder if your warranty is running out.

Middle Age is when your age starts to show around your middle. *Bob Hope*

Middle age is when you're sitting at home on Saturday night and the telephone rings and you hope it isn't for you. *Ogden Nash*

Middle age is when you've met so many people that every new person you meet reminds you of someone else. *Ogden Nash*

Middle age starts when you have been warned to slow down, not by a motorcycle cop, but by your doctor.

Middle Age: That time of life when you'd rather not have a good time than recover from it. *Fletcher Henderson*

Middle Age: When your age starts to show around your middle.

Might makes right.

Miles aren't the only distance.

Military intelligence is a contradiction in terms. *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx (1895-1977)*

Military intelligence. Isn't that a contradiction in terms? *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx (1895-1977)*

Military justice is to justice what military music is to music. *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx (1895-1977)*

Military tactics are like unto water; for water in its natural course runs away from high places and hastens downwards. So in war, the way is to avoid what is strong and to strike what is weak.

Like water, taking the line of least resistance. *Sun Tzu (fl. c. B.C. 500)*

Milk keeps the man on the road. *Finnish Saying*

Milking a cow is an operation demanding a special talent that is possessed only by yokels, and no person born in a large city can never hope to acquire it. (*Mencken and Nathan's Sixteenth Law of The Average American*)

Millihelen: The amount of beauty required to launch one ship.

Millions for defence, but not one cent for tribute. *Charles Cotesworth Pinckney (1746-1825)*

Millions long for immortality who do not know what to do with themselves on a rainy Sunday afternoon. *Susan Ertz (1894-1985) & D. P. Barron*

Millions long for immortality who don't know what to do on a rainy afternoon. *Susan Ertz*

Millions of dollars' worth of advertising shows such little respect for the reader's intelligence that it amounts almost to outright insult. *James Randolph Adams*

Mind is locked in matter like the spirit Ariel in a cloven pine. Like Ariel, men struggle to escape the drag of the matter they inhabit, yet it is the spirit that they fear. *Loren Eiseley*

Mind is the great lever of all things; human thought is the process by which human ends are ultimately answered. *Daniel Webster (1782-1852)*

Mind moves matter. *Vergil (B.C. 70-19)*

Mind other men, but most yourself. *John Clarke*

Mind unemployed is mind unenjoyed. *John Christian Bovee*

Mind your p's and q's.

Mingle just a little folly with your wisdom. *French Proverb*

Minds are like parachutes - they only function when open. *Thomas Dewar*

Minds are like parachutes... they only work when they're open.

Minds at rest, rust.

Minds, like parachutes, only function when they are open.

Minds that are great and free, / should not on fortune pause: / 'Tis crown enough to virtue still, her own applause." *Ben Jonson (1573-1637)*

Mine host was full of ale and history. *R. Corbet*

Mine is better than ours. *Benjamin Franklin*

Minor surgery is surgery someone else is having. *Calvin Coolidge*

Minorities are the stars of the firmament; majorities, the darkness in which they float. *Martin H. Fischer*

Miracle owes its origin to the negation of thought.

Miracle : something that never happens in our generation.

Miracles are great, but they are so damned unpredictable.

Miracles arise from our ignorance of nature, not from nature itself. *Michel Eyquen Montaigne*

Miracles arise from our ignorance of nature, not from the essence of nature. Habituation puts to sleep the eye of our judgment. *Montaigne (1533-1592)*

Miracles happen everyday. Look at a pregnant woman.

Miracles happen to those who believe in them. Otherwise why does not the Virgin Mary appear to Lamaists, Mohammedans, or Hindus who have never heard of her? *Bernard Berenson*

Miracles never cease.

Miracles occur naturally as expressions of love. The real miracle is the love that inspires them. In this sense everything that comes from love is a miracle. *Marianne Williamson*

Mirrors should reflect a little before throwing back images. *Jean Cocteau* (1891-1963)

Mirth is like a flash of lightning that breaks through a gloom of clouds, and glitters for a moment: cheerfulness keeps up a kind of day-light in the mind. *Joseph Addison* (1672-1719)

Mirth is the sweet wine of human life. It should be offered sparkling with zestful life unto God. *Henry Ward Beecher*

Miserable man! Oh! most contemptible and worthy of all scorn; with slouched hat and guilty eye, skulking from his God; prowling among the shipping like a vile burglar hastening to cross the seas. *Herman Melville*

Misers aren't much fun to live with, but they make great ancestors.

Misers make wonderful ancestors.

Misers mistake gold for good, whereas it is only a means of obtaining it. *François de La Rochefoucauld*

Misery acquaints a man with strange bedfellows.

Misery loves company, but company does not reciprocate. *Addison Mizner*

Misery no longer loves company; nowadays it insists on it.

Misfortune, and recited misfortune especially, may be prolonged to the point where it ceases to excite pity and arouses only irritation. *Dorothy Parker*

Misfortune shows those who are not friends. *Aristotle*

Misfortune: The kind of fortune that never misses. *Ambrose Bierce*

Misfortunes do not flourish particularly in our path. They grow everywhere. *Big Elk*

Misfortunes never come alone.

Mishaps are like knives, that either serve us or cut us, as we grasp them by the blade or the handle. *James Russel Lowell*

Misplaced precision stifles initiative.

Misquotations are the only quotations that are never misquoted. *Hesketh Pearson*

Miss: A title with which we brand unmarried women to indicate that they are in the market. *Ambrose Bierce*

Missing you is only half the story. Hope the other half is you missing me.

Mistakes are almost always of a sacred nature. Never try to correct them. On the contrary: rationalize them, understand them thoroughly. After that, it will be possible for you to sublimate them. *Salvador Dali*

Mistakes are at the very base of human thought, embedded there, feeding the structure like root nodules. If we were not provided with the knack for being wrong, we could never get anything useful done. We think our way along by choosing between right and wrong alternatives, and the wrong choices have to be made as often as the right ones. We get along in life this way. *Lewis Thomas*

Mistakes are often the stepping stones to utter failure.

