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Those who shine in the second rank, are eclipsed by the first.

- Proverb, French

One meets his destiny often in the road he takes to avoid it.

- Proverb, French

He that is born to be hanged shall never be drowned.

- Proverb, French

Who loves well, chastises well.

- Proverb, French

Divorce is the sacrament of adultery.

- Proverb, French

A surgeon should be young a physician old.

- Proverb, French

One may go a long way after one is tired.

- Proverb, French

Nothing is more elegant than ready money!

- Proverb, French

I know by my own pot how the others boil.

- Proverb, French

Few people rise to our esteem upon closer scrutiny.

- Proverb, French

Partir, c'est mourir un peu. (To leave is to die a little.)

- Proverb, French

Fashion is a tyrant from which there is no deliverance; all must conform to its whimsical.

- Proverb, French

A father is a banker provided by nature.

- Proverb, French

People always make the wolf more formidable than he is.

- Proverb, French

A good meal ought to begin with hunger.

- Proverb, French

Appetite comes with eating; the more one has, the more one would have.

- Proverb, French

Against change of fortune set a brave heart.

- Proverb, French

Gambling is the son of avarice and the father of despair.

- Proverb, French

There are two great pleasures in gambling: that of winning and that of losing.

- Proverb, French

He that parts with his property before his death prepares himself for much suffering.

- Proverb, French

Glutton: one who digs his grave with his teeth.

- Proverb, French

No wind is of service to him that is bound for nowhere.

- Proverb, French

In the councils of a state, the question is not so much, what ought to be done? As, what can be done?

- Proverb, French

Without grace beauty is an unabated hook.

- Proverb, French

Gratitude is the heart's memory.

- Proverb, French

Nothing resembles an honest man more than a cheat.

- Proverb, French

He that waits for a dead man's shoes may long go barefoot.

- Proverb, French

Hope is the dream of a soul awake.

- Proverb, French

It's good to be clever, but not to show it.

- Proverb, French

Fear is a great inventor.

- Proverb, French

Laughing is not always the proof of a mind at ease.

- Proverb, French

A good lawyer is a bad neighbor.

- Proverb, French

When a blind man bears the standard, pity those who follow.

- Proverb, French

Liberty has no crueller enemy than license.

- Proverb, French

Great talker, great liar.

- Proverb, French

Life is an onion and one cries while peeling it.

- Proverb, French

None are more haughty than a common place person raised to power.

- Proverb, French

In love, there is always one who kisses and one who offers the cheek.

- Proverb, French

There are more fools among buyers than among sellers.

- Proverb, French

Marriage is the sunset of love.

- Proverb, French

Desperate maladies require desperate remedies.

- Proverb, French

Speak little and well if you wish to be esteemed a person of merit.

- Proverb, French

There are no miracles for those that have no faith in them.

- Proverb, French

Penny wise is often pound foolish.

- Proverb, French

People will ignore their misfortunes and their interests when they are in competition with their pleasures.

- Proverb, French

There is something in the misfortune of our best friends which does not displease us.

- Proverb, French

The French work to live, but the Swiss live to work.

- Proverb, French

There is nothing new, but what has become antiquated.

- Proverb, French

More flies are caught with honey than with vinegar.

- Proverb, French

Never speak of a rope in the family of one who has been hanged.

- Proverb, French

The while we keep a man waiting, he reflects on our shortcomings.

- Proverb, French

When we don't have what we like, we must like what we have.

- Proverb, French

One is rated by others as he rates himself.

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A sin confessed is half forgiven.

- Proverb, French

Skeptics are never deceived.

- Proverb, French

A closed mouth catches no flies.

- Proverb, French

He who comes from afar may lie without fear of contradiction as he is sure to be listened to with the utmost attention.

- Proverb, French

Beauty, unaccompanied by virtue, is as a flower without perfume.

- Proverb, French

To believe a thing is impossible is to make it so.

- Proverb, French

The man who has nothing to do is always the busiest.

- Proverb, French

Don't dance on a volcano.

- Proverb, French

Everyone according to their talent and every talent according to its work.

- Proverb, French

People count the faults of those who keep them waiting.

- Proverb, French

Everything passes, everything perishes, everything palls.

- Proverb, French

Life is half spent before one knows what it is.

- Proverb, French

Love makes time pass away and time makes love pass away.

- Proverb, French

Why kill time when one can employ it.

- Proverb, French

We know the true worth of a thing when we have lost it.

- Proverb, French

It is a wise man who lives with money in the bank, it is a fool who dies that way.

- Proverb, French

Work relieves us from three great evils, boredom, vice, and want.

- Proverb, French

Youth lives on hope, old age on memories.

- Proverb, French

If youth but had the knowledge and old age the strength.

- Proverb, French

It is better to be the hammer than the anvil.

- Proverb, French

He who is near the Church is often far from God.

- Proverb, French

A good swordsman is not given to quarrel.

- Proverb, French

What makes us discontented with our condition is the absurdly exaggerated idea we have of the happiness of others.

- Proverb, French

By continually scolding someone, they in time become accustomed to it and despise your reproof.

- Proverb, French

Set a thief to catch a thief.

- Proverb, French

Save a thief from the gallows and he will cut your throat.

- Proverb, French



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