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# Quotes about Firmness

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Firmness of purpose is one of the most necessary sinews of character, and one of the best instruments of success. Without it genius wastes its efforts in a maze of inconsistencies.

- Chesterfield, Lord

Real firmness is good for anything; strut is good for nothing.

- Hamilton, Alexander

It is only persons of firmness that can have real gentleness. Those who appear gentle are, in general, only a weak character, which easily changes into asperity.

- La Rochefoucauld, Francois De

The greatest firmness is the greatest mercy.

- Longfellow, Henry Wadsworth

A wise man who stands firm is a statesman, a foolish man who stands firm is a catastrophe.

- Stevenson, Adlai E.

Steadfastness is a noble quality, but unguided by knowledge or humility it becomes

rashness or obstinacy.

- Swartz, J.

The purpose firm is equal to the deed.

- Young, Edward





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