Mistakes are part of the dues one pays for a full life. *Sophia Loren*

Mistakes are the ornament of freedom.

Mistakes are the portals of discovery. *James Joyce*

Mistakes will happen.

Mistrust is the most necessary characteristic of the chess-player. *Siegbert Tarrasch*

Mistrust the man who finds everything good; the man who finds everything evil; and still more the man who is indifferent to everything. *Johann Kaspar Lavater*

Mixed metaphors are a pain in the neck and should be thrown out the window.

Mockery is the weapon of those who have no other. *Hubert Pierlot*

Moderation in all things.

Moderation in temper is always a virtue; but moderation in principle is always a vice. *Thomas Paine*

Moderation is a fatal thing. Nothing succeeds like excess. *Oscar Wilde*

Moderation is the inseparable companion of wisdom, but with it genius has not even a nodding acquaintance. *Charles Caleb Colton*

Modern art touches a sore spot, or several sore spots, in the ordinary citizen of which he is totally unaware. The more irritated he becomes at modern art the more he betrays the fact that he himself, and his civilization, are implicated in what the artist shows him. *William Barrett*

Modern business and persons and organizations that seek publicity must recognize their obligations to the public and to the press. *Henry F. Woods, Jr.*

Modern diplomats approach every problem with an open mouth. *Arthur J. Goldberg*

Modern ethics has tended to take the moral saliency of human welfare for granted. *Marilyn McCord Adams*

Modern industry has converted the little workshop of the patriarchal master into the great factory of the industrial capitalist. Masses of labourers, crowded into the factory, are organized like soldiers. As privates of the industrial army they are placed under the command of a perfect hierarchy of officers and sergeants. *Karl Marx (1818-1883) & Friedrich Engels (1820-1895)*

Modern man is the missing link between apes and human beings.

Modern man lives increasingly in the future and neglects the present. *Loren Eiseley*

Modes of thinking, such as love, desire, or any other of the passions, do not take place, unless there be in the same individual an idea of the thing loved, desired, etc. But the idea can exist without the presence of any other mode of thinking. *Baruch Spinoza (1632-1677)*

Modest doubt is called / The beacon of the wise. *William Shakespeare (1564-1616)*

Modesty antedates clothes and will be resumed when clothes are no more. Modesty died when clothes were born. Modesty died when false modesty was born. *Mark Twain*

Modesty: Being comfortable that others will discover your greatness.

Modesty is a vastly overrated virtue. *J. K. Galbraith*

Modesty is not only an ornament, but also a guard to virtue. *Joseph Addison*

Modesty is the conscience of the body. *Honoré de Balzac*

Modesty is the only sure bait when you angle for praise. *Lord Chesterfield*

Modesty is the only sure bet when you angle for praise. *Lord Chesterfield*

Modesty may make a fool seem a man of sense. *Jonathan Swift*

Modesty: the gentle art of enhancing your charm by pretending not to be aware of it. *Ambrose Bierce*

Momentum: What you give a person when they are going away.

Momma always said, stupid is as stupid does. *Tom Hanks*

"Mommy, mommy! The garbage man is here!" "Well, tell him we don't want any!" *Groucho Marx*

Monday is an awful way to spend one seventh of your life.

Money: a blessing that is of no advantage to us excepting when we part with it. *Ambrose Bierce*

Money alone sets the world in motion. *Publilius Syrus*

Money and women are the most sought after and the least known of any two things we have. *Will Rogers*

Money answers all things. *Old Testament*

Money breeds money.

Money brings everything to you, even your daughters. *Honoré de Balzac*

Money can't buy everything... but then again neither can no money.

Money can't buy happiness. *Whiting*

Money can't buy happiness, but it allows you to suffer in comfort.

Money can't buy happiness, but it can certainly rent it for a couple of hours.

Money can't buy happiness, but it does quiet the nerves.

Money can't buy happiness, but it lets you be miserable in comfort.

Money can't buy happiness but it will get you a better class of memories. *Ronald Reagan (1911-)*

Money can't buy happiness... But then, happiness can't buy government-insured C.D.'s. *David Addison*

Money can't buy happiness; it can, however, rent it.

Money can't buy love, but it can put you in a strong bargaining position.

Money can't buy love. But it CAN rent a very close imitation.

Money cannot buy happiness, but it can make you awfully comfortable while you're being miserable.

Money cannot buy love, nor even friendship.

Money costs too much. *Lew Archer*

Money couldn't buy friends, but you get a better class of enemy. *Spike Milligan*

Money demands that you sell, not your weakness to men's stupidity, but your talent to their reason. *Ayn Rand (1905-1982)*

Money does all things for reward. Some are pious and honest as long as they thrive upon it, but if the devil himself gives better wages, they soon change their party. *Seneca*

Money DOES talk - it says goodbye.

Money doesn't always bring happiness. A man with 10 million dollars isn't any happier than a man with 9 million dollars.

Money doesn't always bring happiness. People with ten million dollars are no happier than people with nine million dollar. *Hobart Brown*

Money doesn't bring you happiness, but it enables you to look for it in more places.

Money doesn't buy happiness, but it's easier to cry in a limo than it is on a bus. *Joan Rivers*

Money doesn't grow on trees.

Money doesn't make you happy, but I'd rather cry in a Cadillac than in a volks!

Money doesn't talk these days. It goes without saying.

Money draws money.

Money gets money.

Money has little value to its possessor unless it also has value to others. *Leland Stanford (1824-1893)*

Money - in its absence we are coarse; in its presence we are vulgar. *Mignon McLaughlin (1918-)*

Money is a good servant, but a bad master.

Money is a powerful aphrodisiac, but flowers work almost as well.

