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# THE SUPERLIST OF FUN LINES AND FAMOUS QUOTATIONS

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Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful.  
*Albert Schweitzer*

## Some fun lines and famous quotations

Sacred cows make great hamburgers.  
Sacred cows make the best hamburger. *Mark Twain*  
Sad is his lot, who, once at least in his life, has not been a poet. *Alphonse de Lamartine*  
Saddle your dreams afore you ride 'em. *Mary Webb*  
Safety is better than the wrong answer.  
Sailing: A form of mast transit.  
Sailing: The fine art of getting wet and becoming ill while slowly going nowhere at great expense.  
Sailors get money like horses, and spend it like asses.  
Sailors go round the world without going into it.  
Sailors have a port in every storm. *J. T. Smith*  
Saint: a dead sinner revised and edited.  
Saintliness is also a temptation. *Jean Anouilh (1910-1987)*  
Saints engage in introspection while burly sinners run the world.  
Saints have no moderation, nor do poets, just exuberance. *Anne Sexton*  
Salary is no object: strive only to keep body and soul apart.  
Sales may lead to advertising as much as advertising leads to sales. *Michael Schudson*  
Sameness is the mother of disgust, variety the cure. *Petrarch*  
San Diego: The weather is here, wish you were beautiful.  
San Francisco isn't what it used to be, and never was. *Herb Caen*  
Sanely applied advertising could remake the world. *Stuart Chase*  
Sanity (in the everyday sense of the word) is not an essential quality of great art. *Gerald Abraham*  
Sanity is a cozy lie. *Susan Sontag*

Sanity is a madness put to good uses; waking life is a dream controlled. *George Santayana* (1863-1952)

Santa's elves are just a bunch of subordinate Clauses.

Santa's Helpers are subordinate clauses.

Sarcasm is the language of the devil, for which reason I have long since as good as renounced it.

*Thomas Carlyle*

Satan hasn't a single salaried helper; the Opposition employ a million. *Mark Twain*

Satan the envious said with a sigh: Christians know more about their hell than I. *Alfred Kreyborg*

Satanic Verses is a despicable book that could not have been written by a person who wished to behave decently and responsibly. *Orson Scott Card*

Satire does not look pretty upon a tombstone.

Satire is a sort of mirror in which onlookers discover everyone's face but their own. *Jonathan Swift*

Satire is always as sterile as it is shameful and is impotent as it is insolent. *Oscar Wilde*

Satire is focused bitterness. *Leo Rosten*

Satisfaction lies in the effort, not in the attainment. Full effort is full victory. *Mohandas Gandhi*

Saturate - the scientific term for sitting on a wet toilet seat.

Sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander. *English Proverb*

Savages we call them because their manners differ from ours. *Benjamin Franklin*

Save a part of your income and begin now, for the man with a surplus controls circumstances and the man without a surplus is controlled by circumstances. *Henry H. Buckley*

Save a tree. Eat a beaver.

Save energy: be apathetic.

Save the whales. Collect the whole set.

Save time... see it my way.

Save water. Shower with a friend.

Saving is a very fine thing. Especially when your parents have done it for you. *Sir Winston Churchill* (1874-1965)

Say not unto thyself, Behold, truth breedeth hatred, and I will avoid it; dissimulation raiseth friends, and I will follow it. Are not the enemies made by truth, better than the friends obtained by flattery? *Akhenaton?* (c. B.C. 1375)

Say nothing and they think you're stupid... talk and they know for sure.

Say what you will about the ten commandments, you must always come back to the pleasant fact that there are only ten of them. *H. L. Mencken*

Saying and doing are two different things. *J. de Luna*

Saying and doing are two things. *Mathew Henry* (1662-1714)

Saying I love you is important, but not enough. Remember... Love is a VERB, an action word. Sometimes passive because it happens to us but also active, because we CHOOSE to do it.

Saying I love you isn't hard... saying I love you and meaning it is.

Saying is one thing, and doing another. *Michel Eyquem de Montaigne* (1553-1592)

Saying that Windows95 is equal to Macintosh is like finding a potato that looks like Jesus and believing you've witnessed the second coming. *Guy Kawasaki*

Scandal dies sooner of itself, than we could kill it. *Benjamin Rush*

Scandal: gossip made tedious by morality. *Oscar Wilde*

Scandal is what one half of the world takes pleasure inventing, and the other half in believing. *Paul Chatfield*

Scandal, like hypocrisy, is bipartisan.

Scatter with one hand, gather with two. *James Howell*

Scepticism is a barren coast, without a harbor or a lighthouse.

School cross country runs started because the rugby pitches were flooded. There was an alternative: extra studying. This meant there were plenty of runners on sports afternoons. *Gordon Pirie*

Schooling is what happens inside the wall of the school, some of which is educational. Education happens everywhere, and it happens from the moment a child is born ; some say before until it dies. *Sara Lawrence Lightfoot*

Schrödinger's cat might have died for your sins.

Schrödinger's wave-mechanics is not a physical theory, but a dodge - and a very good dodge too.

*Arthur Eddington*

Science: A first-rate piece of furniture for a man's upper chamber if he has common sense on the ground floor. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Science advances, not by the accumulation of new facts, but by the continuous development of new concepts. *James Bryant Conant* (1893-1978)

Science: An orderly arrangement of what at the moment seem to be facts.

Science and art belong to the whole world, and before them vanish the barriers of nationality.

*Johann Wolfgang von Goethe*

Science and conscience belong together. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science and technology revolutionize our lives, but memory, tradition and myth frame our response.

Expelled from individual consciousness by the rush of change, history finds its revenge by stamping the collective unconsciousness with habits, values, expectations, dreams. The dialectic between past and future will continue to form our lives. *Arthur M. Schlesinger, Jr.*

Science can progress on the basis of error as long as it is not trivial. *Albert Einstein*

Science does not know its debt to imagination. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Science has finally found what distinguishes Man from the other beasts: financial worries.

Science has no enemy but the ignorant. *L. Digges*

Science has proof without any certainty. Creationists have certainty without any proof. *Ashley Montague*

Science has to be understood in its broadest sense, as a method for comprehending all observable reality, and not merely as an instrument for acquiring specialized knowledge. *Alexis Carrel*

Science is a first-rate piece of furniture for a man's upper chamber, if he has common sense on the ground floor. *O. W. Holmes*

Science is a game - for the fame of the name. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science is a wonderful thing if one does not have to earn one's living at it. *Albert Einstein*

Science is all metaphor. *Timothy Leary* (1920-1996)

Science is always wrong. It never solves a problem without creating ten more. *George Bernard Shaw*

Science is built up with facts, as a house is with stones. But a collection of facts is no more a science than a heap of stones is a house. *Henri Poincaré*

Science is good furniture for one's upper chamber, if there is common sense below. *Oliver Wendell Holmes, Sr.*

Science is magic that works. *Kurt Vonnegut*

Science is material. Religion is immaterial.

Science is much closer to myth than a scientific philosophy is prepared to admit. It is one of the many forms of thought that have been developed by man, and not necessarily the best. It is conspicuous, noisy, and impudent, but it is inherently superior only for those who have already decided in favour of a certain ideology, or who have accepted it without having ever examined its advantages and its limits. *Paul Feyerabend* (1924-1994)

Science is nothing but developed perception, interpreted intent, common sense rounded out and minutely articulated. *George Santayana*

Science is nothing but perception. *Plato*

Science is organized common sense where many a beautiful theory was killed by an ugly fact. *Thomas Huxley*

Science is organized knowledge. Wisdom is organized life. *Immanuel Kant*

Science is simply common sense at its best; that is, rigidly accurate in observation, and merciless to fallacy in logic. *Thomas Huxley*

Science is sometimes a cruel mistress.

Science is the topography of ignorance. *O. W. Holmes*

Science is to see what everyone else has seen but think what no one else has thought. *Albert Szent-Györgyi*

Science is true. Don't be misled by facts.

Science is what happens when preconception meets verification.

Science is what you know, philosophy is what you don't know. *Bertrand Russell*

Science may have found a cure for most evils; but it has found no remedy for the worst of them all - the apathy of human beings. *Helen Keller*

Science: No thing is nothing. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science: Nonsense does not always make no sense. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science opens to us the book of nature; comedy, the book of human nature.

Science: The creation of dilemmas by the solution of mysteries.

Science: To see or not to see - that's the main question. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science: Travelling means unravelling science. *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Science without religion is lame; religion without science is blind. *Albert Einstein*

Science would be far less advanced than she is if the passionate desires of individuals to get their own faiths confirmed had been kept out of the game. *William James (1842-1910)*

Science-existing is the most logically consistent discipline known to man. Science-in-the-making on the other hand, is as subjective and as psychologically conditioned as any branch of human endeavor. *Albert Einstein*

'Scientific papers' in the form in which they are communicated to learned journals are notorious for misrepresenting the process of thought that led to whatever discoveries they describe. *Peter Medawar*

Scientific progress: milestones or millstones? *Gerhard Uhlenbruck*

Scientists animated by the purpose of proving that they are purposeless are an interesting subject for study. *Alfred North Whitehead*

Scientists are men who prolong life so we can have time to pay for the gadgets they invent.

Scientists are painfully aware that they don't know everything but they think they can often recognise nonsense when they come across it. *Francis H. C. Crick*

Scoff not at the natural defects of any which are not in their power to amend. It is cruel to beat a cripple with his own crutches! *Thomas Fuller*

Scotch tape: a cassette recording of bagpipe music?

Scratch a dog and you'll find a permanent job. *Franklin P. Jones*

Scratch a lover and find a foe. *Dorothy Parker*

Scratch an Englishman, find a seaman. *English Proverb*

Scratch my back and I'll scratch yours. *American Proverb*

Sculpture: mud pies that endure.

Sea is the most pure and the most polluted water; for fishes it is drinkable and salutary, but for men it is undrinkable and deleterious. *Heraclitus*

Sea sickness is like dying several separate deaths. *English Proverb*

Seagull Manager: A manager who flies in, makes a lot of noise, craps over everything and then leaves.

Sean Connery is the sexiest man alive? Was I on the list? Professor *Ralph Noble*

Search your heart, search your soul, and when you find me there, you'll search no more. *Brian Adams*

Second chances aren't usually associated with first impressions.

Second marriage is the triumph of hope over experience.

Second place is the first loser.

Second-rate people hire third-rate people.

Second thoughts are best.

Second thoughts are ever wiser. *Euripides (484-406 BC)*

Second thoughts, they say, are best. *John Dryden (1631-1701)*

Secret forces are bringing compatible spirits together. If the man permits himself to be led by this ineffable attraction, good fortune will come his way. When deep friendships exist, formalities and elaborate preparations are not necessary. *I Ching*

Secret: Something you tell to one person at a time.

Secrets are things we give to others to keep for us. *Elbert Hubbard*

Secular education can make men clever, but it cannot make them good.

Security is mostly a superstition. It does not exist in nature, nor do the children of men as a whole experience it. Avoiding danger is no safer in the long run than outright exposure. Life is either a daring adventure or nothing. *Helen Keller*

Security is not the meaning of my life. Great opportunities are worth the risk. *Shirley Hufstедler*

Security is the priceless product of freedom. Only the strong can be secure, and only in freedom can men produce those material resources which can secure them from want at home and against aggression from abroad. *B. E. Hutchinson*

See Naples and die. *Italian proverb*

See the happy moron, / He doesn't give a damn. / I wish I were a moron, / My God! Perhaps I am!  
*Dorothy Parker*

See, when I paint, it is an experience that, at its best, is transcending reality. When it is working, you completely go into another place, you're tapping into things that are totally universal, completely beyond your ego and your own self. That's what it's all about. *Keith Haring*

Seeing a murder on television can help work off one's antagonisms. And if you haven't any antagonisms, the commercials will give you some. *Alfred Hitchcock*

Seeing is believing.

Seeing is deceiving. It's eating that's believing. *James Thurber*

Seek a quiet revenge.

