

Amese Proverbs

In this study the author analyses similarities, differences and contradictions in the cultural norms about gender expressed in proverbs she has found in oral and written sources from over 150 countries. Grouping the proverbs into categories as the female body, love, sex, childbirth and the female power, the author examines shared patterns in ideas about women and how men see them.

Winner of the 2007 Bram Stoker Award for Superior Achievement in a Collection. *You Can Catch A Good Human With A Bad Hamburger* Proverbs For Monsters is an omnibus of the best writing to date by one of the most offbeat and humorous writers working in the horror genre today, Michael A. Arnzen. Hand picked by the author, these are the stories, "flash fictions," and poems most cherished by readers, most enjoyed at live performances, most celebrated by editors of year's best collections, and most recommended for literary awards from across his career. *An Infant Vampire Bites Hardest In Proverbs For Monsters* you'll get advice for growing your own man-eating plant. You'll ride the movies of Exorcystland -- the scariest amusement park

ever created. You'll attend a bizarre grade school for assassins. You'll meet a dentist with a very disturbing collection of baby teeth. You'll encounter strange children -- from the boy who carries his heart in a metal case attached to his chest to the girl who is completely encased in the carapace of her own giant scab. You'll ride a diseased elephant and witness the death of the last vampire and learn more than ever wanted to know about a perpetual embalming machine. You'll wince and laugh and wince again. Fortune Favors the Cleaver Whether or not you have read Michael Arnzen before or are already a fan of his gleefully twisted imagination, you're in for a very dark treat with this generous collection of thirty stories and thirty poems, many of them impossible-to-find or never seen before. Proverbs For Monsters offers the most delightful and disturbing retrospective of this acclaimed author's career.

Proverbs for Monsters

Inspirational Quotes of Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C.

The Politics of Proverbs

A Treasury of Wit and Wisdom Through the Ages

The Good Spy

An Index to Proverbs in the Works of Harry S. Truman

Proverbs, though anonymous, speak with great authority, and politicians from classical to modern times have deployed them effectively in their rhetoric. In looking at political proverbs in the twentieth century, Wolfgang Mieder the leading expert on proverbs today offers proof of the power of borrowed wisdom to serve any master or any purpose, for good or ill. Mieder first singles out Hitler's "Mein Kampf," in which the Fuhrer used proverbs to advocate the deadly goals of Nazism. Pitted against Hitler's rhetoric is that of Winston Churchill, who was, Mieder demonstrates, as good as with the proverb as any leader in this century. He moves next to America and Harry S. Truman whose proverbial plain English won him the trust of the people. The politics of the Cold War not only an ample use of proverbs as well, a trend Mieder illustrates through cartoons and caricatures of the day. He also traces the origin, history, meaning, and use of two proverbial slurs, one against Native Americans (The only good Indian is a dead Indian) and the other against Asian Americans (Nigger-tickey, no washee.) "The Politics of Proverbs" offers a historical view, but also shows that new proverbs are continually coined and passed into common parlance, and old proverbs are updated to suit modern situations. Mieder's lively and instructive examples show how anyone, whether on a political grandstand or the back porch, can exploit the supposed wisdom of proverbs to justify their opinions and actions. By exposing the use and function of the proverb in political rhetoric, this book alerts readers to the possibilities and dangers and the expressive power of these not so simple sayings. "

His effective employment of Biblical and folk proverbs, as well as proverbial phrases, makes him a masterful orator and writer."--BOOK JACKET.

God Writes Straight With Crooked Lines-- a Portuguese Proverb

Who was Executed at Boston, on Thursday the 21st Day of October, 1773, for Burglary. Taken
His Own Mouth, and Published at His Desire, as a Solemn Warning to All, More Particularly Your
People. [One Line from Proverbs].