Money is a servant to him who can make use of it, otherwise it is a master. *Giovanni Torriano*

Money is a singular thing. It ranks with love as man's greatest source of joy. And with death as his greatest source of anxiety. *John Kenneth Galbraith*

Money is a terrible master but an excellent servant. *P. T. Barnum (1810-1891)*

Money is always there but the pockets change; it is not in the same pockets after a change, and that is all there is to say about money. *Gertrude Stein (1874-1946)*

Money is an article which may be used as a universal passport to everywhere except Heaven, and as a universal provider of everything but happiness.

Money is an excellent servant, but a horrible master.

Money is better than poverty, if only for financial reasons. *Woody Allen (1935-)*

Money is flat and meant to be piled up. *Scottish Proverb*

Money is honey, my little sonny, and a rich man's joke is always funny. *Thomas. Edward Brown (1830-1897)*

Money is human happiness in the abstract: he, then, who is no longer capable of enjoying human happiness in the concrete devotes his heart entirely to money. *Arthur Schopenhauer (1788-1860)*

Money is just what we use to keep tally. *Henry Ford (1863-1947)*

Money is like a promise, easier made than kept.

Money is like a sixth sense, and you can't make use of the other five without it. *W. Somerset Maugham*

Money is like an arm or a leg - use it or lose it. *Henry Ford*

Money is like muck, not good except it be spread. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Money is like promises - easier made than kept. *Josh Billings (1815-1885)*

Money is not an aphrodisiac; the desire it may kindle in the female eye is more for the cash than the carrier. *Marya Mannes (1904-)*

Money is not required to buy one necessity of the soul. *Henry David Thoreau*

Money is of no value; it cannot spend itself. All depends on the skill of the spender. *Emerson* (1803-1882)

Money is often lost for want of money. *Thomas Draxe*

Money is power, freedom, a cushion, the root of all evil, the sum of blessings. *Carl Sandburg* (1878-1967)

Money is round, and rolls away.

Money is round, and so quickly trills away. *James Howell*

Money is round. It rolls away. *Sholem Aleichem* (1859-1916)

Money is tender when you have it, and tough when you haven't.

Money is the god of our time. *Heine* (1797-1856)

Money is the only substance which can keep a cold world from nicknaming a citizen "Hey, you!"  
*Wilson Mizner* (1876-1933)

Money is the poor people's credit card. *Marshall McLuhan* (1911-1980)

Money is the root of all evil. *Jesus Christ*

Money is the root of all evil, and everyone needs roots.

Money is the root of all evil, and yet it is such a useful root that we cannot get on without it any more than we can without potatoes. *Louisa May Alcott* (1832-1888)

Money is the root of all evil, but man needs roots.

Money is the root of all wealth.

Money is wise, it knows its way.

Money isn't everything, and don't let anyone tell you different. There are other things, such as stocks, bonds, letters of credit, traveler's checks, checks, drafts.

Money isn't everything, but it sure keeps the kids in touch.

Money isn't everything - sometimes it isn't even enough.

Money isn't everything... there's credit cards, money orders, and travelers checks.

Money isn't everything: usually it isn't even enough.

Money, it turned out, was exactly like sex, you thought of nothing else if you didn't have it and thought of other things if you did. *James Baldwin* (1924-1987)

Money makes a man free everywhere.

Money makes marriage.

Money makes money. *Trafford*

Money makes the man.

Money makes the mare go.

Money may buy friendship but money cannot buy love.

Money may not buy you happiness, but it's a very good substitute. *George Bernard Shaw*

Money never comes out of season.

Money never cometh out of season. *English Proverb*

Money never made a fool of anybody; it only shows them up. *Kin Hubbard*

Money often costs too much. *Ralph Waldo Emerson* (1803-1882)

Money refused loses its brightness. *George Herbert*

Money roots out all evil.

Money speaks sense in a language all nations understand. *Aphra Behn* (1640-1689)

Money swore an oath that nobody who did not love it should ever have it. *Irish Proverb*

Money takes the sting out of being poor.

Money talks. *Mexican-American Proverb*

Money talks. Chocolate sings.

Money wants no followers. *George Herbert*

Money was made not to command our will, / But all our lawful pleasures to fulfill. / Shame and woe to us, if we our wealth obey; / The horse doth with the horseman run away. *Abraham Cowley* (1618-1667)

Money will buy you a fine dog, but only love can make it wag it's tail. *Richard Friedman*

Money will buy you a pretty good dog, but it won't buy the wag of his tail.

Money will do anything.