Seek and ye shall have sought. *John Quill Taylor*

Seek counsel of him who makes you weep, and not of him who makes you laugh. *Arabian Proverb*

Seek simplicity and distrust it. *Alfred North Whitehead*

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Seek not the favor of the multitude; it is seldom got by honest and lawful means. But seek the testimony of the few; and number not voices, but weigh them. *Immanuel Kant*

Seek out that particular mental attribute which makes you feel most deeply and vitally alive, along with which comes the inner voice which says, "This is the real me," and when you have found that attitude, follow it. *William James*

Seek roses in December, ice in June; / Hope constancy in wind, or corn in chaff; / Believe a woman or an epitaph, / Or any other thing that 's false, before / You trust in critics. *Lord Byron* (1788-1824)

Seek the angel in others, and treasure it's presence.

Seek the lofty by reading, hearing and seeing great work at some moment every day. *Thornton Wilder* (1897-1975)

Seeking for the Buddha's nature is much like riding an ox in search of the ox.

Seem not greater than thou art. *Burton*

Seems to me your antenna doesn't bring in too many stations anymore.

Seen it all, done it all, can't remember most of it.

Seen thus in perspective only the broad and powerful outline showed, and I did not, as so frequently happens to me, lose myself in the moment, but saw everything as a whole and was strengthened to understand things differently, to admit how often I had blundered, and to forgive others. *Sören Kierkegaard* (1813-1855)

Segregation was wrong when it was forced by white people, and I believe it is still wrong when it is requested by black people. *Coretta Scott King*

Seize the day, put no trust in tomorrow (Carpe diem, quam minimum credula postero)! *Horace* (65-8 B.C)

Seize the moment. Remember all those women on the 'Titanic' who waved off the dessert cart.  
*Erma Bombeck*

Seldom comes a better.

Seldom does the hated man end well.

Seldom seen, soon forgotten.

Self do, self have.

Self Test for Paranoia: You know you have it when you can't think of anything that's your own fault.

Self worth comes from one thing, a belief that you are worthy. *Wayne Dyer*

Self-control : the ability to eat only one peanut.

Self-deceit is easy; what one wishes one believes is true.

Self-determination is fine but needs to be tempered with self-control.

Self-observation brings man to the realization of the necessity of self-change. And in observing himself a man notices that self-observation itself brings about certain changes in his inner processes. He begins to understand that self-observation is an instrument of self-change, a means of awakening. *George Gurdjieff*

Self-plagiarism is style. *Alfred Hitchcock* (1899-1980)

Self-praise is no recommendation.

Self-preservation is the first law of nature.

Self-respect is the root of discipline: The sense of dignity grows with the ability to say no. *Abraham Joshua Heschel* (1907-1972)

Self-reverence, self-knowledge, self-control these three alone lead to power. *Alfred Lord Tennyson*

Self-sacrifice enables us to sacrifice other people without blushing. *George Bernard Shaw*

Self-sacrifice is never entirely unselfish, for the giver never fails to receive. *Dolores E. McGuire*

Self-sacrifice is the real miracle out of which all the reported miracles grow. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Self-sacrifice which denies common sense is not a virtue. It's a spiritual dissipation. *Margaret Deland*

Self-trust is the essence of heroism. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Selfish people are in such a hurry to get rich that they do not know when poverty is about to strike. *Solomon*

Selfishness is the greatest curse of the human race. *William E. Gladstone*

Sell your cleverness and buy bewilderment. *Jalal ud-Din Rumi*

Selling the solution is often more difficult than solving the problem. *Herbert E. Salzer*

Send a fool that is not melancholy once a day. *Latin Proverb*

Sensible people keep quiet about what they know, but stupid people advertise their ignorance. *Solomon*

Sensible people will see trouble coming and avoid it, but an unthinking person will walk right into it and regret it later. *Solomon*

Sensual pleasures are like soap bubbles, sparkling, effervescent. The pleasures of intellect are calm, beautiful, sublime, ever enduring and climbing upward to the borders of the unseen world. *John H. Aughey*

Sentiment is intellectualized emotion; emotion precipitated, as it were, in pretty crystals by the fancy. *James Russell Lowell*

Sentiment is the poetry of the imagination. *Alphonse de Lamartine*

Sentimentality is the only sentiment that rubs you the wrong way. *W. Somerset Maugham*

Sentimentality: that's what we call the sentiment we don't share. *Graham Greene*

Serendipity is looking in a haystack for a needle and finding the farmer's daughter.

Serendipity: The process by which human knowledge is advanced.

Serenity, simplicity, gravity, self-control and purity of thought are the austerities of the mind. *Bhagavad Gita*

Seriously, I do not think I am fit for the Presidency. *Abraham Lincoln*

Seriousness is the only refuge of the shallow. *Oscar Wilde*

Sermons are like pie-crust, the shorter the better. *Austin O'Malley*

Servants like ornaments should be used in their proper places. *English Proverb*

Servants make the worst masters.

Serve Locally - Pray Globally.

Serving coffee on aircraft causes turbulence. (*Davis' answer to Roger's Law*)

Set a beggar on horseback and he will gallop. *W. Averell*

Set a beggar on horseback and he will ride a gallop. *Robert Burton* (1576-1640)

Set a beggar on horseback and he will ride to the devil. *Corbett*

Set a thief to catch a thief. *French (English?) Proverb & Bohn*

Set the cart before the horse.

Set trees poor and they grow rich; set them rich and they oft grow poor. *English Proverb*

Set your affections on things above, not on things on the earth. *New Testament*

Set your goals high enough to inspire you and low enough to encourage you.

Seven days without laughter makes one weak. *Mort Walker*

Seven days without prayer makes one weak.

Seven hours to law, to soothing slumber seven, / Ten to the world allot, and all to heaven. *Sir William Jones (1746-1794)*

Severe enforcement of a bad law will hasten its repeal. Corollary - faith and morality cannot be legislated. *Lawrence L. Hirsch*

Set working methods in complicated rules and numerous authorizations. Nothing will therefore happen, for which no blame can be put on you. (Soviet Method)

Sex alleviates tension. Love causes it. *Woody Allen (1935- )*

Sex between a man and a woman can be wonderful, provided you get between the right man and the right woman... *Woody Allen*

Sex causes cancer. We'd wipe out cancer in one generation if no one had sex.

Sex discriminates against the shy and ugly.

Sex in the sixties is great, but it improves if you pull over to the side of the road. (*Johnny Carson's* Observation on Geriatrics)

Sex is a disrobic experience.

Sex is better than reading; no overdue fines. *Jean-Luc Picard*

Sex is God's joke on human beings. *Bette Davis*

Sex is hereditary. If your parents never had it, chances are you won't either. *Joseph Fischer*

Sex is like air - it's only important to you when you're not getting any.

Sex is part of nature. I go along with nature. *Marilyn Monroe*

Sex is the mathematics urge sublimated. *M. C. Reed*

Sex is the most fun you can have without laughing.

Sex on television can't hurt you... unless you fall off.

Sex prejudice is so ingrained in our society that many who practice it are simply unaware that they are hurting. It is the last socially acceptable prejudice. *Bernice Sandler*

Sex: The most fun you can have without laughing.

Sex! What is that but life, after all? We're all of us selling sex, because we're all selling life. *Alvin Chereskin*

Sex without love is an empty experience, but, as empty experiences go, it's one of the best. *Woody Allen (1935- )*

Shakespeare thought more of the lady than of the poem. *F. S. Fitzgerald*

Shakespeare was a dramatist of note who lived by writing things to quote. *Henry Cuyler Bunner*

Shakespeare, who was considered the English Corneille, flourished at about the time of Lope de Vega. He had a strong and fertile genius, full of naturalness and sublimity, without the slightest spark of good taste or the least knowledge of the rules... After two hundred years most of the outlandish and monstrous ideas of this author have acquired the right to be considered sublime, and almost all modern authors have copied him... It does not occur to people that they should not copy him, and the lack of success of their copies simply makes people think that he is inimitable. *Voltaire (1694-1778)*

Shakespeare wrote his sonnets within a strict discipline, fourteen lines of iambic pentameter, rhyming in three quatrains and a couplet. Were his sonnets dull? Mozart wrote his sonatas within an equally rigid discipline - exposition, development, and recapitulation. Were they dull? *David Ogilvy*

Shall we make a new rule of life from tonight: always try to be a little kinder than is necessary. *Sir James Matthew Barrie (1860-1937)*

Shallow men believe in luck. Strong men believe in cause and effect. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Share your smile with everyone, but save your kiss for only one.  
Shared joy is a double joy; shared sorrow is half a sorrow. *Swedish Proverb*  
Shared joy is double joy. Shared sorrow is half sorrow. *Swedish Proverb*  
Shared joy is joy doubled. Shared sorrow is sorrow halved.  
She bore a great soul in a little body. *Quiller-Couch*  
She felt in italics and thought in capitals. *Henry James, Jr. (1843-1916)*  
She flays with indignation haughty / The passages she thinks are naughty, / But reads them carefully so that / she'll know what to be angry at. *Edward Anthony*  
She floats upon the river of his thoughts. *Henry W. Longfellow (1807-1882)*  
She goes as if she cracked nuts with her tail. *John Ray*  
She got her good looks from her father: he's a plastic surgeon. *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx (1895-1977)*  
She grabbed the bull by the tail and faced the problem squarely.  
She had a pretty gift for quotation, which is a serviceable substitute for wit. *W. Somerset Maugham*  
She has the I.Q. of a dead flashlight battery. *Rosalind Russel*  
She held out her hand. The young man took it and left.  
She is an expert housekeeper: every time she gets divorced, she keeps the house.  
She is but half a wife that is not, nor is capable of being, a friend. *William Penn*  
She is descended from a long line that her mother listened to. *Gypsy Rose Lee*  
She is not made to be the admiration of all, but the happiness of one. *Edmund Burke*  
She is not refined. She is not unrefined. She keeps a parrot. *Mark Twain*  
She jerked away from me like a startled fawn might, if I had a startled fawn and it jerked away from me. *Raymond Chandler*  
She knows as well as anyone that pity, having played, soon tires. *Edwin Arlington Robinson*  
She knows her man, and when you rant and swear, / Can draw you to her with a single hair. *John Dryden (1631-1701)*  
She loves you as much as she can, which is not very much.  
She never talks to strangers unless they're friends. *Leo Rosten*  
She offered her honour, he honoured her offer - all night long, honour and offer.  
She rattles like nuts in an empty calabash.  
She (Sadie Thompson) was a girl who knew how to be gay even when she was sad. And that's important - you know? *Marilyn Monroe*  
She slipped on the ice and apparently her legs went in separate directions in early December.  
She, though in full-blown flower of glorious beauty, Grows cold even in the summer of her age. *John Dryden (1631-1701)*  
She walks as if balancing the family tree on her nose.  
She walks in beauty, like the night of cloudless climes and starry skies; And all that's best of dark and bright meet in her aspect and her eyes. *Byron*  
She was a sigh to behold. *John Quill Taylor*  
She was all signs and no scenery. *John Quill Taylor*  
She was as mad as a wet blanket. *Leo Rosten*  
She was filled with elation, for all in creation, there was only 1 man - and she had 'em !  
She was not quite what you would call refined. She was not quite what you would call unrefined.  
She was the kind of person that keeps a parrot. *Mark Twain*  
She was suffering from fallen archness. *Franklin Pierce Adams*  
She went her unremembering way, / She went and left in me / The pang of all the partings gone, / And partings yet to be. *Francis Thompson (1859-1907)*  
She went into the hospital after being bitten by a spider in a bathing suit. *Leo Rosten*  
She who hesitates is won.  
She who loves roses must be patient and not cry out when she is pierced by thorns. *Olga Brouman*  
She's a lovely person, she deserves a good husband. Marry her before she finds one.  
She's a nice girl and all, but she's just a few sandwiches short of a good picnic. *Ms. Opal*

She's afraid that if she leaves, she'll become the life of the party. *Julius Henry (Groucho) Marx* (1895-1977)

She's all my fancy painted her; / She's lovely, she 's divine. *William Mee*

She's human... well, she's a lawyer, but reasonably human. Professor *Ralph Noble*

Shhhh! I hear footprints. *Vernon Appoy*

Shin: A device for finding furniture in the dark.

