



There is nothing government can give you that it hasn't taken from you in the first place.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



The best argument against democracy is a five-minute conversation with the average voter.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Success consists of going from failure to failure without loss of enthusiasm.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



A good speech should be like a woman's skirt: long enough to cover the subject and short enough to create interest

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



A pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



If Britain must choose between Europe and the open sea, she must always choose the open sea.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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Many forms of Government have been tried, and will be tried in this world of sin and woe. No one pretends that democracy is perfect or all-wise. Indeed, it has been said that democracy is the worst form of Government except all those others that have been

— *Winston Churchill* —

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One man with conviction will overwhelm a hundred who have only opinions.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



The main vice of capitalism is the uneven distribution of prosperity. The main vice of socialism is the even distribution of misery.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



However beautiful the strategy, you should occasionally look at the results.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



You don't make the poor richer by  
making the rich poorer.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



A lie gets halfway around the world  
before the truth has a chance to get  
its pants on.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Life can either be accepted or changed. If it is not accepted, it must be changed. If it cannot be changed, then it must be accepted.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



We contend that for a nation to try to tax itself into prosperity is like a man standing in a bucket and trying to lift himself up by the handle.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



I'd rather argue against a hundred  
idiots, than have one agree with me.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Islam is more dangerous in a man  
than rabies in a dog.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES





In the course of my life, I have often had to eat my words, and I must confess that I have always found it a wholesome diet.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Life is fraught with opportunities to keep your mouth shut.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



An appeaser is one who feeds a crocodile, hoping it will eat him last.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



When you're 20 you care what everyone thinks, when you're 40 you stop caring what everyone thinks, when you're 60 you realize no one was ever thinking about you in the first place. You have enemies? Good. That means you've stood up for something, sometime in your life.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Diplomacy is the art of telling  
people to go to hell in such a way  
that they ask for directions.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



**“Individual Moslems may show splendid qualities. Thousands become the brave and loyal soldiers of the Queen: all know how to die: but the influence of the religion paralyses the social development of those who follow it. No stronger retrograde force exists in the world. Far from being moribund, Mohammedanism is a militant and proselytizing faith. It has already spread throughout Central Africa, raising fearless warriors at every step; and were it not that Christianity is sheltered in the strong arms of science, the science against which it had vainly struggled, the civilisation of modern Europe might fall, as fell the civilisation of ancient Rome.”**

~ WINSTON CHURCHILL



Everyone is in favor of free speech. Hardly a day passes without its being extolled, but some people's idea of it is that they are free to say what they like, but if anyone else says anything back, that is an outrage.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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You will never reach your destination if you stop and throw stones at every dog that barks.

— *Winston Churchill* —

AZ QUOTES



Fear is a reaction. Courage is a decision.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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To each there comes in their lifetime a special moment when they are figuratively tapped on the shoulder and offered the chance to do a very special thing, unique to them and fitted to their talents. What a tragedy if that moment finds them unprepared or unqualified for that which could have been their finest hour.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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A nation that forgets its past has no future.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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The POSITIVE THINKER sees the INVISIBLE, feels the INTANGIBLE, and achieves the IMPOSSIBLE.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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If you're not a liberal at twenty you  
have no heart, if you're not a  
conservative at forty, you have no  
brain.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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