Money will not buy happiness, but it will let you be unhappy in nice places.  
Money will say more in one moment than the most eloquent lover can in years.  
Money won't buy happiness, but it will pay the salaries of a large research staff to study the problem. *Bill Vaughan* (1915-1977)  
Monotony is the awful reward of the careful. *A. G. Buckham*  
Monotony is the law of Nature. Observe the monotonous manner in which the sun rises.  
Monotony: The practice of having only one spouse at a time.  
Mont Blanc is the monarch of mountains; / They crowned him long ago / On a throne of rocks, in a robe of clouds, / With a diadem of snow. *Lord Byron* (1788-1824)  
Montaigne is wrong in declaring that custom ought to be followed simply because it is custom, and not because it is reasonable or just. *Blaise Pascal* (1623-1662)  
Monuments are the grappling-irons that bind one generation to another. *Joseph Joubert*  
Moral good is a practical stimulus; it is no sooner seen than it inspires an impulse to practise. *Plutarch* (c.46-c.120 A. D.)  
Moral imagination and the faculty of having moral ideas can become objects of knowledge only after they have been produced by the individual. By then, however, they no longer regulate life, for they have already regulated it. *Rudolf Steiner* (1861-1925)  
Moral passion without entertainment is propaganda, and entertainment without moral passion is television. *Rita Mae Brown*  
Moral victories don't count. *Savielly Grigorievitch Tartakower*  
Moralistic is not moral. And as for truth - well, it's like brown - it's not in the spectrum... Truth is sui generis. *Iris Murdoch* (1919- )  
Morality is a private and costly luxury. *Henry Brooks Adams* (1838-1918)  
Morality is injured by prescribing to it duties that, in the first place, are impossible to be performed; and, if they could be, would be productive of evil; or, as before said, be premiums for crime. The maxim of doing as we would be done unto does not include this strange doctrine of loving enemies: for no man expects to be loved himself for his crime or for his enmity. *Thomas Paine* (1737-1809)  
Morality is simply the attitude we adopt toward people whom we personally dislike. *Oscar Wilde*  
Morality is the best of all devices for leading mankind by the nose. *Friedrich Nietzsche*  
Morality is the root, as well as consequence, of survival. *Lawrence L. Hirsch*  
Moralizing and morals are two entirely different things and are always found in entirely different people. *Don Herold*  
More belongs to marriage than four bare legs in a bed.  
More doors are opened with "please" than with keys.  
More light! *Goethe* (last words)  
More men are sheep in wolves' clothing than the other way around.  
More people died at Chappaquidick than at 3-Mile Island. *Henry Cate*  
More persons, on the whole, are humbugged by believing in nothing than by believing in too much. *P. T. Barnum*  
More suffering, more happiness.  
More than any time in history, mankind now faces a crossroads. One path leads to despair and utter hopelessness, the other to total extinction. Let us pray that we have the wisdom to choose correctly. *Woody Allen*  
More than enough is too much.  
More than one war has been caused by a single word. *Arabic Proverb*  
More wisdom is latent in things-as-they-are than in all the words men use. *Antoine De Saint-Exupery*  
Morning has broken like the first morning, / blackbird has spoken like the first bird. *Eleanor Farjeon*  
Morning people should be forced to milk cows. *Jonathan Kellerman*  
Moses dragged us for 40 years through the desert to bring us to the one place in the Middle East where there was no oil. *Golda Meir*

Moses supposes his toes are roses, but Moses supposes erroneously, for we all know that Moses' toes are not really roses as Moses supposes his toes to be.

Mosquitoes are a great moral force; it forces mankind to wear more clothes than modesty.

Mosquito: An insect that makes you like flies better.

Most agencies run scared, most of the time... Frightened people are powerless to produce good advertising... If I were a client, I would do everything in my power to emancipate my agencies from fear, even to the extent of giving them long-term contracts. *David Ogilvy*

Most books now say our sun is a star. But it still knows how to change back into a sun in the daytime.

Most criticism of advertising is written in ignorance of what actually happens inside these agencies. *Michael Schudson*

Most divorces are just a four-year-long date with a little bookkeeping. Professor *Ralph Noble*

Most fairly successful advertising men like to think that the composition of their copy involves enormous esthetic skills and they have a tendency to excuse the collecting of their exorbitant bribes on the ground that for the first time in history true genius is, at last, finding adequate compensation. *Alexander King*

Most faults are not in our Constitution, but in ourselves. *Ramsey Clark*

Most folks are about as happy as they make up their minds to be. *Abraham Lincoln*

Most general statements are false, including this one. *Alexander Dumas*

Most human beings have an almost infinite capacity for taking things for granted. *Aldous Huxley*

Most ignorance is vincible ignorance. We don't know because we don't want to know. *Aldous Huxley*

Most marvelous and enviable is that fecundity of fancy which can adorn whatever it touches, which can invest naked fact and dry reasoning with unlooked for beauty, make flowers bloom even on the brow of the precipice. *Margaret Fuller*

Most men and nations die lying down.

Most men can counsel others, few, themselves. *J. Wilson*

Most men employ the first part of their life, to make the rest miserable. *de La Bruyere*

Most modern calendars mar the sweet simplicity of our lives by reminding us that each day that passes is the anniversary of some perfectly uninteresting event. *Oscar Wilde*

Most national advertising includes embedding of hidden stimuli. Retail or local ad layouts may not have the facilities, as their artists and writers either do not know about subliminal techniques or they lack the skill and craftsmanship required to do the work well. Every major advertising agency has at least one embedding technician in its art department. The technique is taught in most commercial art schools. *Wilson Bryan Key*

Most novices picture themselves as masters - and are content with the picture. This is why there are so few masters. *Jean Toomer*

Most of human sentences are aimed at getting rid of the ambiguity which you unfortunately left trailing in the last sentence. *Jacob Bronowski*

Most of my cliches aren't original. *Chuck Knox*

Most of our so-called reasoning consists in finding arguments for going on believing as we already do. *James Robinson*

Most of our suspicions of others are aroused by our knowledge of ourselves.

Most of the change we think we see in life is due to truths being in and out of favor. *Robert Frost* (1874-1963)

Most of the conscious thinking of a philosopher is secretly guided and forced into certain channels by his instincts. Behind all logic and its seeming sovereignty of movement, too, there stand valuations or, more clearly, physiological demands for the preservation of a certain type of life. *Friedrich Wilhelm Nietzsche* (1844-1900)

Most of the important things in the world have been accomplished by people who have kept on trying when there seemed to be no help at all. *Dale Carnegie* (1888-1955)

Most of the luxuries and many of the so-called comforts of life, are not only not indispensable, but positive hindrances to the elevation of mankind. *Henry David Thoreau*

Most of the rich people I've known have been fairly miserable. *Agatha Christie* (1890-1976)

Most of the things worth doing in the world had been declared impossible before they were done.  
*Louis D. Brandeis*

Most of the time I don't have much fun. The rest of the time I don't have any fun at all. *Woody Allen*

Most of the trouble in the world is caused by people wanting to be important. *T. S. Elliot*

Most of today's books have an air of having been written in one day from books read the night before. *Nicolas De Chamfort* (1741-1794)

Most of us become parents long before we have stopped being children. *Mignon McLaughlin*

Most of us probably feel we couldn't be free without newspapers, and that is the real reason we want the newspapers to be free. *Edward R. Murrow* (1908-1965)

Most people are about as happy as they make their minds up to be. *Abraham Lincoln*

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Most people are other people. Their thoughts are someone else's opinions, their lives a mimicry, their passions a quotation. *Oscar Wilde*

Most people are too stupid to butter the pancake on the right side.