Ships fear fire more than water. *George Herbert*

Shoe shine Sally had a shoe shine stand. Every time she'd shine, she'd sit. Every time she'd sit, she'd shine.

Shoemaker, stick to your last! *Pliny*

Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss you'll land among the stars. *Les Brown*

Short acquaintance brings repentance. *John Ray*

Short as life is, we make it still shorter by the careless waste of time. *Victor Hugo*

Short but sharp. *Thomas Fuller*

Short circuits got no reason to live.

Short cut... the longest distance between two points.

Short is my date, but deathless my renown. *Alexander Pope* (1688-1744)

Short: Vertically challenged.

Shortest answer is doing.

Should I abide by the rules until they're changed, or help speed the change by breaking them?  
Better start rushing before the rush begins! *Ashleigh Brilliant*

Should I betray the proletariat to serve truth or betray truth in the name of the proletariat? *Jean-Paul Sartre* (1905-1980)

Should I marry W.? Not if she won't tell me the other letters in her name. *Woody Allen*

Should vegetarians eat animal crackers?

Should we raise a generation of literate Americans, very little of America as we know it would survive. *Richard Mitchell*

Shouldn't father's and mother's day be on the same day. That's usually the way it happened.

Shouldn't there be a shorter word for monosyllabic?

Show me a genuine case of platonic friendship, and I shall show you two old or homely faces.  
*Austin O'Malley*

Show me a man who is a good loser and I'll show you a man who is playing golf with his boss.

Show me a man who lives alone and has a perpetually clean kitchen, and 8 times out of 9 I'll show you a man with detestable spiritual qualities. *Charles Bukowski*

Show me a man with both feet on the ground, and I'll show you a man who can't put on his pants.

Show me a nation whose national beverage is beer, and I'll show you an advanced toilet technology.  
*Mark Hawkins*

Show me a Puritan and I'll show you a son-of-a-bitch. *H. L. Mencken*

Show me a sane man and I will cure him for you. *Carl Gustav Jung*

Show me a thoroughly satisfied man and I will show you a failure. *Thomas A. Edison*

Show me anything whereof it may be said, "See, this is new," and I will show you it hath been.

Show my head to the people, it is worth seeing. *Georges Danton* to his executioner

Show respect for age. Drink good Scotch for a change.

Show your appreciation for your lover by surprising him/her with a small gift.

Show your affection and it will probably be met with pleasant response.

Showing up is 80% of life. *Woody Allen*

Shredded cabbage goes great with shredded carrots and mayonnaise. (*Cole's Law*)

Shrink not from blasphemy - t'will pass for wit.

Shuffling is the only thing which Nature cannot undo. *Arthur Eddington*

Sickness shows us what we are. *Thomas Fuller*

Sickness soaks the purse. *English Proverb*

Sight is a faculty; seeing is an art. *George Beston*

Sigmund's wife wore freudian slips.

Silence cannot be misquoted.

Silence does seldom harm.

Silence gives consent.

Silence is a friend who will never betray. *Confucius (551-479 BC)*

Silence is an attribute of the dead, he who is alive speaks. *Yoruban Proverb*

Silence is best of all.

Silence is deep as Eternity; speech is shallow as Time. *Thomas Carlyle (1795-1881)*

Silence is foolish if we are wise, but wise if we are foolish. *Charles Caleb Colton*

Silence is golden. *English Proverb & Japanese Proverb & Punjabi Proverb*

Silence is golden when you can't think of a good answer.

Silence is man's chief learning. *Palladas*

Silence is one great art of conversation. *William Hazlitt*

Silence is one of the hardest arguments to refute. *Josh Billings*

Silence is silver but speech is golden. *Turkish Proverb*

Silence is the best ornament of a woman.

Silence is the element in which great things fashion themselves. *Carlyle*

Silence is the great teacher, and to learn its lessons you must pay attention to it. There is no substitute for the creative inspiration, knowledge, and stability that come from knowing how to contact your core of inner silence. The great Sufi poet Rumi wrote, "Only let the moving waters calm down, and the sun and moon will be reflected on the surface of your being". *Deepak Chopra*

Silence is the only virtue I have left.

Silence is the perfectest herald of joy. I were but little happy if I could say how much. *William Shakespeare*

Silence is the ultimate weapon of power. *Charles De Gaulle*

Silence is the unbearable repartee. *Charles Dickens*

Silence is the virtue of fools. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Silence is wisdom, when speaking is folly. *Thomas Fuller*

Silence is wise if we are foolish, but foolish if we are wise.

Silence is wonderful to listen to. *Thomas Hardy (1840-1928)*

Silence seldom hurts. *Thomas Fuller*

Silence surpasses speech. *Japanese Proverb*

Silent cows are expert at eating refuse. *Assamese Proverb*

Silent gratitude isn't much use to anyone. *Gladys Browyn Stern*

Silent water is dangerous water. *Spanish Proverb*

Silent worms dig holes in the walls. *Japanese Proverb*

Silk and velvet put out the kitchen fire. *German Proverb*

Silly is a state of mind. Stupid is a way of life.

Silver and gold are not the only coin; virtue too passes current all over the world. *Euripides (484-406 BC)*

Silver silence is golden. *English Proverb*

Simonides calls painting silent poetry, and poetry speaking painting. *Plutarch (c.46-c.120 A. D.)*

Simple people... are very quick to see the live facts which are going on about them. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Simple pleasures are the last refuge of the complex. *Oscar Wilde (1856-1900)*

Simplicity is making the journey of this life with just baggage enough. *Charles Dudley Warner*

Simplicity is the glory of expression. *Walt Whitman*

Simplicity of character is the most natural result of profound thought. *Chinese Proverb*

Simplicity of life, even the barest, is not a misery, but the very foundation of refinement; a sanded floor and whitewashed walls and the green trees, and flowery meads, and living waters outside. *William Morris (1834-1896)*

Simply the thing I am shall make me live. *William Shakespeare*

Sin harder! Ragnarök is coming!

Sin has many tools, but a lie is the handle which fits them all. *Oliver Wendell Holmes* (1809-1894)

Sin is hoping for another life and... eluding the implacable grandeur of this life. *Albert Camus* (1913-1960)

Sin is not harmful because it is forbidden, but it is forbidden because it is hurtful. *Benjamin Franklin*

Sin is the second largest thing in the world. Only the grace of God is greater. *Billy Graham*

Sin is to have lived without relating oneself to the world by means of one's human powers. *Erich Fromm*

Sin that is hidden is half-forgiven. *G. Fenton*

Since a politician never believes what he says, he is surprised when others believe him. *Charles de Gaulle*

Since belief is measured by action, he who forbids us to believe religion to be true, necessarily also forbids us to act as we should if we did believe it to be true. The whole defense of religious faith hinges upon action. *William James* (1842-1910)

Since boredom advances and boredom is the root of all evil, no wonder, then, that the world goes backwards, that evil spreads. This can be traced back to the very beginning of the world. The gods were bored; therefore they created human beings. *Sören Kierkegaard*

Since emotions are few and reasons many, the behavior of a crowd can be more easily predicted than the behavior of one person can. *Isaac Asimov*

Since fear is mostly about ignorance, the best part is that it's as temporary as you choose. *Christine Comaford*

Since few large pleasures are lent to us on a long lease, it is wise to cultivate a large undergrowth of small pleasures.

Since I believe in the adage that an apple doesn't fall far from the tree, I am thrilled we had the opportunity to draft Mel Jr., as his reputation is that of being tremendously competitive, just as his father was.

Since I have smashed my denominational glasses, I have a better vision of who Christ is.

Since it is seldom clear whether intellectual activity denotes a superior mode of being or a vital deficiency, opinion swings between considering intellect a privilege and seeing it as a handicap. *Jacques Barzun*

Since light travels faster than sound, isn't that why some people appear bright until you hear them speak?

Since the Exodus, freedom has always spoken with a Hebrew accent. *Heinrich Heine* (1797-1856)

Since the house is on fire let us warm ourselves. *Italian Proverb*

Since Time is not a person we can overtake when he is gone, let us honor him with mirth and cheerfulness of heart while he is passing. *Johann Wolfgang von Goethe*

Since we cannot get what we like, let us like what we can get. *Spanish Proverb*

Since we're all here, we must not be all there. *Bob "Mountain" Beck*

Since you get more joy out of giving joy to others, you should put a good deal of thought into the happiness that you are able to give. *Eleanor Roosevelt*

Since you're gone I got a mess of blues. *Doc Pomus & Mort Shuman*

Sincerity and truth are the basis of every virtue. *Confucius*

Sincerity is the end and beginning of things; without sincerity there would be nothing. On this account, the superior man regards the attainment of sincerity as the most excellent thing. *Confucius*

Sincerity is the Way. *Mencius* (372-289 B.C.)

Sing away sorrow, cast away care. *Miguel de Cervantes* (1547-1616)

Singing to a person who is depressed is like taking off his clothes on a cold day or like rubbing salt in a wound. *Solomon*

Singularity in the right hath ruined many; happy those who are convinced of the general opinion. *Benjamin Franklin*

Sir, a woman preaching is like a dog's walking on his hind legs. It is not done well; but you are surprised to find it done at all. *Samuel Johnson* (1709-1784)

Sir Amice Pawlet, when he saw too much haste made in any matter, was wont to say, "Stay a while, that we may make an end the sooner." *Francis Bacon* (1561-1626)

Sir Henry Wotton used to say that critics are like brushers of noblemen's clothes. *Francis Bacon* (1561-1626)

Sir, I say that justice is truth in action. *Benjamin Disraeli* (1804-1881)

Sir, I will be as good as my word. *William Shakespeare*

Sir, it's very possible this asteroid is not stable.

Sir, nature has given women so much power that the law cannot afford to give her more. *Samuel Johnson*

Sis, even if you were adopted, I'd still love you...

Sit a beggar at your table and he will soon put his feet on it. *Russian Proverb*

Sit down before fact as a little child, be prepared to give up every preconceived notion, follow humbly wherever and whatever abysses nature leads, or you will learn nothing. *Thomas H. Huxley*

Sit down before fact as a little child, be prepared to give up every preconceived notion, follow humbly wherever and to whatever abysses nature leads, or you shall learn nothing. *Thomas H. Huxley*

Sit in reverie and watch the changing color of the waves that break upon the idle seashore of the mind. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow* (1807-1882)

Sit loosely in the saddle of life. *Robert Louis Stevenson*

Sit next to a pretty girl for an hour, it seems like a minute. Sit on a red-hot stove for a minute, it seems like an hour. That's relativity. *Albert Einstein*

SITCOMs: What yuppies turn into when they have children and one of them stops working to stay home with the kids. Stands for Single Income, Two Children, Oppressive Mortgage.

Six feet of earth make all men equal.

Six hours' sleep for a man, seven for a woman, and eight for a fool. *English Proverb*

Sixty percent of the newspaper space may be filled with advertising, but that advertising does not command sixty percent of the average reader's attention. We are inured to most of these advertisements and commercials; they wash over us without even dampening the skin. We often do not stop to even read or watch the ads at all, and when we do, they rarely penetrate or connect with our consciousness, let alone transform our identity. True, we are all persuaded and seduced from time to time by these ads, encouraged to make irrational impulsive consumer choices. But that kind of persuasion and seduction is endemic to social life; we run across it constantly and develop mechanisms to filter it out and fend it off. *Rodney A. Smolla*

Size matters not. *Yoda*

Skepticism is dangerous. That's exactly its function. It is the business of skepticism to be dangerous. And that's why there is a great reluctance to teach it in schools. *Carl Sagan*

Skepticism is slow suicide. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Skepticism is the chastity of the intellect. *George Santayana*

Skepticism, riddling the faith of yesterday, prepared the way for the faith of tomorrow. *Romain Rolland*

Skepticism: the mark and even the pose of the educated mind. *John Dewey*

Skeptics are never deceived. *French Proverb*

Skier; one who pays an arm and a leg for the opportunity to break them.

