

70 Most Useful Proverbs

1. Moderation in all things
2. Genius is an infinite capacity for taking pains
3. Devil makes work for idle hands to do
4. A word to the wise is enough
5. Why keep a dog and bark yourself?
6. The longest journey starts with a single step
7. The leopard does not change his spots
8. Beat swords into ploughshares
9. Stupid is as stupid does
10. If anything can go wrong, it will
11. Thou shalt not kill
12. No man is an island
13. Don't get mad, get even
14. A cat may look at a king
15. Many a good tune played on an old fiddle
16. Cut your coat to suit your cloth
17. Silence is golden
18. There's no such thing as bad publicity
19. Let bygones be bygones
20. Honey catches more flies than vinegar
21. Don't cast your pearls before swine
22. The child is father to the man
23. Honesty is the best policy
24. Two wrongs don't make a right
25. Fight the good fight
26. Cowards may die many times before their death
27. The labourer is worthy of his hire
28. The course of true love never did run smooth
29. Speak as you find
30. No accounting for tastes
31. Blessed are the peacemakers
32. All good things must come to an end
33. Good die young
34. Worrying never did anyone any good
35. A penny saved is a penny earned
36. A barking dog never bites
37. Law is an ass
38. Don't throw good money after bad
39. Into every life a little rain must fall
40. Husband is always the last to know
41. There's one born every minute
42. He who hesitates is lost
43. The proof of the pudding is in the eating
44. Power corrupts; absolute power corrupts absolutely
45. Only fools and horses work
46. Each to their own
47. An Englishman's home is his castle
48. Every picture tells a story
49. Whom the Gods love die young
50. Where there's muck there's brass
51. Better late than never
52. Time will tell
53. Variety is the spice of life
54. The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world
55. A house is not a home
56. Money talks
57. Apple never falls far from the tree
58. Women and children first
59. Dead men tell no tales
60. You can't teach an old dog new tricks
61. Every stick has two ends
62. First come, first served
63. Needs must when the devil drives
64. Tomorrow is another day
65. Little things please little minds
66. April showers bring forth May flowers
67. Let the buyer beware
68. A woman's work is never done
69. Time is money
70. An exception to every rule