Most people are unenthusiastic about their work.

Most people can't understand how others can blow their noses differently than they do. *Ivan Turgenev*

Most people deserve each other. (*Shirley's Law*)

Most people get lost in thought because it is unfamiliar territory. *Paul Fixx*

Most people have ears, but few have judgment; tickle those ears, and depend upon it, you will catch those judgments, such as they are. *Lord Chesterfield*

Most people know how to keep silent but few of us know when.

Most people - one may say the best sort of people - greatly prefer to do things for themselves, however badly, than to have things done for them, however well.

Most people raise their voice rather than reinforcing their point.

Most people repent of their sins by thanking God they ain't so wicked as their neighbors. *Josh Billings*

Most people seek after what they do not possess and are enslaved by the very things they want to acquire. *Anwar El-Sadat*

Most people sell their souls and live with a good conscience on the proceeds. *Logan P. Smith*

Most people use their hands and feet to drive - a few also use their heads.

Most people would like to be delivered from temptation but would like it to keep in touch. *Robert Orben*

Most people would rather be certain they're miserable, than risk being happy. *Robert Anthony*

Most people would rather die than think; in fact, they do so. *Bertrand Russell*

Most people would rather die than think: many do. *Bertrand Russell*

Most people would succeed in small things if they were not troubled with great ambitions. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

Most people wouldn't know music if it came up and bit them on the ass. *Frank Zappa*

Most powerful is he who has himself in his own power. *Seneca*

Most purported solutions to the problem of evil contend that evils such as we experience are justified by virtue of their being essential constituents of great enough complex goods. *Marilyn McCord Adams*

Most subjects at universities are taught for no other purpose than that they may be retaught when the students become teachers. *G. C. Lichtenberg*

Most successful men have not achieved their distinction by having some new talent or opportunity presented to them. They have developed the opportunity that was at hand. *Bruce Barton*

Most things get steadily worse. (*Issawi's First Law of Progress*)

Most times than not, you have to trample thru weeds, to get to the most beautiful rosebush. *Brian Pellegra*

Most turkeys taste better the day after; my mother's tasted better the day before. *Rita Rudner*

Most vegetarians look so much like the food they eat that they can be classified as cannibals. *Finley Peter Dunne*

Most women do not want to be liberated from their essential natures as women. Vice-President *Dan Quayle*

Most women have no characters at all. *Alexander Pope* (1688-1744)

Most women set out to change a man, and when they have changed him they do not like him. *Marlene Dietrich*

Most writers regard truth as their most valuable possession, and therefore are most economical in its use. *Mark Twain*

Mother is far too clever to understand anything she does not like. *Arnold Bennett*

Mother is the invention of necessity.

Mother Nature applies all her rules... all the time.

Mother Nature is a bitch. (*Murphy's Tenth Law*)

Mother no's best.

Mother told me to be good, but she has been wrong before.

Motherhood: the longest guilt trip you'll ever take.

Motivation is everything. You can do the work of two people, but you can't be two people. Instead, you have to inspire the next guy down the line and get him to inspire his people. *Lee Iacocca*

Motivation is like food for the brain. You cannot get enough in one sitting. It needs continual and regular top up's. *Peter J. Davies* (1937- )

Motor gently through the grease mud, for there lurks the skid demon.

Mountain climbers rope together to prevent the sensible ones from going home.

Mountain range: A cooking stove used at high altitudes.

Mouse Potato: The online, wired generation's answer to the couch potato.

Mr Attlee is a very modest man. Indeed he has a lot to be modest about. *Winston Churchill* (1874-1965)

Mrs. Otis had a magnificent constitution and a really wonderful amount of animal spirits. Indeed, in many respects she was quite English and was an excellent example of the fact that we have really everything in common with America nowadays, except, of course, the language. *Oscar Wilde*

Much babbling is not without offence.

Much coin, much care. *Latin Proverb*

Much law, but little justice. *Thomas Fuller*

Much learning makes men mad. *Ariosto*

Much may be done in those little shreds and patches of time, which every day produces, and which most men throw away, but which nevertheless will make at the end of it no small deduction for the life of man. *C. C. Colton*

Much may be made of a Scotchman if he be caught young. *Samuel Johnson* (1709-1784)

Much may be said on both sides. *Joseph Addison* (1672-1719) & *Henry Fielding*

Much noise and few eggs.

Much noise and little milk.

Much noise and little wool.

Much of a muchness. *Vanbrugh*

Much of the messy advertising you see on television today is the product of committees. Committees can criticize advertisements, but they should never be allowed to create them. *David Ogilvy*

Much of the wisdom of one age, is the folly of the next. *Charles Simmons*

Much of what we call evil is due entirely to the way men take the phenomenon. It can so often be converted into a bracing and tonic good by a simple change of the sufferer's inner attitude from one of fear to one of fight; its sting can so often depart and turn into a relish when, after vainly seeking to shun it, we agree to face about and bear it. *William James*

Much smoke, little fire.

Much smoking kills live men and cures dead swine. *George D. Prentice*

Much tells me little; little tells me much. *John Quill Taylor*

Much that is inexpressible would be hardly worth expression, if one could express it. *Lichtenberg*

Mud thrown is ground lost.

Multiplicity is not to be asserted when it is unnecessary (Pluralitas non ponenda est sine necessitate). *William of Occam (Occam's Razor)*

Mummy: An Egyptian who was pressed for time.

Murder most foul, as in the best it is; / But this most foul, strange, and unnatural. *William Shakespeare (1564-1616)*

Murder, though it have no tongue, will speak / With most miraculous organ. *William Shakespeare*

Murphy Brown is doing better than I am. At least she knows she still has a job next year. *J. Danforth Quayle*

Murphy never met anyone he didn't meet. (*Murphy's Twenty-first Rule of combat*)

Murphy was an optimist. (*O'Toole's commentary on Murphy's Law*)

Murphy's Law isn't recursive. Washing your car to make it rain doesn't work.