Skill and confidence are an unconquered army. *George Herbert*

Skill to do comes of doing. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Skill without imagination is craftsmanship and gives us many useful objects such as wickerwork and picnic baskets. Imagination without skill gives us modern art. *Tom Stoppard*

Skim the required reading. (Second Rule for College Survival)

Skip everything else. Write vague, spineless papers. Cram. (Third Rule for College Survival)

Skydiving... good 'till the last drop.

Slander is the revenge of a coward, and dissimulation of his defense. *Samuel Johnson*

Slanders are like flies, that pass all over a man's good parts to light on his sores.

Slang is language that takes off its coat, spits on its hands, and goes to work.

Sleep is better than medicine.

Sleep is still most perfect, in spite of hygienists, when it is shared with a beloved. The warmth, the security and peace of soul, the utter comfort from the touch of the other, knits the sleep, so that it takes the body and soul completely in its healing. *D. H. Lawrence*

Sleep is that golden chain that ties health and our bodies together. *Thomas Dekker (1577-1632)*

Sleep is the brother of death.

Sleep is the image of death.

Sleep is the interest we have to pay on the capital which is called in at death; and the higher the rate of interest and the more regularly it is paid, the further the date of redemption is postponed. *Schopenhauer (1788-1860)*

Sleep is the twin of death. *Homer*

Sleep is when all the unsorted stuff comes flying out as from a dustbin upset in a high wind. *William Golding*

Sleep lingers all our lifetime about our eyes, as night hovers all day in the boughs of the fir-tree. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Sleep, nurse of our life, care's best reposer. *Edward Herbert (1583-1648)*

Sleep, rest of nature, O sleep, most gentle of the divinities, peace of the soul, thou at whose presence care disappears, who soothest hearts wearied with daily employments, and makest them strong again for labour! *Ovid (B.C. 43-18 A.D.)*

Sleep she as sound as careless infancy. *William Shakespeare*

Sleep, Silence's child, sweet father of soft rest, / Prince whose approach peace to all mortals brings / Indifferent host to shepherds and kings, / Sole comforter to minds with grief oppress. *William Drummond*

Sleep: that fleeting moment just before the alarm.

Sleep that knits up the ravelled sleeve of care, / The death of each day's life, sore labour's bath, / Balm of hurt minds, great Nature's second course, / Chief nourisher in life's feast. *William Shakespeare*

Sleep that no pain shall wake, / Night that no morn shall break. *Christina Georgina Rossetti (1830-1894)*

Slight not what's near through aiming at what's far. *Euripides (484-406 BC)*

Slight not what's near, when aiming at what's far. *Euripides*

Slight small injuries, and they will become none at all. *Thomas Fuller*

Slime is the agony of water. *Jean-Paul Sartre (1905-1980)*

Sloth is a somatic skepticism, the way the flesh doubts. *E. M. Cioran*

Sloth, like rust, consumes faster than labor wears, while the used key is always bright. *Benjamin Franklin*

Sloth makes all things difficult, but industry all easy; and he that riseth late must trot all day, and shall scarce overtake his business at night; while laziness travels so slowly that poverty soon overtakes him. *Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790)*

Slow in word, swift in deed. *Chinese Proverb*

Slum = Economic oppression zone.

Smack your child every day. If you don't know why he does. *Joey Adams*

Small change can often be found under seat cushions.

Small changes can have a big impact (or: what a difference an a makes). (*Keyes Rules of Misquotation, Axiom 1, Corollary 1C*)

Small children give you headache; big children heartache. *Russian Proverb*

Small crimes always precede great ones. Never have we seen timid innocence pass suddenly to extreme licentiousness. *Jean Baptiste Racine*

Small deeds done are better than great deeds planned.

Small fish are better than none. *Hislop*

Small ills are the fountains of most of our groans. Men trip not on mountains, they stumble on stones. *Chinese Proverb*

Small is the number of people who see with their eyes and think with their minds. *Albert Einstein*

Small men think they are small; great men never know they are great. *Chinese Proverb*

Small minds discuss people, average minds discuss events, great minds discuss ideas.

Small nations are like indecently dressed women - they tempt the evil-minded. *Julius Nyerere*

Small opportunities are often the beginning of great enterprises. *Demosthenes*

Small profits and quick returns.

Small rain lays great dust. *John Ray*

Small sacrileges are punished; great ones are celebrated by triumphs. *Seneca*

Small streams of caring become a pool of love.

Small things entertain small minds.

Small things make base men proud. *William Shakespeare*

Small things make mean men proud. *William Shakespeare*

Smart people speak from experience - smarter people, from experience, don't speak.

Smartness runs in my family. When I went to school I was so smart my teacher was in my class for five years. *George Burns* (1896-1996)

Smile at each other, smile at your wife, smile at your husband, smile at your children, smile at each other it doesn't matter who it is and that will help you to grow up in greater love for each other.  
*Mother Teresa*

Smile, it is the key that fits the lock of everybody's heart. *Anthony J. D'Angelo*

Smile - it's the second best thing you can do with your lips.

Smile...people will wonder what you've been up to.

Smile, tomorrow will be worse. (*Murphy's Philosophy*)

Smile! You're on Candid Camera.

Smith & Wesson: The ultimate point and click user interface.

Smitten as we are with the vision of social righteousness, a God indifferent to everything but adulation, and full of partiality for his individual favorites, lacks an essential element of largeness. *William James* (1842-1910)

Smoke does not make a pot boil. *Turkish Proverb*

Smoking and Marriage are the leading causes of statistics.

Smoking is one of the leading causes of statistics. *Fletcher Knebel*

Smoking kills. If you're killed, you've lost a very important part of your life. *Brooke Shields*

Smooth seas do not make skillful sailors. *African Proverb*

Smooth seas never made a good sailor.

Snow and adolescence are the only problems that go away if ignored long enough.

So as this only point among the rest remaineth sure and certain, namely, that nothing is certain...  
*Pliny The Elder*

So, as you go into battle, remember your ancestors and remember your descendants. *Tacitus*

So cheat your landlord if you can and must, but do not try to shortchange the Muse. It cannot be done. You can't fake quality any more than you can fake a good meal. *William Burroughs*

So dawn goes down to day / Nothing gold can stay. *Robert Frost*

So drink to a fool, a crazy fool who told his baby goodbye. *Naomi Ford*

So far, about morals, I know only that what is moral is what you feel good after and what is immoral is what you feel bad after. *Ernest Hemingway*

So far as I can remember, there is not one word in the Gospels in praise of intelligence. *Bertrand Russell*

So far as the mere imparting of information is concerned, no university has had any justification for existence since the popularization of printing in the fifteenth century. *Alfred Whitehead*

So far as we are human, what we do must be either evil or good: so far as we do evil or good, we are human: and it is better, in a paradoxical way, to do evil than to do nothing: at least we exist.  
*T. S. Eliot* (1885-1968)

So far I haven't heard of anybody who wants to stop living on account of the cost. *Kin Hubbard*

So far the only successful substitute for brains is silence.

So far the theories of mathematics are about reality, they are not certain; so far as they are certain, they are not about reality. *Albert Einstein*

So few of us seem to realize that pleasure is not the same as happiness. *Gilbert Highet*

So great was the extremity of his pain and anguish that he did not only sigh but roar. *Mathew Henry* (1662-1714)

So I have promised you, I'll be as good as my word. *William Shakespeare*

So I soon made up my mind about the poets too: I decided that it was not wisdom that enabled them to write their poetry, but a kind of instinct or inspiration, such as you find in seers and prophets who deliver all their sublime messages without knowing in the least what they mean. *Socrates* (470?-399 B.C.)

So ingenious, so powerful, then, is the social mechanism that every man, even the humblest, obtains in one day more satisfactions than he could produce for himself in several centuries. *Frederic Bastiat* (1801-1850)

So it is naturally with the male and the female; the one is superior, the other inferior; the one governs, the other is governed; and the same rule must necessarily hold good with respect to all mankind. *Aristoteles* (384-322 B.C)

So little done, so much to do. *Alexander Graham Bell's* last words (*Cecil Rhodes*, dying words?)

So live that you can look any man in the eye and tell him to go to hell.

So live that you wouldn't be ashamed to sell the family parrot to the town gossip. *Will Rogers*

So long as the mind keeps silent in the motionless world of its hopes, everything is reflected and arranged in the unity of it nostalgia. But with its first move this world cracks and tumbles: an infinite number of shimmering fragments is offered to the understanding. *Albert Camus*

So long as the priest, that professional negator, slanderer and poisoner of life, is regarded as a superior type of human being, there cannot be any answer to the question: What is Truth? *Friedrich Nietzsche* (1844-1900)

So long as we love we serve; / So long as we are loved by others, / I would almost say that we are indispensable; / And no man is useless while he has a friend. *Robert Louis Stevenson*

So long as you are ready to die for humanity, the life of your country is immortal. *Giuseppe Mazzini*

So many ask God to grant so much - and then take so much for granted! *Park J. White*

So many men, so many minds. *Terence*

So many men, so many opinions; every one his own way.

So many obituaries... And always the wrong ones. *Marian Balsam*

So many times I thought I would never find someone to love me the way I needed to be loved. Then you came into my life and showed me what true love really is!

So may he rest; his faults lie gently on him! *William Shakespeare*

So much of our time is preparation, so much is routine, and so much retrospect, that the path of each man's genius contracts itself to a very few hours. *Ralph Waldo Emerson* (1803-1882)

So near and yet so what?

So of cheerfulness, or a good temper, the more it is spent, the more it remains. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

So softly death succeeded life in her, / She did but dream of heaven, and she was there. *John Dryden* (1631-1701)

So this is who you are. And the rest of my life I dedicate to you. My love will go on just as long as the river flows. *Bee Gees*

So unlucky that he runs into accidents which started out to happen to somebody else. *Don Marquis*

So very difficult a matter is it to trace and find out the truth of anything by history. *Plutarch* (c.46-c.120 A. D.)

So "Wayne Newton is," he says, "an example of what America can be."

So we beat on, boats against the current, borne back ceaselessly into the past. *F. Scott Fitzgerald*

So what if we get half what we want; we asked for twice what we needed! *John Quill Taylor*

Soap: A cleaning agent Mom puts on the sink on the off-chance one of her kids will accidentally grab it while reaching for the towel.

Social advance depends as much upon the process through which it is secured as upon the result itself. *Jane Addams*

Social innovations tend to the level of minimum tolerable well-being.

Socialism is based on the assumption that you can break even.

Society drives people crazy with lust and calls it advertising. *John Lahr*

Society everywhere is in conspiracy against the manhood of every one of its members.

Society honors its living conformists and its dead troublemakers. *Mignon McLaughlin*

Society is a madhouse whose wardens are the officials and the police. *August Strindberg*

Society is a mule, not a car; if pressed harder, it will kick and throw you off. (The Pace of Progress)

Society is infested by persons who, seeing that the sentiments please, counterfeit the expression of them. These we call sentimentaliststalkers who mistake the description for the thing, saying for having. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Society is like a lawn where every roughness is smoothed, every bramble eradicated, and where the eye is delighted by the smiling verdure of a velvet surface. *Washington Irving*

Society is like a stew. If you don't stir it up every once in a while then a layer of scum floats to the top. *Ed Abbey*

Society is like air; very high up, it is sublimated; too low down, a perfect choke-damp.

Society like air, is necessary but not complete for life.

Society prepares the crime; the criminal commits it. *Henry Thomas Buckle*

Society produces rogues, and education makes one rogue cleverer than another. *Oscar Wilde*

Socrates... said he was not an Athenian or a Greek, but a citizen of the world. *Plutarch* (c.46-c.120 A. D.)

Soft fire makes sweet malt.

Soft words and hard arguments. *John Ray*

Software is like entropy. It is difficult to grasp, weighs nothing, and obeys the Second Law of Thermodynamics; i.e., it always increases. (Law Number XVII)

Soldiers in peace are like chimneys in summer.