Commitment, Compassion, Consecration

The Penguin Dictionary of Proverbs

Folk Wisdom in Art, Culture, Folklore, History, Literature and Mass Media

Poverty in the Book of Proverbs

Gathers more than eighteen thousand proverbs from around the world and arranged by subject from
ability to zeal

The first boxed set, *Cherry Ames Boxed Set 1-4*, introduces our beloved heroine in her four earliest
adventures: Student Nurse, Senior Nurse, Army Nurse, and Chief Nurse! With a heart of pure gold and
a true yearning to make a difference in the world, eighteen-year-old Cherry Ames leaves her hometown
and enters nursing school, embarking on a lifetime of adventures. Follow Cherry through the
introductory four-book set as she grows from student nurse to chief nurse, all the while making friends,
pushing the limits of authority, leading her nursing colleagues, and sleuthing and solving mysteries.
Smart, courageous, mischievous, quick-witted, and above all, devoted to nursing, Cherry Ames meets
adventure head-on wherever she goes. *Cherry Ames, Student Nurse* In *Student Nurse*, Cherry starts
nursing school at Spencer with a mixture of anxiety and anticipation - would she have what it takes to be
a nurse? She leaves her quiet town of Hilton, Illinois for the bustle of hospital life, to meet challenges she
wouldn't have imagined. The U.S. is at war. Many nurses have gone to the front, and there is a shortage
of RNs at Spencer-which Cherry and her classmates help to fill, as they learn the skills they need to
graduate. And who is the mysterious patient in the secret room that no one seems to know anything

about? Should Cherry risk expulsion to save his life? Cherry Ames, Senior Nurse In Senior Nurse, Cherry realizes that "a senior really must be a little more sober and responsible" - perhaps she should have warned the head nurse right away about the rabbit that had been smuggled into the pediatric ward. But the children had enjoyed it so! As "lofty" seniors, Cherry and her friends each "adopt" a probationer (first-year student) to mentor. Why did her probie have to be dull and sullen Mildred Burnham? Dr. Joe Fortune has discovered a new way to synthesize penicillin - which could make a life or death difference on the battle front. But how did word of it become common knowledge around Spencer? Cherry discovers that Mildred has more to her than she thought as together they face the dangerous thieves who have stolen Dr. Joe's formula. Cherry Ames, Army Nurse In Army Nurse, Cherry has made the difficult decision facing all her classmates - should she enlist in the military or practice nursing on the homefront? She's graduated from Spencer and earned the right to put "RN" after her name, and as an Army nurse, she is now "Lieutenant Ames." The Army nurses are also soldiers, and endure a grueling basic training under the harsh Sergeant Deake (whom Cherry nicknames "Lovey," much to his chagrin). No one knows where the Spencer unit will be deployed until they are shipped off without warning - to Panama City. Who is the mysterious old Indian whom Cherry and her corpsman Bunce find collapsed in an abandoned house? He is obviously very ill, but with what? Can Dr. Joe's newly developed serum help? Cherry Ames, Chief Nurse In Chief Nurse, Cherry is whisked off to a new assignment on an island in the Pacific close to the battlefield -as Acting Chief Nurse! Colonel Pillsbee thinks she is too "young and pretty" to successfully supervise sixty nurses and 200 corpsmen. Can she do it? For the first time Cherry and the nurses of the Spencer unit have to work under fire, in a makeshift tent hospital uncomfortably close to the fighting. When the casualties pour in, the nurses and doctors work night and day, constantly under danger of attack by the Japanese. When the other Lieutenant Ames, Cherry's twin brother

Charlie, is unexpectedly stationed nearby, Charlie and Cherry piece together the mystery behind the silence of an injured pilot - which involves a secret enemy weapon. [Click here to read about Cherry Ames in The New York Times!](#)

A Hebrew Goddess Redefined

A Dictionary of Archaic & Provincial Words, Obsolete Phrases, Proverbs & Ancient Customs, Form the Fourteenth Century

