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Anne Bradstreet (ca. 1612September 16, 1672) was the first published American woman writer.

Iron till it be thoroughly heated is incapable to be wrought; so God sees good to cast some men into the furnace of affliction, and then beats them on his anvil into what frame he pleases.

-Bradstreet, Anne

Authority without wisdom is like a heavy ax without an edge, fitter to bruise than to polish.

-Bradstreet, Anne

If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant: if we did not sometimes taste of adversity, prosperity would not be so welcome.

-Bradstreet, Anne

If ever two were one, then surely we. If ever man were loved by wife, then thee.

-Bradstreet, Anne