Soldiers usually win the battles and generals get the credit for them. *Napoleon Bonaparte*

Solitary trees, if they grow at all, grow strong. *Sir Winston Churchill*

Solitude: A great place to visit, but a bad place to stay.

Solitude is fine, but you need someone to tell you that solitude is fine. *Honore de Balzac* (1799-1850)

Solitude is painful when one is young, but delightful when one is more mature. *Albert Einstein*

Solitude is the nest of thought.

Solitude, though it may be silent as light, is like light, the mightiest of agencies; for solitude is essential to man. All men come into this world alone and leave it alone. *Thomas De Quincey*

Solomon was a wise man, and Sampson was a strong man, yet neither of them could pay money before they had it.

Solution to two of the world's problems: Feed the homeless to the hungry.

Some Americans need hyphens in their names because only part of them has come over. *Woodrow Wilson*

Some are so very studious of learning what was done by the ancients that they know not how to live with the moderns. *William Penn*

Some are weather-wise, some are otherwise.

Some are wise, and some are otherwise.

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested. *Francis Bacon* (1561-1626)

Some books are undeservedly forgotten; none are undeservedly remembered. *W. H. Auden* (1907-1973)

Some books leave us free and some books make us free. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Some cause happiness wherever they go; Others whenever they go. *Oscar Wilde*

Some circumstantial evidence is very strong, as finding a trout in the milk.

Some day after mastering the wind, the tides, and gravity, we shall harness for God the energies of love. Then, for the second time in the history of humankind, we will have discovered fire! *Pierre Teilhard de Chardin*

Some days you're the dog, and some days you're the hydrant.

Some debts are fun when you are acquiring them, but none are fun when you set about retiring them. *Ogden Nash*

Some decent, regulated preeminence, some preference given to birth, is neither unnatural nor unjust nor impolite. *Edmund Burke*

Some defeats are only installments to victory. *Jacob A. Riis*

Some degree of novelty must be one of the materials in almost every instrument which works upon the mind; and curiosity blends itself, more or less, with all our pleasures. *Edmund Burke*

Some degree of withdrawal serves to nurture man's creative powers. The artist and the scientist bring out of the dark void, like the mysterious universe itself, the unique, the strange, the unexpected. Numerous observers have testified upon the loneliness of the process. *Loren Eiseley*

Some do. Some don't. I might.

Some drink at the fountain of knowledge...others just gargle.

Some folks can look so busy doing nothin' that they seem indispensable. *Kin Hubbard*

Some girls never know what they are going to do from one husband to another. *T. L. Masson*

Some goals are so worthy, it's glorious even to fail.

Some have the wisdom of old age and the energy of youth. Most have the wisdom of youth, and the energy of old age.

Some is good, more is better, too much is just right.

Some lies are so well disguised to resemble truth, that we should be poor judges of the truth not to believe them.

Some look at things that are, and ask why. I dream of things that never were and ask why not? *George Bernard Shaw*

Some make things happen; some watch what happens; some wonder what happened.

Some manufacturers illustrate their advertisements with abstract paintings. I would only do this if I wished to conceal from the reader what I was advertising. *David Ogilvy*

Some mathematicians perhaps, of advanced speculations, may have other ways to introduce into their minds ideas of infinity. But this hinders not but that they themselves, as well as all other men, got the first ideas which they had of infinity from sensation and reflection, in the method we have here set down. *John Locke (1632-1704)*

Some memories are realities, and are better than anything that can ever happen to one again. *Willa Cather*

Some men are alive simply because it is against the law to kill them. *Ed Howe*

Some men are born mediocre, some men achieve mediocrity, and some men have mediocrity thrust upon them. *Joseph Heller*

Some men are discovered; others are found out.

Some men are like a clock on the roof; they are useful only to the neighbors. *Austin O'Malley*

Some men are like pyramids, which are very broad where they touch the ground, but grow narrow as they reach the sky. *Henry Ward Beecher*

Some men by ancestry are only the shadow of a mighty name. *Lucan*

Some men can live up to their loftiest ideals without ever going higher than a basement. *Theodore Roosevelt*

Some men change their party for the sake of their principles; others their principles for the sake of their party. *Sir Winston Leonard Spencer Churchill (1874-1965)*

Some men do as much begrudge others a good name, as they want one themselves: and perhaps that is the reason of it. *William Penn*

Some men give up their designs when they have almost reached the goal; while others, on the contrary, obtain a victory by exerting at the last moment, more vigorous efforts than before. *Polybius*

Some men go through a forest and see no firewood.

Some men have thousands of reasons why they cannot do what they want to, when all they need is one reason why they can. *Willis R. Whitney*

Some men know that a light touch of the tongue, running from a woman's toes to her ears, lingering in the softest way possible in various places in between, given often enough and sincerely enough, would add immeasurably to world peace. *Marianne Williamson*

Some men must follow, and some command, though all are made of clay. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

Some men never die, some men never live, But we're all alive tonight. *Charles Bukowski*

Some men rob you with a gun, some with a fountain pen. *Woody Guthrie*

Some men see things as they are and ask why. Others dream things that never were and ask why not. *George Bernard Shaw*

Some men see things as they are and say, "Why"? I dream of things that never were and say, "Why not"? *George Bernard Shaw*

Some men succeed in spite of their faults, others because of them. *Thomas McKeown*

Some minds are like concrete: thoroughly mixed up and permanently set. *Denny Brake*

Some minds should be cultivated, others plowed under...

Some mornings, it's just not worth chewing through the leather straps. *Emo Phillips*

Some of mankind's most terrible misdeeds have been committed under the spell of certain magic words or phrases. *James Bryant Conant*

Some of the most exciting (and most profitable) ventures I've engaged in have utilized barter. I'm not talking about product-for-product transactions, but ingenious derivations. *Jay Abraham*

Some of the most successful and profitable marketing breakthroughs I've ever seen or been personally involved with were adaptations of concepts other people had developed for totally foreign industries and businesses. *Jay Abraham*

Some of the presidents were great and some of them weren't. I can say that, because I wasn't one of the great presidents, but I had a good time trying to be one, I can tell you that. *Harry S Truman (1884-1972)*

Some of the world's greatest feats were accomplished by people not smart enough to know they were impossible. *Doug Larson*

Some of us are becoming the men we wanted to marry. *Gloria Steinem*

Some of us are like wheelbarrows; only useful when pushed, and very easily upset. *Jack Herbert*

Some of us quit looking for work when we find a job.

Some of us think holding on makes us strong; but sometimes it is letting go.

Some people are afraid of heights. I'm afraid of widths.

Some people are alive only because it is illegal to kill them.

Some people are always critical of vague statements. I tend rather to be critical of precise statements; they are the only ones which can correctly be labeled "wrong." *Raymond Smullyan*

Some people are always grumbling because roses have thorns. I am thankful that thorns have roses. *Alphonse Karr*

Some people are always lost in thought; other people lack thoughts large enough to be lost in.

Some people are born mediocre, some people achieve mediocrity, and some people have mediocrity thrust upon them. *Joseph Heller*

Some people are born on third base and go through life thinking they hit a triple. *Barry Switzer*

Some people are educated beyond their intelligence.

Some people are like blisters. They don't show up until the work is done.

Some people are masters of money, and some its slaves. *Russian Proverb*

Some people are paid to be good, but we're good for nothing. *Peter Campbell*

Some people are pragmatists, taking things as they come and making the best of the choices available. Some people are idealists, standing for principle and refusing to compromise. And some people just act on any whim that enters their heads. I pragmatically turn my whims into principles! *Bill Waterson*

Some people are so afraid to die that they never begin to live. *Henry Van Dyke (1852-1933)*

Some people are too lazy to put food in their own mouths. *Solomon*

Some people aren't hard of hearing, but hard of listening.  
Some people believe anything if you whisper it.  
Some people can look so busy that they seem indispensable.  
Some people can stay longer in an hour than others can in a week.  
Some people cause happiness wherever they go - others, when they go.  
Some people cause happiness wherever they go; others, whenever they go.  
Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints on our heart and we are never, ever the same.  
Some people come into our lives, make footprints on our hearts, and we are never the same.  
Some people develop eye strain looking for trouble.  
Some people fall for everything and stand for nothing.  
Some people find fault like there was a reward for it!  
Some people get an education without going to college; the rest get it after they get out. *Mark Twain* (1835-1910)  
Some people go to priests; others to poetry; I to my friends. *Virginia Woolf* (1882-1941)  
Some people grumble because roses have thorns. Be thankful instead that thorns have roses.  
Some people have learned to earn well, but they haven't learned to live well. *Jim Rohn*  
Some people have sought to become famous and renowned, thinking that thus they would make themselves secure against their fellow-humans. If, then, the life of such persons really was secure, they attained natural good; if, however, it was insecure, they have not attained the end which by nature's own prompting they originally sought. *Epicurus* (341-270 B.C.)  
Some people hear their own inner voices with great clearness. And they live by what they hear. Such people become crazy... or they become legend. *Jim Harrison*  
Some people in this department wouldn't recognize subtlety if it hit them on the head.  
Some people jump to conclusions while others dig for facts.  
Some people just don't seem to realize, when they're moaning about not getting prayers answered, that no is the answer. *Nelia Gardner White*  
Some people just don't take advice, they have to hit their own head off the wall to believe it will hurt!!  
Some people like to decide and act. Others live by the motto: Indecision Is The Key To Flexibility.  
Some people like to make of life a garden, and to walk only within its paths. *Japanese Proverb*  
Some people make things happen, some watch while things happen, and some wonder 'What happened?'  
Some people manage by the book, even though they don't know who wrote the book or even what book.  
Some people march to the beat of a different drummer. And some people tango!  
Some people pay a compliment as if they expected a receipt. *Kin Hubbard*  
Some people pay their bills when due, some when they're overdue, and some never do.  
Some people pretend to be rich, but have nothing. Others pretend to be poor, but own a fortune. *Solomon*  
Some people say it as easily as anything I've ever heard but someday I hope, that they will learn love is more than just a word. *Javan*  
Some people say that I must be a horrible person, but that's not true. I have the heart of a young boy - in a jar on my desk. *Steven King*  
Some people say that when you are in love, you must always hold hands. But when it's true love, you don't need to because you just know that the other hand will always be there.  
Some people see more in a walk around the block than others see in a trip around the world.  
Some people spend their money freely and still grow richer. Others are cautious, and yet grow poorer. *Solomon*  
Some people take too much of vitamin "I".  
Some people think holding on makes them strong, sometimes it's letting go.  
Some people think that doctors and nurses can put scrambled eggs back into the shell. *Dorothy Canfield Fisher*

Some people think that they have something to say, and other people think they have to say something.

Some people think that they know a bird exactly when they have seen the egg from which it hatched. *Heinrich Heine*

Some people think they are worth a lot of money because they have it.

Some people try to find things in this game that don't exist but football is only two things—blocking and tackling. *Vincent Thomas Lombardi (1913-1970)*

Some people use one half their ingenuity to get into debt, and the other half to avoid paying it. *George D. Prentice*

Some people wanted champagne and caviar when they should have had beer and hot dogs. *Dwight D. Eisenhower*

Some people who can, should not.

Some people will believe anything if you whisper it to them. *Louis Nizer*

Some people would not recognize subtlety if it hit them on the head.

Some people's heads are particularly suited to handle empty praise.

Some persons are likeable in spite of their unswerving integrity. *Don Marquis*

Some persons do first, think afterward, and then repent forever. *Thomas Secker*

Some persons don't know the difference between thinking for yourself, and thinking of yourself.

Some prefer the happiness of pursuit to the pursuit of happiness.

Some problems are so complex that you have to be highly intelligent and well informed just to be undecided about them. *Laurence J. Peter*

Some pursue happiness - others create it.

Some reckon time by stars, / And some by hours; / Some measure days by dreams / And some by flowers; / My heart alone records / My days and hours. *Madison J. Cawein*

Some remedies are worse than the diseases. *Publilius Syrus*

Some rise by sin and some by virtue fall.