The First from Psalm CII. 19, 20, Delivered the Lord's-day Before the Execution of Levi Ames, who was Executed at Boston, Thursday, October Twenty-first, for Burglary, Aet. 22 : this Discourse was Preached at the Desire of the Criminal, who Also Attended on the Occasion : the Second from Proverbs XVII. 25, Preached the Lord's-day After His Execution and Designed as an Improvement of that Awful Event by Way of Caution to Others : to which is Added, at the Request of Many, an Account of the Exercise of His Mind, from the Time of His Confinement, Until He Left the World : Together with the Conversation the Author Had with Him as He Walked with Him from the Prison to the Gallows ...

The Prentice-Hall Encyclopedia of World Proverbs

Delivered the Lord's-day Before the Execution of Levi Ames. Who was Executed at Boston, Thursday October 21. for Burglary ... The Second from Proverbs Xvii. 25. Preached the Lord's-day After His Execution ... To which is Added ... an Account of the Exercise of His Mind, from the Time of His Condemnation ...

Proverbs, Sentences, and Proverbial Phrases

Indexes proverbs in Churchill's works, and provides references to standard proverb dictionaries for additional information.

Western interpretations of poverty proverbs in the Old Testament Book

of Proverbs have tended to see a status quo acceptance in the ancient texts, thus neglecting existential challenges of the poverty issue. In contrast, Lechion Peter Kimilike argues that African proverbial material on poverty may - when used comparatively to interpret the corresponding Old Testament poverty proverbs - create a more dynamic analysis. The author's new and thought-provoking interpretation suggests «an African transformational hermeneutic» that balances between the questions and methodology of the «global [i.e., western] guild» and the concerns of the African interpretative context.

The Life and Death of Robert Ames

Programming Proverbs

From Traditional Wisdom to Proverbial Stereotypes

The Book of Proverbs and Our Search for Wisdom

Women in Proverbs from Around the World

Crooked Lines

The book of Proverbs is the starting point of the biblical wisdom tradition. But how did individual proverbs, instructions and poems come together to form the various collections we have today? Katharine Dell explores the possible social contexts for this varied material in the royal court, wisdom schools and popular culture. She draws shrewdly on materials from the wisdom traditions of the ancient Near East, in particular Egypt, in order to bolster and enhance her theories. She argues that

Proverbs had a theological purpose from its conception, with God's creativity being an integral theme of the text rather than one added in later redactions. Dell also shows that echoes of other Old Testament genres such as prophecy, law and cult can be found in Proverbs, notably in chapters 1-9, and that its social and theological context is much broader than scholars have recognised in the past.

Art historians and folklorists have long been aware that well-known artists, as well as anonymous creators of art, often base their work on proverbs, proverbial expressions and comparisons, and wellerisms. Since proverbial metaphors are verbal images, it is no surprise that artists translate these images into various art forms, including woodcuts, misericordes, engravings, emblems, paintings, caricatures, cartoons, comic strips, posters, and graffiti. This international and annotated bibliography contains 378 entries that summarize the impressive scholarship on the interrelationship of iconography and paremiology. The studies range from such wellknown artists as Hieronymus Bosch, Pieter Brueghel, and Francisco de Goya to the popular art of T-shirts, banners, flags, figurines, and graffiti. Twenty-five illustrations and three indexes of names, pictures, and subjects are also included.

**The Proverbial Abraham Lincoln
Two Sermons**

The First from Psalm CII.19,20, Delivered the Lords Day Before the Execution of Levi Ames ... Oct. 21, 1773 : the Second from Proverbs XVII.26, Preached the Lords Day After His Execution ...

Tonga Proverbs for Teaching and Preaching

The Proverbial Winston S. Churchill

"Proverbs Speak Louder Than Words"

Very little has been written about the language and culture of the lakeside Tonga people of Malawi. This collection of Tonga proverbs with translations and explanations illustrates the moral and religious values, wisdom and philosophy of the Tonga people inculcated in the language. The selection is an effort to kick-start interest and further research in this language and culture.

