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## Proverbs and Adages

A **proverb** is a short common saying that gives a valuable piece of advice or practical wisdom. Proverbs are more widely used than adages.

An **adage** is a short memorable saying that contains a universal truth. Adages have a longer history than proverbs.

Complete the proverbs and adages with words from the word box.

friends

bite

times

wait

saves

stone

cleanliness

1) Barking dogs seldom

2) A man is known by

3) A \_\_\_\_\_

4) \_\_\_\_\_

5) A rolling \_\_\_\_\_

6) The best things in

7) A stitch in time \_\_\_\_\_ nine.

8) Fall seven \_\_\_\_\_ , stand up eight.

9) Good things come to those who \_\_\_\_\_ .

10) As you sow so shall you \_\_\_\_\_ .

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