Some say love is life, but love without hope and faith is an agonizing death.

Some services we render to the society through our occupation. Some services we receive from the society for our living. If former is more valuable than later, society is indebted to us, otherwise we are. *B. J. Gupta*

Some succeed because they are destined to. But most succeed because they are determined to.

Some things are loved because they are valuable; others are valuable because they are loved. *Beverly Kendall*

Some things cannot be spoken or discovered until we have been stuck, incapacitated, or blown off course for awhile. Plain sailing is pleasant, but you are not going to explore many unknown realms that way. *David Whyte*

Some things have to be believed to be seen. *Ralph Hodgson*

Some things that cost \$5 to buy several years ago now costs \$10 just to repair.

Some values are... like sugar on the doughnut, legitimate, desirable, but insufficient, apart from the doughnut itself. We need substance as well as frosting. *Ralph T. Flewelling*

Some will always be above others. Destroy the equality today, and it will appear again tomorrow. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Some women blush when they are kissed, some call for the police, some swear, some bite. But the worst are those who laugh. *William Raye*

Some words are like rays of sunshine, others like barbed arrows or the bite of a serpent. And if hard words cut so deep, how much pleasure can kind ones give? *Sir John Lubbock*

Somebody's boring me. I think it's me. *Dylan Thomas*

Someday I hope to write a book where the royalties will pay for the copies I give away. *Clarence Darrow*

Someday I want to be rich. Some people get so rich they lose all respect for humanity. That's how rich I want to be. *Rita Rudner*

Someday is not a day of the week.

Someday you will get your big chance - or have you already had it?

Someday you will look back on this moment and plow into a parked car.  
Someone asked someone who was about my age: "How are you?" The answer was, "Fine. If you don't ask for details." *Katharine Hepburn*  
Someone close to you is taking advantage of your trust.  
Someone has vacuumed my insides out. *Yvonne Roberts*  
Someone is speaking well of you. How unusual!  
Someone is unenthusiastic about your work.  
Someone once asked me why women don't gamble as much as men do and I gave the commonsensical reply that we don't have as much money. That was a true but incomplete answer. In fact, women's total instinct for gambling is satisfied by marriage. *Gloria Steinem*  
Someone told me long ago, there's a calm before the storm. *John Fogerty*  
Someone told me that each equation I included in the book (A Brief History of Time) would halve its sales. *Stephen Hawking*  
Someone who thinks logically is a nice contrast to the real world.  
Someone who thinks of himself as a wit is usually half right.  
Someone whom you reject today, will reject you tomorrow.  
Someone will always be looking at you as an example of how to behave. Don't let them down.  
Someone will try to honk your nose today.  
Something in your eyes captured my soul, and every night I see you in my dreams. You're all I know. I can't let go. *Mariah Carey*  
Something is better than nothing. *Shelton*  
Something must be left to chance. *W. C. Russell*  
Something we were withholding made us weak, until we found out it was ourselves. *Robert Frost* (1874-1963)  
Something's rotten in the state of Denmark. *William Shakespeare* (1564-1616)  
Sometime they'll give a war and nobody will come. *Carl Sandburg* (1878-1967)  
Sometimes a cigar is just a cigar. *Sigmund Freud*  
Sometimes a new love comes between old friends. Sometimes the best love was the one that was always there. *Reality Bites*  
Sometimes being pushed to the wall gives you the momentum necessary to get over it! *Peter de Jager*  
Sometimes even to live is an act of courage. *Carl Sandburg* (1878-1967)  
Sometimes God doesn't tell us His plan because we wouldn't believe it anyway. *Carlton Pearson*  
Sometimes I lie awake at night, and I ask, "Where have I gone wrong?" Then a voice says to me, "This is going to take more than one night." *Charlie Brown*  
Sometimes I need what only you can provide - Your absence. *Ashleigh Brilliant*  
Sometimes I simply feel that the whole world is a cigarette and I'm the only ashtray.  
Sometimes I think I understand everything, then I regain consciousness.  
Sometimes I think the surest sign that intelligent life exists elsewhere in the universe is that none of it has tried to contact us. *Bill Watterson & Calvin*  
Sometimes I think we're alone in the universe, and sometimes I think we're not. In either case, the idea is quite staggering. *Arthur Charles Clarke*  
Sometimes I wake up grumpy; Other times I let her sleep.  
Sometimes I walk around all day whistling Dixie so that if someone says to me "You ain't just whistling Dixie," I can say "Well, actually I am." *Grant McFarland*  
Sometimes I wonder if men and women really suit each other. Perhaps they should live next door and just visit now and then. *Katharine Hepburn*  
Sometimes I worry about being a success in a mediocre world. *Lily Tomlin*  
Sometimes, if you stand on the bottom rail of a bridge and lean over to watch the river slipping slowly away beneath you, you will suddenly know everything there is to be known.  
Sometimes it costs more to do nothing than to do something.  
Sometimes it takes a painful experience to make us change our ways. *Solomon*

Sometimes it is easier to see clearly into the liar than into the man who tells the truth. Truth, like light, blinds. Falsehood, on the contrary, is a beautiful twilight that enhances every object. *Albert Camus (1913-1960)*

Sometimes it is good to be only a fly when giants are fighting for the heavens.

Sometimes it's easier to ask forgiveness than permission.

Sometimes let things happen but sometimes make things happen.

Sometimes men come by the name of genius in the same way that certain insects come by the name of centipede; not because they have a hundred feet, but because most people can't count above fourteen. *G. C. Lichtenberg*

Sometimes one pays most for the things one gets for nothing. *Albert Einstein*

Sometimes party loyalty asks too much. *John Fitzgerald Kennedy*

Sometimes providences, like Hebrew letters, must be read backward. *John Flavel*

Sometimes silence is not golden; just yellow.

Sometimes someone says something really small and it fits right into this empty place in your heart.

Sometimes someone small has a big heart, and has a soul that completes yours, then, you fall in love.

Sometimes something worth doing is worth overdoing. *David Letterman*

Sometimes the best gain is to lose. *George Herbert*

Sometimes the best way to convince someone he is wrong is to let him have his way. *Red O'Donnell*

Sometimes the heart sees what is invisible to the eye. *H. Jackson Brown Jr.*

Sometimes the heart sees what the eyes can't.

Sometimes the majority just means that all the fools are on the same side.

Sometimes the majority only means that all the fools are on the same side.

Sometimes the only sense you can make (out) of life is a sense of humor.

Sometimes, the road is less traveled for a reason.

Sometimes the road less traveled is less traveled for a reason. *Jerry Seinfeld*

Sometimes the thing you want the most in life is the hardest thing to get. Stop trying so hard and just maybe it will be easier to receive.

Sometimes the things that cost least turn out more expensive. *Spanish Saying*

Sometimes they write what I say and not what I mean. *Pedro Guerrero*

Sometimes we are limited more by attitude than by opportunities.

Sometimes we are the pigeon and sometimes we are the statue.

Sometimes we can be so anxious to provide our children with what we did not get in our childhood, that we might forget to give them what we did get.

Sometimes we may learn more from a man's errors, than from his virtues. *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

Sometimes we miss happiness by looking too far for things nearby.

Sometimes what you don't say speaks so much louder than anything you could possibly say.

Sometimes when I consider what tremendous consequences come from little things - I am tempted to think there are no little things. *Bruce Barton*

Sometimes you get shown the light in the strangest of places if you look at it right. *Jerry Garcia*

Sometimes you have to get to know someone really well to realize you're really strangers. *Mary Tyler Moore*

Sometimes you have to risk what you want in order to get what you want.

Somewhere between apathy and anarchy lies the thinking human being. *Rod Serling*

Somewhere out in this audience may even be someone who will one day follow my footsteps, and preside over the White House as the president's spouse. I wish him well! *Barbara Bush*

Somewhere, over the rainbow Bluebirds fly, / Birds fly over the rainbow Why then, oh why can't I? *Colonel Lyman Frank Baum (1856-1919)*

Somewhere there was once a Flower, a Stone, a Crystal, a Queen, a King, a Palace, a Lover and his Beloved, and this was long ago, on an Island somewhere in the ocean 5,000 years ago... Such is Love, the Mystic Flower of the Soul. This is the Center, the Self. *Carl Jung*

Son of man, keep not silent, forget not deeds of tyranny. Cry out at the disaster of a people, recount it unto your children and they unto theirs. From generation to generation the hordes swept in, ran wild and savage and there was no deliverance, valiance, and revolt. How the mighty are fallen, the great in spirit and stout of heart, walking to their death with a halo of eternity. *Yehuda L. Bialer*

Son, when you participate in sporting events, it's not whether you win or lose... it's how drunk you get. *Homer Simpson*

Son, where did you go to school? If I were you, I'd write them and get my fucking money back. *Dimitri "Jimmie" Viner*

Soon as the evening shades prevail, / The moon takes up the wondrous tale, / And nightly to the listening earth / Repeats the story of her birth. *Joseph Addison (1672-1719)*

Sooner ask a man for his life, than for his money. *Yiddish Proverb*

Sooner begun, sooner done.

Sooner or later comes a crisis in our affairs, and how we meet it determines our future happiness and success. Since the beginning of time, every form of life has been called upon to meet such crisis. *Robert Collier*

Sooner or later, doesn't EVERYONE stop smoking?

Sooner or later I'm going to die, but I'm not going to retire. *Margaret Mead*

Sooner or later, the worst possible set of circumstances is bound to occur. (*Sodd's Second Law*)

Sooner or later, those who win are those who think they can. *Richard Bach*

Sophie Germain proved to the world that even a woman can accomplish something in the most rigorous and abstract of sciences. *Carl Friedrich Gauss*

Sorrow: a kind of rust of the soul, which every new idea contributes in its passage to scour away. *Samuel Johnson*

Sorrow for a widow is like pain in the elbow, sharp and short. *French Proverb*

Sorrow is always dry.

Sorrow is better than laughter; it may sadden your face, but it sharpens your understanding. *Old Testament*

Sorrow is good for nothing but sin. *Camden*

Sorrow is tranquility remembered in emotion. *Dorothy Parker*

Sorrow makes men sincere. *Henry Ward Beecher*

Sorrow makes silence her best orator. *S. Daniel*

Sorrow will pay no debt.

Sorry, but my karma just ran over your dogma.

Sorry, I forgot all about the Amnesia Conference.

Sorry... my mind has a few bad sectors.

Soul meets soul on lovers lips. *Percy Shelley*

Soul-winning and missions is the life blood of the church.

Soup and fish explain half the emotions in life. *Sydney Smith (1771-1845)*

Sour grapes.

Sour grapes, said the fox and could not reach them. *Aesop*

South America has cold summers and hot winters, but somehow they still manage.

Sow an act and you reap a habit. / Sow a habit and you reap a character. / Sow a character and you reap a destiny. *Charles Reade*

Sow fennel, sow trouble. *English Proverb*

Sow much, reap much; sow little, reap little. *Chinese Proverb*

Sow your wild oats on Saturday night, then on Sunday pray for crop failure. (Farmer's Credo)

Space is a dangerous place...especially if it's between your ears!

Space is almost infinite. As a matter of fact, we think it is infinite. *Dan Quayle*

Spare no expense to save money on this one. *Samuel Goldwyn*

Spare the rod and spoil the child. *Old Testament*

Spare when you're young, and spend when you're old.

Spare your breath to cool your porridge. *Miguel de Cervantes (1547-1616) & Francis Rabelais*

Sparkling and bright in liquid light / Does the wine our goblets gleam in; / With hue as red as the rosy bed / Which a bee would choose to dream in. *Charles Fenno Hoffman* (1806-1884)

Speak clearly, if you speak at all; carve every word before you let it fall. *Oliver Wendel Holmes, Jr.*

Speak fitly, or be silent wisely.