Is the Bishop making a deal with the Devil? During the Great Depression, a tycoon with dark secrets in his past approaches Bishop Leo McNaulty of the Pittsburgh diocese. Ever the savvy businessman, George Keane, elderly but unrepentant, offers to anonymously fund a new cathedral with ten million dollars. In exchange, he wants an on-site priest to provide deathbed absolution -- his only chance for eternal salvation. Weighing the needs of his poverty-wracked diocese against the ethical quagmire he is entering, Bishop McNaulty assigns recently-ordained Father Ted Ames to this unusual post; he concocts a cover assignment that Ames is to revise the Baltimore catechism to be more relevant to adolescents. Frustrated with this task, for which his sheltered

upbringing and celibate nature have left him ill-prepared, Father Ames gets advice from Dori Capellini, a high-spirited Catholic college student. Despite mutual good intentions and pure motives, their shared work sparks unsuspected passions and they veer toward a forbidden love affair. Meanwhile, timid Father Mark McMillan, a priest of fifteen years, loving God sincerely but desperate for human love, seeks to withdraw from his vocation, to be legally defrocked. Will he fall from grace, or will a compassionate, middle-aged nurse who sings like a lark, turn out to be his salvation? These people face their challenges, sometimes bravely, sometimes close to despair, as they struggle through to bittersweet conclusions.

The Comparative Russian-English Dictionary of Russian Proverbs & Sayings
Pascal with Excellence

The First from Psalm C11.19,20. Delivered the Lord's Day Before the Execution of Levi Ames ... The Second from Proverbs XVII. 25. Preached the Lord's-day After His Execution; ... To which is Added ... an Account of the Exercise of His Mind, from the Time of His Condemnation ... By Samuel Stillman ...

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Wisdom and the Book of Proverbs

An International Bibliography

The Routledge Book of World Proverbs invites the reader to travel the globe in search of the origins of such words of

wisdom, experiencing the rich cultural traditions reflected in each nation's proverbs. This collection contains over 16,000 gems of humour and pathos that draw upon themes from our shared experiences of life. And we are not just invited to learn about other cultures; proverbs are 'bits of ancient wisdom' and thus teach us about our own history. Drawing together proverbs that transcend culture, time and space to provide a collection that is both useful and enjoyable, *The Routledge Book of World Proverbs* is, unquestionably, a book of enduring interest.

Harry S. Truman was not only a major political figure of the twentieth century, he was also a skilled communicator who was proud of his plain speaking. His letters, speeches, news conferences, memoirs, and other books are filled with elements of folk speech. Proverbs, proverbial expressions, and proverbial comparisons play an especially important rhetorical and communicative role, both in his personal relationships with family members and on the visible stage of regional, national, and international politics. This book begins with an introductory essay that discusses and analyzes the importance of proverbial language in Truman's published works. The bulk of the

volume is a key-word index to the occurrence of proverbs in his writings, with the proverbs arranged according to the most significant word in the text. The quotation from Truman is accompanied by a citation to the source in his works consulted. Each entry also provides references to standard proverb dictionaries, which readers may consult to learn more about the history of a particular proverbial utterance. An appendix overviews the frequency of proverbs in Truman's writings. The interpretive essay together with the index clearly demonstrate that Harry S. Truman knew how to use proverbs effectively as colorful and accessible folk wisdom to communicate complex political ideas.

Proverbs, a New Approach

Marriage in the Book of Tobit

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The Routledge Book of World Proverbs

With 5543 Entries : 1900 Most Important Proverbs Highlighted :

English Proverb Index

A Dictionary of Archaic and Provincial Words, Obsolete Phrases,
Proverbs and Ancient Customs from the Fourteenth Century

Draws on extensive interviews with Ames' widow and quotes from his private letters to present a narrative of the making of America's most influential and effective intelligence officer in the Middle East.