Muscles come and go; flab lasts. *Bill Vaughan*

Mushrooms look like little umbrellas because they always grow in damp places.

Music begins to atrophy when it departs too far from the dance. *Ezra Pound*

Music can name the unnameable and communicate the unknowable. *Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)*

Music expresses that which cannot be said and on which it is impossible to be silent. *Victor Hugo*

Music in the soul can be heard by the universe.

Music is a higher revelation than philosophy. *Ludwig Van Beethoven (1770-1827)*

Music is a moral law. It gives soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and charm and gaiety to life and to everything. *Plato*

Music is harmony, harmony is perfection, perfection is our dream, and our dream is heaven. *Amiel*

Music is Love in search of a word. *Sidney Lanier*

Music is the eye of the ear. *Thomas Draxe*

Music is the greatest communication in the world. Even if people don't understand the language that you're singing in, they still know good music when they hear it. *Lou Rawls*

Music is the mediator between the spiritual and the sensual life. *Ludwig Van Beethoven (1770-1827)*

Music is the only language in which you cannot say a mean or sarcastic thing. *Lord Erskine*

Music is the only sensual pleasure without vice. *Samuel Johnson*

Music is the shorthand of emotion. *Leo Tolstoy*

Music is the universal language of mankind. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

Music is well said to be the speech of angels. *Thomas Carlyle*

Music must rank as the highest of the arts more than any other, it ministers to human welfare. *Herbert Spencer*

Music sung by two people at the same time is called a duel.

Music, the greatest good that mortals know, And all of heaven we have here below. *Joseph Addison*

Music was invented to confirm human loneliness. *Lawrence Durrell*

Music washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life. *Berthold Auerbach*

Musically, I always allow myself to jump off of cliffs. At least that's what it feels like to me. Whether that's what it actually sounds like might depend on what the listener brings to the songs. *Tori Amos*

Musicians are just playin' folks.

Must then Christ perish in torment in every age to save those that have no imagination? *Bernard Shaw*

Mutability of temper and inconsistency with ourselves is the greatest weakness of human nature. *Joseph Addison*

My advice to the women of America is to raise more hell and fewer dahlias. *William Allen White*

My advice to you concerning applause is this: enjoy it but never quite believe it. *Robert Montgomery*

My advice to you is not to inquire why or whither, but just enjoy the ice cream while it's on your plate. *Thornton Wilder*

My advice to you is to get married. If you find a good wife you'll be happy; if not you'll become a philosopher. *Socrates*

My aim is that when my hands will work no longer, that the works of my hands will still continue to keep on working.

My aim is to put down on paper what I see and what I feel in the best and simplest way. *Ernest Hemingway*

My ale will make a cat speak, and a wise man dumb. *Jonathan Swift*

My Alma mater was books, a good library . . . . I could spend the rest of my life reading, just satisfying my curiosity. *Malcolm X (1925-1965)*

My ambition is to do a good job. I never plan anything. *Ilie Nastase*

My appetite comes to me while eating. *Michel de Montaigne*

My beauty is my curse. *Miss Piggy*

My best friend is the one who brings out the best in me. *Henry Ford*

My biggest problem is that I believe almost everything I tell myself.

My Book and Heart / Must never part.

My books are water; those of the great geniuses are wine ; everybody drinks water. *Mark Twain*

My candle burns at both ends; / It will not last the night; / But, ah, my foes, and oh, my friends / It gives a lovely light. *Edna St. Vincent Millay*

My childhood should have taught me lessons for my own parenthood, but it didn't because parenting can be learned only by people who have no children. *Bill Cosby*

My commitment is to truth, not consistency.

My country is not ONE country, my country is all countries ... No! It is the whole world as God has made it, ONE and without borders.

"My country, right or wrong," is a thing that no patriot would think of saying except a desperate case. It is like saying, "My mother, drunk or sober." *Gilbert K. Chesterton*

My country right or wrong; when right, to keep her right; when wrong, to put her right. *Carl Schurz*

My cup hath runneth'd over with love.

My dad always used to tell me that if they challenge you to an after-school fight, tell them you won't wait - you can kick their ass right now. *Cameron Diaz*

My darkness has been filled with the light of intelligence, and behold, the outer day-lit world was stumbling and groping in social blindness. *Helen Keller*

My days are in the yellow leaf; / The flowers and fruits of love are gone; / The worm, the canker, and the grief / Are mine alone! *Lord Byron (1788-1824)*

My debts are large, my failures great, my shame secret and heavy; yet when I come to ask for my good, I quake in fear lest my prayer be granted. *Rabindranath Tagore (1861-1941)*

My defenses were so great. The cocky rock-and-roll hero who knew all the answers was actually a terrified guy who didn't know how to cry. Simple. *John Lennon*

My doctor told me to stop having intimate dinners for four. Unless there are three other people. *Orson Welles*

My doctors told me I would never walk again. My mother told me I would. I believed my mother. *Wilma Rudolph*

My dog can bark like a congressman, fetch like an aide, beg like a press secretary and play dead like a receptionist when the phone rings. *Gerald Solomon (1886-1975)*

My dog is very obedient, / he does what he is bid. / A sign said 'wet paint', / and that's just what he did.

My experience in government is that when things are non-controversial and beautifully coordinated, there is not much going on. *John Fitzgerald Kennedy*

My experience is that as soon as people are old enough to know better, they don't know anything at all. *Oscar Wilde*

My experience through life has convinced me that, while moderation and temperance in all things are commendable and beneficial, abstinence from spirituous liquors is the best safeguard of morals and health. *Robert E. Lee*

My eyes see the present and my mind paints the future.

My family history begins with me, but yours ends with you. *Iphicrates*

My father always used to say that when you die, if you've got five real friends, then you've had a great life. *Lee Iacocca*

My father carries around the picture of the kid who came with his wallet.