Speak gently! 't is a little thing / Dropp'd in the heart's deep well; / The good, the joy, that it may bring / Eternity shall tell. *G. W. Langford*

Speak in silver, reply in gold. *Ancient Swahili saying*

Speak not of my debts, unless you mean to pay them. *George Herbert*

Speak of the devil and he appears. *Italian Proverb*

Speak softly and carry a big stick; you will go far. *Theodore Roosevelt* (1858-1919)

Speak softly my love, hold me close against your heart... because my life is yours...

Speak well of your friend, of your enemy say nothing. *Mapletoft*

Speak when you are spoken to. *John Ray*

Speaking much is a sign of vanity, for he that is lavish with words is a niggard in deed. *Sir Walter Raleigh*

Speaking of trade relations, almost everyone would like to.

Speaking of van Gogh, I don't seem to be able to hear as well as before.

Speaking or writing without thinking is like shooting without aiming. *Arnold Glasow*

Special times and special places, special friends together; The moments pass so quickly, But the memories last forever.

Specialists are people who always repeat the same mistakes. *Walter Gropius*

Specialization is the price we pay for the advancement of knowledge. A price, because the path of specialization leads away from the ordinary and concrete acts of understanding in terms of which man actually lives his day-to-day life. *William Barrett*

Speculation is only a word covering the making of money out of the manipulation of prices, instead of supplying goods and services. *Henry Ford*

Speech is human nature itself, with none of the artificiality of written language. *Alfred North Whitehead*

Speech is power: speech is to persuade, to convert, to compel. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Speech is silver, silence is golden. *English Proverb*

Speech is silvern, silence is golden.

Speech is the picture of the mind.

Speeches are like babies - easy to conceive, but extremely hard to deliver.

Speed is no substitute for accuracy.

Spellers of the world, untie!

Spelling is a lossed art.

Spend each moment perfecting the next, not correcting the last. *Scott Michael Durski*

Spend enough time confirming the need and the need will disappear.

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Spinster: A bachelor's wife.

Spirit is the real and eternal; matter is the unreal and temporal. *Mary Baker Eddy* (1821-1910)

Spirited, restive flea, become a Buddha by my hand! *Issa*

Spirobits: The frayed bits of left-behind paper in a spiral notebook.

Spit in your hand and take better hold. *Heywood*

Spoken language is merely a series of squeaks. *Alfred North Whitehead*

Sponges grow in the ocean. That just kills me. I wonder how much deeper the ocean would be if that didn't happen. *Steven Wright*

Sports do not build character. They reveal it. *Haywood Hale Broun*

Spouse: Someone who'll stand by you through all the trouble you wouldn't have had if you'd stayed single.

Spouses, children and salesclerks need love most when they deserve it the least.

SPQR - what every Roman always knew: Small Profit Quick Return!

Spread love everywhere you go: first of all in your own house. Give love to your children, to your wife or husband, to a next door neighbor... Let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness; kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your smile, kindness in your warm greeting. *Mother Teresa*

Spread the table and contention will cease. *English Proverb*

Spring comes with flowers, autumn with the moon, summer with the breeze, winter with snow.

When idle concerns don't fill your thoughts, that's your best season. *Wu-Men*

Spring is nature's way of saying 'Let's Party!' *Robin Williams*

Spring is when life's alive in everything. *Christina Georgina Rossetti (1830-1894)*

Sprinkle joy. *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

Squander nothing, share everything.

Squirt the Bird: To transmit a signal to a satellite.

Stability itself is nothing else than a more sluggish motion.

Stadiums are for spectators. We runners have nature and that is much better. *Juha Väätäinen*

Stamp out philately.

Stand firm in your refusal to remain conscious during algebra. In real life, I assure you, there is no such thing as algebra. *Fran Lebowitz*

Stand still and silently watch the world go by - and it will.

Stand your ground. Don't fire unless fired upon, but if they mean to have a war, let it begin here. *John Parker*

Standing on head makes smile of frown, but rest of face also upside down.

Stars are not seen by sunshine. *Spanish Proverb*

Stars are the gleam, glitter and glimmer in God's eyes.

Start a political upheaval and let yourself be caught, and you will hang as a traitor. But place yourself at the head of a rebellion and gain your point, and all future generations will worship you as the Father of their Country. *Hendrik Van Loon (1882-1944)*

Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible. *St. Francis of Assisi*

Start doing the things you think should be done, and start being what you think society should become. Do you believe in free speech? Then speak freely. Do you love the truth? Then tell it. Do you believe in an open society? Then act in the open. Do you believe in a decent and humane society? Then behave decently and humanely. *Adam Michnik*

Start off each day with a smile and get it over with. *W. C. Fields*

Start where you are. Distant fields always look greener, but opportunity lies right where you are.

Take advantage of every opportunity of service. *Robert Collier*

Start writing a new chapter, for if you live by the book you'll never make history. *Ben Sobel*

Starter Marriage: A short-lived first marriage that ends in divorce with no kids, no property, and no regrets.

Starvation is no laughing matter. *Thackeray*

Stately and tall he moves in the hall, / The chief of a thousand for grace. *Kate Franklin*

States as great engines move slowly. *Francis Bacon (1561-1626)*

Statistical Analysis: Mysterious, sometimes bizarre, manipulations performed upon the collected data of an experiment in order to obscure the fact that the results have no generalizable meaning for humanity. Commonly, computers are used, lending an additional aura of unreality to the proceedings.

Statistician: A person who can draw a mathematically precise line from an unwarranted assumption to a foregone conclusion.

Statistics are like bikinis. What they reveal is suggestive, but what they conceal is vital. *Aaron Levenstein*

Statistics are no substitute for judgement.

Statistics are used as a drunk uses lampposts - for support, not illumination.

Statistics in the hands of an engineer are like a lamppost to a drunk - they're used more for support than illumination. *Bill Sangster*

Statistics is like a Bikini; what is revealed is suggestive, but what is concealed is vital.

Statistics show that at the age of seventy, there are five women to every man. Isn't that the damndest time for a guy to get those odds?

Statistics show that of those who contract the habit of eating, very few survive. *Wallace Irwin (1875-1959)*

Statistics show that we lose more fools on this day than on all other days of the year put together. This proves, by the numbers left in stock, that one Fourth of July per year is now inadequate, the country has grown so. *Mark Twain (1835-1910)*

Status quo. Latin for "the mess we're in."

Stay away from flying saucers today.

"Stay" is a charming word in a friend's vocabulary. *Louisa May Alcott*

Steadfastness is a noble quality, but unguided by knowledge or humility it becomes rashness or obstinacy. *J. Swartz*

Steady and slow go far in a day.

Stealing a rhinoceros should not be attempted lightly.

Steer clear of incorrect forms of verbs that have snuck in the language.

Sterilize: what you do to your first baby's pacifier by boiling it and to your last baby's pacifier by blowing on it.

'Stewardesses' is the longest word that is typed with only the left hand.

Stick: A boomerang that doesn't work. *Bill Kirchenbaum*

Sticks and stones can break my bones, but words can shatter my soul.

Sticks and stones may break my bones but names will never hurt me. *Leng-Tzu*

Sticks and stones, may break my bones - But whips and chains excite me.

Sticks and stones will break my bones, but names will never hurt me. *English Proverb*

Still amorous and fond and billing, / Like Philip and Mary on a shilling. *Samuel Butler (1600-1680)*

Still crazy after all these years.

Still, there is a calm, pure harmony, and music inside of me. *Vincent van Gogh*

Still water undermines the bank. *Russian Proverb*

Still waters run deep. *English Proverb & Russian Proverb*

Still waters undermine the bank. *Russian Proverb*

Stillness of person and steadiness of features are signal marks of good breeding. *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Stock item: We shipped it once before and we can do it again.

Stocks have reached what looks like a permanently high plateau. *Irving Fisher, Professor of Economics, Yale University, five days before the Crash of 1929.*

Stolen water is sweeter. Stolen bread tastes better. *Solomon*

Stone walls have ears, and a bird of the air shall carry the matter. *Scott*

Stop committing useless mistakes. Make your next mistake count!

Stop! Friend or faux pas? *John Quill Taylor*

Stop one from digging his own grave and you will be hit over the head with the shovel. *Herbert E. Salzer*

Stop repeat offenders. Don't re-elect them!

Stop searching forever. Happiness is just next to you.

Stop searching forever. Happiness is unattainable.

Stop worrying about your health, eventually it will go away.

Storytelling reveals meaning without committing the error of defining it. *Hannah Arendt*

Straight as a line bending to neither side. *Ariosto*

Straight trees have crooked roots. *Lyly*

Straighten up your room first, then the world. *Jeff Jordan*

Strange as it may seem, my life is based on a true story. *Ashleigh Brilliant*

☞ Strange how laughter looks like crying with no sound & how raindrops taste like tears without pain.

Stranger in a strange country. *Sophocles*

Strangers are just friends who have never met. *John Quill Taylor*

Strategic planning will help you fully uncover your available options, set priorities for them, and define the methods to achieve them. *Robert J. McKain*

Strategy and timing are the Himalayas of marketing. Everything else is the Catskills. *Al Ries & Jack Trout*

Strategy is when you keep firing so the enemy doesn't know you're out of ammo.

Strategy is when you run out of ammunition but keep firing anyway.

Straws show which way the wind blows.

Strength and courage aren't always measured in medals and victories. They are measured in the struggles we overcome. The strongest people are not always the people who win, but the people who don't give up when they lose. *Ashley Hodgeson*

Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will. *Mahatma Gandhi*

Strength is born in the deep silence of long-suffering hearts; not amid joy. *Felicia D. Hemas (1794-1835)*

Strength is made perfect in weakness. *New Testament*

Stress is that condition created when the mind overrides the body's basic desire to choke the living shit out of some asshole who desperately needs it.

Stress Puppy: A person who seems to thrive on being stressed out and whiny.

Stress: when you wake up screaming and you realize you haven't fallen asleep yet.

Strike an average between what a woman thinks of her husband a month before she marries him and what she thinks of him a year afterward, and you will have the truth about him. *H. L. (Henry Lewis) Mencken*

Strike while the iron is hot. *Chaucer*

Strive to preserve your health; and in this you will better succeed in proportion as you keep clear of the physicians, for their drugs are a kind of alchemy concerning which there are no fewer books than there are medicines. *Leonardo Da Vinci (1452-1519)*

Striving for excellence motivates you; striving for perfection is demoralizing. *Harriet Braiker*

Strong reasons make strong actions. *William Shakespeare (1564-1616)*

Strong words connote weak arguments.

Stronger is one who holds back while pushing forward. *John Quill Taylor*

Studious of ease, and fond of humble things. *Ambrose Phillips (1671-1749)*

Study as if you were going to live forever; live as if you were going to die tomorrow. *Maria Mitchell*

Study men, not historians. *Harry S Truman (1884-1972)*

Study nature, love nature, stay close to nature. It will never fail you. *Frank Lloyd Wright (1868-1959)*

Study reveals that 5 out of 4 Americans have trouble with fractions.

Study the past if you would divine the future. *Confucius*

Study to be quiet. *New Testament*

Stuff (Feed) a cold and starve a fever.

Stung by the splendour of a sudden thought. *Robert Browning*

Stupid: Losing \$25 on the game, and \$25 more on the instant replay.

Stupidity got us into this mess - why can't it get us out?

Stupidity is like a loud, ignorant, shameless woman. *Solomon*

Stupidity is NOT a handicap! PARK ELSEWHERE!

Stupidity, like virtue, is its own reward. *Bill Davidsen*

Style may not be the answer, but at least it's a workable alternative.

Subject and verb always has to agree.

Subliminal advertising does not affect consumer buying behavior, advertising recall, or any other marketplace behavior. *Jack Haberstroh*

Subliminal perception is a subject that virtually no one wants to believe exists, and - if it does exist - they much less believe that it has any practical application... The techniques are in widespread use by media, advertising and public relations agencies, industrial and commercial corporations, and by the Federal government itself. *Wilson Bryan Key*

Substance is one of the greatest of our illusions. *Eddington*

Suburbia is where the developer bulldozes out the trees, then names the streets after them. *Bill Vaughn*

Succeeding is more satisfying than success.

