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A word after a word after a word is power.

- Atwood, Margaret

Short words are the best and old words when short are best of all.

- Churchill, Winston

The difference between the right word and the almost right word is the difference between lightning and the lightning bug.

- Twain, Mark

It does not need that a poem should be long. Every word was once a poem. Every new relationship is a new word.

- Emerson, Ralph Waldo

A powerful agent is the right word. Whenever we come upon one of those intensely right words... the resulting effect is physical as well as spiritual, and electrically prompt.

- Twain, Mark

Language is a skin: I rub my language against the other. It is as if I had words instead of fingers, or fingers at the tip of my words. My language trembles with desire.

- Barthes, Roland

In the word of no master am I bound to believe.

- Horace

The word of man is the most durable of all material.

- Schopenhauer, Arthur

In love there are two things -- bodies and words.

- Oates, Joyce Carol

Grasp the subject, the words will follow.

- Cato The Elder

Carve every word before you let it fall.

- Holmes Jr., Oliver Wendell

By words the mind is winged.

- Aristophanes

Words are all we have.

- Beckett, Samuel

All words are pegs to hang ideas on.

- Beecher, Henry Ward

Words, as is well known, are the great foes of reality.

- Conrad, Joseph

Words are alive; cut them and they bleed.

- Emerson, Ralph Waldo

Words will not fail when the matter is well considered.

- Horace

Colors fade, temples crumble, empires fall, but wise words endure.

- Thorndike, Edward

Style may defined as the proper words in the proper places.

- Swift, Jonathan

Without knowing the force of words, it is impossible to know men.

- Confucius

The word that is heard perishes, but the letter that is written remains.

- Proverb

Speech is civilization itself. The word... preserves contact -- it is silence which isolates.

- Mann, Thomas

The proper words in the proper places are the true definition of style.

- Swift, Jonathan

Taking a new step, uttering a new word, is what people fear most.

- Dostoevsky, Fyodor

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