My father didn't tell me how to live; he lived, and let me watch him do it. *Clarence Buddinton Kelland*

My father must have had some elementary education for he could read and write and keep accounts inaccurately. *George Bernard Shaw*

My father taught me to work; he did not teach me to love it. *Abraham Lincoln (1809-1865) & William Adams*

My father was a Creole, his father a Negro, and his father a monkey; my family, it seems, begins where yours left off. *Alexander Dumas*

My favorite mythical creature? The honest politician.

My fear... is my substance, and probably the best part of me. *Franz Kafka (1883-1924)*

My final warning to you is always pay for your own drinks. All the scandals in the world of politics today have their cause in the despicable habit of swallowing free drinks. *Y. Yakigawa*

My friend has a baby. I'm writing down all the noises the baby makes so later I can ask him what he meant. *Steven Wright*

My friend, why have you drifted so far away? All motion is relative, maybe it is you who have moved away by standing still.

My friend Winnie is a procrastinator. He didn't get his birthmark until he was eight years old. *Steven Wright*

My friends, no matter how rough the road may be, we can and we will never, never surrender to what is right. Vice President *Dan Quayle*

My generation, faced as it grew with a choice between religious belief and existential despair, chose marijuana. Now we are in our Cabernet stage. *Peggy Noonan*

My goal is simple. It is complete understanding of the universe, why it is as it is and why it exists as all. *Stephen Hawking*

My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me? *Jesus Christ*

My God! What is our life! An everlasting disharmony between dream and reality. *Nicholai Gogol*

My grandfather once told me that there were two kinds of people: those who do the work and those who take the credit. He told me to try to be in the first group; there was much less competition. *Indira Gandhi*

My greatest enemy is reality. I have fought it successfully for thirty years. *Margaret Anderson*

My greatest strength as a consultant is to be ignorant and ask a few questions. *Peter F. Drucker*

My hat covers my head... Just like hair used to.

My heart is like a singing bird. *Christina Giorgina Rossetti (1830-1894)*

My heart is singing for joy this morning! A miracle has happened! The light of understanding has shone upon my little pupil's mind, and behold, all things are changed! *Anne Sullivan (1866-1936)*

My heart is wax (to be) moulded as she pleases, but enduring as marble to retain. *Miguel de Cervantes (1547-1616)*

My heart longs for you, my soul dies for you, my eyes cry for you, my empty arms reach out for you.

My heart, my life, my soul... she has the key to them all. She has but to turn the key and allow me to surround her... with my warmth and love.

My heart smiled when you kissed my lips. What a sweet surprise. *Jan Arden*

My heart still skips a beat when you say your three words, giving me a rush that lasts for days and strengthens my character.

My heart that was rapt away by the wild cherry blossoms will it return to my body when they scatter? *Kotomichi*

My heart would break in two if I should lose you. *Scott Wiseman*

My heart's cry is one that will love me forever and unconditionally. One who will protect me and hold me close every chance. One in who's eyes I could see love... and in who's lips I would feel love. You are my hearts cry.

My hope is that gays will be running the world, because then there would be no war. Just a greater emphasis on military apparel. *Roseanne Barr*

My hopes are not always realized, but I always hope. *Ovid*

My husband and I are either going to buy a dog or have a child. We can't decide whether to ruin our carpet or ruin our lives. *Rita Rudner*

My husband asked me to marry him on Valentine's Day and inside his wedding ring I had this inscribed, 'My One & Only Valentine'.

My husband gave me a necklace. It's fake. I requested fake. Maybe I'm paranoid, but in this day and age, I don't want something around my neck that's worth more than my head. *Rita Rudner*

My idea of an agreeable person is a person who agrees with me. *Benjamin Disraeli*

My idea of heaven is eating pate de foie gras to the sound of trumpets. *Sydney Smith (1771-1845)*

My inferiority complex is not as good as yours.

My interest is in the future because I am going to spend the rest of my life there. *Charles F. Kettering*

My intuition nearly makes up for my lack of good judgment.

My judgment restrains me from kicking against and murmuring at the inconveniences that nature orders me to endure, but it does not take away my feeling then: I, who have no other thing in my aim but to live and be merry, would run from one end of the world to the other to seek out one good year of pleasant and jocund tranquillity. *Michel de Montaigne (1533-1592)*

My kid beat up your honor student. (Bumper Sticker)

My kid had sex with your honor student. (Bumper Sticker)

My kind of loyalty was loyalty to one's country, not to its institutions or its officeholders. The country is the real thing, the substantial thing, the eternal thing; it is the thing to watch over, and care for, and be loyal to; institutions are extraneous, they are its mere clothing, and clothing can wear out, become ragged, cease to be comfortable, cease to protect the body from winter, disease, and death. *Mark Twain*

My life has a superb cast but I can't figure out the plot. *Ashleigh Brilliant*

My life has been awaiting you, your footfall was my own hearts beat.

My life is like one long obstacle race, with me as its chief obstacle.

My life is like the summer rose / That opens to the morning sky, / But ere the shades of evening close / Is scattered on the ground - to die. *Richard Henry Wilde (1789-1847)*

My life needs a rewind/erase button. *Bill Waterson*

My life will be sour grapes and ashes without you.

My local bank branch usually has three tellers at the counter. Unless it's busy, then they only have one. *Colin Rowley*

My love and I are inseparable and I would want it no other way and if time could express my love for her then it's forever and a day.

My love for you is a journey; starting at forever, and ending at never.

My love for you is like time, if you give it just one moment, it will last forever.

My method to overcome a difficulty is to go round it. *George Pólya*

My mind is incapable of conceiving such a thing as a soul. I may be in error, and man may have a soul; but I simply do not believe it. *Thomas A. Edison*

My mind is my own church. *Thomas Paine*

My mind is not a bed to be made and re-made. *James Agate (1877-1947)*

My mind not only wanders; sometimes it leaves completely.

My mind rebels at stagnation. *Sir Arthur Conan Doyle*

My mind's made up - don't confuse me with the facts.