Success: A matter either of getting around you better men than yourself or getting around better men than yourself.

Success always occurs in private, and failure in full view.

Success and failure are greatly overrated. But failure gives you a whole lot more to talk about. *Hildegard Knef*

Success can make you go one of two ways. It can make you a prima donna or it can smooth the edges, take away the insecurities, let the nice things come out. *Barbara Walters*

Success comes before work only in the dictionary.

Success comes in cans, failure in can'ts.

Success comes in cans, not can'ts.

Success consists of reaching 40 before your waist does.

Success covers a multitude of blunders. *George Bernard Shaw*

Success don't consist in never making blunders, but in never making the same one a second time. *H. W. Shaw*

Success gives man big head, also big belly. *Confucius*

Success has a thousand fathers, but failure is an orphan.

Success has always been a great liar. *Friedrich Nietzsche*

Success in marriage is not so much finding the right person as it is being the right person.

Success is a great deodorant. *Elizabeth Taylor*

Success is a journey, not a destination. *Ben Sweetland*

Success is a ladder that can not be climbed with your hands in your pockets.

Success is a marathon, not a sprint.

Success is a public affair. Failure is a private funeral. *Rosiland Russel*

Success is a result, not a goal. *Gustave Flaubert* (1821-1880)

Success is counted sweetest by those who ne'er succeed. *Emily Dickinson* (1830-1886)

Success is determined by those whom prove the impossible, possible. *James W. Pence*

Success is getting what you want. Happiness is wanting what you get. *Dale Carnegie*

Success is going from failure to failure without a loss of enthusiasm. *Winston Churchill*

Success is having a flair for the thing that you are doing; knowing that is not enough, that you have got to have hard work and a sense of purpose. *Margaret Thatcher*

Success is man's god. *Æschylus* (525-456 B. C.)

Success is more dependent on the backbone than the wishbone.

Success is never final. *Winston Churchill* (1874-1965)

Success is never final and failure is never fatal. It's courage that counts. *Mahimanand Thapliyal*

Success is not always a sure sign of merit, but it is a first-rate way to succeed. *Josh Billings*

Success is not counted by how high you have climbed but by how many people you brought with you.

Success is not permanent, neither is failure.

Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful. *Albert Schweitzer*

Success is not the result of spontaneous combustion. You have got to set your self on fire for it.

Success is not the result of spontaneous combustion. You must set yourself on fire. *Reggie Leach*

Success is relative. The more success the more relatives.

Success is simply a matter of luck. Ask any failure. *Earl Wilson*

Success is something I will dress for when I get there, and not until.

Success is the ability to go from failure to failure without losing your enthusiasm. *Winston Churchill*

Success is the child of audacity. *Benjamin Disraeli*

Success is the good fortune that comes from aspiration, desperation, perspiration, and inspiration.

Success is the necessary misfortune of life, but it is only to the very unfortunate that it comes early.

*Anthony Trollope*

Success is the reward of toil. *Sophocles* (B.C. 495-406)

Success is the sum of small efforts - repeated day in and day out. *Robert Collier*

Success is where preparation and opportunity meet. *Bobby Unser*

Success... it is focusing the full power of all you are on what you have a burning desire to achieve.

*Wilferd A. Peterson*

Success: its an never ending improvement in what you do.

Success makes a fool seem wise. *Mapletoft*

Success: Making more money so you can pay off the taxes you wouldn't have to pay if you didn't have so much money already.

Success may go to one's head but the stomach is where it gets in its worst work. *Kin Hubbard*

Success occurs when opportunity meets preparation.

Success or failure in business is caused more by the mental attitude even than by mental capacities.

*Sir Walter Scott*

Success or failure is often determined on the drawing board. *Robert J. McKain*

Success seems to be largely a matter of hanging on after others have let go. *William Feather*

Success: The ability to go from failure to failure without being discouraged.

Successful action is cumulative in its results. *Wallace D. Wattles*

Successful fiction writing depends on privacy, secrecy, and a writer's occasional ability to take himself by surprise. *John Mortimer*

Successful man: One who makes more money than his son at college can spend.

Successful people have cultivated the habit of never denying to themselves their true feelings and attitudes... They have no need for pretenses. *David Harold Fink*

Succumb to natural tendencies. Be hateful and boring.

Such a life, such a death.

Such and so various are the tastes of men. *Mark Akenside* (1721-1770)

Such answer as a man gives, such will he get. *James Carmichaell*

Such as are your habitual thoughts, such also will be the character of your mind; for the soul is dyed by the thoughts. Dye it then with a continuous series of such thoughts as these: for instance, that where a man can live, there he can also live well. *Marcus Aurelius Antoninus* (121-180)

Such beginning, such end.

Such bird, such nest.

Such exaggerations have been so common that the public takes them with a grain of salt and partly excuses them as being due to the advertiser's license of self-assertiveness. Nevertheless, the fact remains that superlative generalities are weak arguments and far less convincing than a statement of facts. Much advertising copy would be improved immensely by doing away with brag and substituting actual facts about the merits of the article. *Daniel Starch*

Such is the advantage of a well constructed language that its simplified notation often becomes the source of profound theories. *Pierre-Simon Laplace*

Such is the nature of men, that howsoever they may acknowledge many others to be more witty, or more eloquent, or more learned; yet they will hardly believe there be many so wise as themselves. *Thomas Hobbes* (1588-1679)

Such mistress, such Nan, / Such master, such man. *Thomas Tusser* (c.1515-c.1580)

Such power there is in clear-eyed self-restraint. *James Russell Lowell*

Such truth as opposeth no man's profit nor pleasure is to all men welcome. *Thomas Hobbes* (1588-1679)

Sudden friendship, sure repentance. *James Kelly*

Suffer this, suffer all.

Suffering becomes beautiful when anyone bears great calamities with cheerfulness, not through insensibility but through greatness of mind. *Aristotle*

Suffering well borne is better than suffering removed.

Suicide is the sincerest form of self-criticism. *Donald Kaul*

Suicide may also be regarded as an experiment - a question which man puts to Nature, trying to force her to answer. The question is this: What change will death produce in a man's existence and in his insight into the nature of things? It is a clumsy experiment to make; for it involves the destruction of the very consciousness which puts the question and awaits the answer. *Arthur Schopenhauer* (1788-1860)

Suit the action to the word, the word to the action. *William Shakespeare* (1564-1616)

Sunburn is very becoming but only when it is even one must be careful not to look like a mixed grill. *Noel Coward*

Sunday clears away the rust of the whole week. *Joseph Addison*

Sunday's wooing draws to ruin. *Spanish Proverb*

Sunset in one land is sunrise in another.

Sunshine is delicious, rain is refreshing, wind braces up, snow is exhilarating; there is no such thing as bad weather, only different kinds of good weather. *John Ruskin*

Supercompetence is more objectionable than incompetence.

Superfluous wealth can buy superfluities only. *Henry David Thoreau*

Superiority is recessive. (Underlying Principle of Socio Genetics)

Superstition, idolatry, and hypocrisy have ample wages, but truth goes begging. *Martin Luther*

Superstition is a senseless fear of God. *Cicero*

Superstition is... religion which is incongruous with intelligence. *John Tyndall* (1820-1893)

Superstition is the poison of the mind. *Joseph Lewis*

Superstition is the religion of feeble minds. *Edmund Burke*

Superstitions are, for the most part, but the shadows of great truths. *Tryon Edwards*

Support Search and Rescue: GET LOST!

Support the strong, give courage to the timid, remind the indifferent, and warn the opposed. *Whitney M. Young, Jr.* (1921-1971)

Support your local bloodhound. Get lost.

Support your local church. Worship at Bank of America.

Suppose a thousand suns should rise together in the sky. Such is the splendor of the shape of the infinite God.

Suppose you were an idiot. And suppose you were a member of Congress. But I repeat myself. *Mark Twain*

Supposedly, it is possible to score goals (in field hockey). However, this rarely happens because hitting people is so positively reinforcing. Professor *Ralph Noble*

Supreme art is a traditional statement of certain heroic and religious truth, passed on from age to age, modified by individual genius, but never abandoned. *William Butler Yeats*

Sure as a gun. *John Dryden*

Sure fire diet, swallowing pride.

Sure I'm for helping the elderly. I'm going to be old myself someday. *Lillian Carter*

Sure, it's going to kill a lot of people, but they may be dying of something else anyway. *Othal Brand*

Sure there are dishonest men in local government. But there are dishonest men in national government too. *Richard M. Nixon*

Surely, all desire is impermanent - not metaphysically, but actually. I want a job. That is I look to a certain job as a means of happiness; and when I get it, I am dissatisfied. I want to become the manager, then the owner, and so on and on, not only in this world, but in the so-called spiritual world - the teacher becoming the principal, the priest becoming the bishop, the pupil becoming the master. *Jiddu Krishnamurti* (1895-1986)

Surely it's no coincidence that the word listen is an anagram of the word silent!

Surely Philosophy never allowed herself to let the innocent go upon their journey unbefriended.  
Think you I would fear calumnies? That I would be terrified as though they were a new misfortune? Think you that this is the first time that wisdom has been harassed by dangers among men of shameless ways? *Boethius* (480-524)

Surly grammarians insist that all words ending in "ly" are adverbs.

Surplus wealth is a sacred trust which its possessor is bound to administer in his lifetime for the good of the community. *Andrew Carnegie* (1835-1913)

Surprise your boss. Get to work on time.

Survival of the species is everyone's business.

Sushi says she sees Shanghai.

Suspicion all our lives shall be struck full of eyes. *William Shakespeare*

Suspicion always haunts the guilty mind. *William Shakespeare*

Suspicion has double eyes.

Suspicious which may be unjust need not be stated. *Abraham Lincoln*

Swallow your learning in the morning and digest it in the evening in good company. *Lord Chesterfield*

Swallow your pride, it is non-fattening.

Swallow your pride occasionally. It's non-fattening. *Frank Tyger*

Sweat is nature's way of showing you your muscles are crying.

Sweater: A garment worn by a child when his parent feels chilly.

Sweater: Garment worn by child when it's mother is feeling chilly. *Ambrose Bierce*

Sweep before your own door.

Sweep in front of your own door.

Sweet appears sour when we pay. *James Howell*

Sweet April showers do spring May flowers.

Sweet are the slumbers of the virtuous man. *Joseph Addison* (1672-1719)

Sweet childish days, that were as long as twenty days are now. *William Wordsworth* (1770-1850)

Sweet is a grief well ended. *Aeschylus* (525-456 BC)

Sweet is pleasure after pain. *John Dryden* (1631-1701)

Sweet is revenge - especially to women. *Lord Byron* (1788-1824)

Sweet is the scene where genial friendship plays / The pleasing game of interchanging praise.  
*Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Sweet mercy is nobility's true badge. *William Shakespeare*

Sweet things are bad for the teeth. *Swift*

Sweetest melodies are those that are by distance made more sweet. *William Wordsworth* (1770-1850)

Swimming pool: a mob of people with water in it.

Swine, women, and bees cannot be turned. *John Ray*

Swiped Out: An ATM or credit card that has been rendered useless because the magnetic strip is worn away from extensive use.

Switzerland is a small, steep country, much more up and down than sideways, and is all stuck over with large brown hotels built on the cuckoo style of architecture. *Ernest Hemingway*

Sympathy is a virtue unknown in nature. *Paul Eipper*

Sympathy is what you give a relative when you don't want to lend him cash.

Sympathy, therefore, does not arise so much from the view of the passion, as from that of the situation which excites it. We sometimes feel for another, a passion of which he himself seems to be altogether incapable; because, when we put ourselves in his case, that passion arises in our breast from the imagination, though it does not in his from the reality. We blush for the impudence and rudeness of another, though he himself appears to have no sense of the impropriety of his own behaviour. *Adam Smith* (1723-1790)

Sympathy: Two hearts tugging at one load. *Charles H. Parkhurst*

Syntax is all the money collected at the church from sinners.