"This book presents a composite picture of the richness of proverbs as significant expressions of folk wisdom as is manifest from their appearance in art, culture, folklore, history, literature, and the mass media. The book draws attention to the fact that proverbs as metaphorical signs continue to play an important role in oral and written communication. Proverbs as so-called monumenta humana are omnipresent in all facets of life, and while they are neither sacrosanct nor saccharine, they usually offer much common sense or wisdom based on recurrent experiences and observations."--BOOK JACKET.

A Comedieta in One Act

Two sermons: the first from Psalm cii. 19, 20, delivered the Lord's Day before the execution of L. Ames ... the second from Proverbs xvii. 25 preached the Lord's Day after his execution ... To which is added ... an account of the exercise of his mind, etc

A Dictionary of Archaic and Provincial Words, Obsolete Phrases, Proverbs, and Ancient Customs, from the Fourteenth Century by James Orchard Halliwell

Cherry Ames Boxed Set 1-4

An Index to Proverbs in the Works of Sir Winston Churchill

Early American Proverbs and Proverbial Phrases

This study examines marital elements in the Book of Tobit in light of the mores and beliefs of Ancient Israel and neighboring civilizations. After surveying key Old Testament and Ancient Near Eastern texts, this monograph outlines what the Book of Tobit reveals about ancient marital practices as well as the values it seeks to inculcate in its Diaspora audience with regard to marriage. Four aspects are analyzed: 1) the qualities a man should seek in a bride, 2) the marital customs observed by ancient Jews, 3) the role of God in marriage, and 4) the nature of the marital relationship.

As a reference and learning tool to identify the base for the Russian and English languages, the Dictionary matches Russian proverbs with their equivalent and/or corresponding semiotic counterparts in English. Literal translations of the Russian proverbs are provided throughout and there are references and cross-references for proverbs dealing with the same or similar subject. The Russian proverbs are arranged alphabetically by first word and an English proverb index by key word is included for English readers. An introduction and an appendix on the structure of Russian proverbs situate them within the general study and history of paremiology. Annotation copyright by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR

The Proverbial Harry S. Truman

The Composition of the Book of Proverbs

From English Writings Mainly Before 1500

Proverb Iconography

Two Sermons: the First from Psalm Cii. 19,20

A Batch of Proverbs

p.B. J. Whiting savors proverbial expressions and has devoted much of his lifetime to studying and collecting them; no one knows more about British and American proverbs than he. The present volume, based upon writings in British North America from the earliest settlements to approximately 1820, complements his and Archer Taylor's Dictionary of American Proverbs and Proverbial Phrases, 1820-1880. It differs from that work and from other standard collections, however, in that its sources are primarily not "literary" but instead workaday writings - letters, diaries, histories, travel books, political pamphlets, and the like. The authors represent a wide cross-section of the populace, from scholars and statesmen to farmers, shopkeepers, sailors, and hunters. Mr. Whiting has combed all the obvious sources and hundreds of out-of-the-way publications of local journals and historical societies. This body of material, "because it covers territory that has not been extracted and compiled in a scholarly way before, can justly be said to be the most valuable of all those that Whiting has brought together," according to Albert B. Friedman. "What makes the work important is Whiting's authority: a proverb or proverbial phrase is what BJW thinks is a proverb or proverbial phrase. There is no objective operative definition of any value, no divining rod; his tact, 'feel,' experience, determine what's the real thing and what is spurious."

Never Marry a Woman with Big Feet

A Dictionary of Archaic and Provincial Words, Obsolete Phrases, Proverbs, and Ancient Customs, from the Fourteenth Century

The Last Words and Dying Speech of Levi Ames
The Book of Proverbs in Social and Theological Context
An African Transformational Hermeneutic of Proverbs on Poverty
An Index to Proverbs in the Works of Abraham Lincoln