My most brilliant achievement was my ability to be able to persuade my wife to marry me. *Sir Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill (1874-1965)*

My most fervent prayer is to be a President who can make it possible for every boy in this land to grow to manhood by loving his country instead of dying for it. *Lyndon Baines Johnson*

My mother buried three husbands, and two of them were just napping. *Rita Rudner*

My mother had a great deal of trouble with me, but I think she enjoyed it. *Mark Twain*

My mother had morning sickness after I was born.

My mother had to send me to the movies with my birth certificate, so that I wouldn't have to pay the extra fifty cents that the adults had to pay. *Kareem Abdul-Jabar*

My mother loved children - she would have given anything if I had been one. *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx (1895-1977)*

My mother never breast fed me. She told me that she only liked me as a friend.

My mother said to me, "If you become a soldier, you'll be a general; if you become a monk, you'll end up as Pope. Instead, I became a painter and wound up as Picasso. *Pablo Picasso*

My mother used to say that there are no strangers, only friends you haven't met yet. She's now in a maximum security twilight home in Australia. *Dame Edna Everage*

My mother wants grandchildren, so I said, "Mom, go for it!" *Sue Murphy*

My motto is: Contented with little, yet wishing for more. *Charles Lamb*

My motto: sans limites. (no limits). *Isadora Duncan*

My nature is subdued to what it works in, like the dyer's hand. *William Shakespeare*

My need is not to be on the outside glaring in; its to be in the center with you.

My neighbor has a circular driveway...he can't get out. *Steven Wright*

My one regret in life is that I am not someone else. *Woody Allen*

My only concern was to get home after a hard day's work. *Rosa Parks*

My only political ambition is to be re-elected. *Glenda Jackson*

My opinion is that a poet should express the emotion of all the ages and the thought of his own. *Thomas Hardy*

My opinions may have changed, but not the fact that I am right. *Ashleigh Brilliant*

My own business always bores me to death; I prefer other people's. *Oscar Wilde*

My parents put us to sleep by tossing us up in the air. Of course, you have to have low ceilings for this method to work.

My performances have finally caught up with my ego. *Ato Boldon*

My pessimism goes to the point of suspecting the sincerity of the pessimists. *Edmond Rostand*

My philosophy, in essence, is the concept of man as a heroic being, with his own happiness as the moral purpose of his life, with productive achievement as his noblest activity, and reason as his only absolute. *Ayn Rand (1905-1982)*

My physics teacher points to a blank chalk board and explains things. *Chris Kelly*

My precept to all who build is, that the owner should be an ornament to the house, and not the house to the owner. *Cicero*

My psychiatrist told me I'm going crazy. I told him... If you don't mind I'd like a second opinion. He said... Alright... you're ugly too!

My religion consists of a humble admiration of the illimitable superior spirit who reveals himself in the slight details we are able to perceive with our frail and feeble mind. *Albert Einstein*

My religion is very simple. My religion is kindness. *The Dalai Lama*

My reputation grows with every failure. *G. B. Shaw*

My problem lies in reconciling my gross habits with my net income. *Errol Flynn (1909-1959)*

My purposes are the geography that marks out my line of travel toward the person I want to be. *Alice Koller*

My reality check just bounced.

My riches consist not in the extent of my possessions, but in the fewness of my wants. *J. Brotherton*

My satisfaction comes from my commitment to advancing a better world. *Faye Wattleton*

My second favorite household chore is ironing. My first is hitting my head on the top bunk bed until I faint. *Erma Bombeck*

My simple existence means nothing without the life of the love you give.

My sole inspiration is a telephone call from a producer. *Cole Porter* (1893-1964)

My soul cries for you every second that I live, and my heart reaches out for you every second that I love.

My soul, what's lighter than a feather? Wind. / Than wind? The fire. And what than fire? The Mind.  
/ What's lighter than the mind? A thought. Than thought? / This bubble world. What than this  
bubble? Nought. *Quarles* (1592-1644)

My soul's ambition is to love you. Love you with all my heart, my mind, and with all my strength.

My sources are unreliable, but their information is fascinating. *Ashleigh Brilliant*

My theology, briefly, is that the universe was dictated but not signed. *Christopher Morley*

My theory is that the infamous Y2K Bug hit the windshield. *Peggy Gibson*

My theory of evolution is that Darwin was adopted. *Steven Wright*

My voice is still for war. Gods! can a Roman senate long debate which of the two to choose, slavery  
or death? *Joseph Addison* (1672-1719)

My weight is perfect for my height - which varies.

My whole life has been an out-of-body experience.

My wife and I are inseparable. In fact, last week, it took four state troopers and a dog to separate us.

My wife and I have decided that a sure sign of being sixty is realizing that the term "going all the  
way" now means that both of us have committed to not going to sleep during the 11:00 PM  
news.

My wife and I have five children, and the reason we have five is that we did not want six. *Bill  
Cosby*

My wife dresses to kill. She cooks the same way. *Henny Youngman*

My wife is a light eater ... as soon as it's light, she starts to eat. *Henny Youngman*

My wife made me join a bridge club. I jump off next Tuesday.

My words fly up, my thoughts remain below; / Words without thoughts never to heaven go. *William  
Shakespeare* (1564-1616)

My worst day of vacation has always been better than my best day at work.

Mysterious love, uncertain treasure, / Hast thou more of pain or pleasure! / Endless torments dwell  
about thee: / Yet who would live, and live without thee! *Addison* (1672-1719)

Mystery and innocence are not akin. *Hosea Ballou*

Mystery is another name for our ignorance; if we were omniscient, all would be perfectly plain.  
*Tryon Edwards*

Mystery is the wisdom of blockheads. *Horace Walpole*

Mysticism is based on the assumption that you can quit the game.

Mythology: The body of a primitive people's beliefs concerning its origin, early history, heroes,  
deities and so forth, as distinguished from the true accounts which it invents later. *Ambrose  
Bierce*