

John Churton Collins

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Pleasure, Responsibility, Sea, Attitude, Attraction, Accepting, Mistrust,
Complaining, Wisdom, Punishment, Virtue, Desire*

Half our mistakes in life arise from feeling where we ought to think, and thinking where we ought to feel.

~John Churton Collins

In prosperity our friends know us; in adversity we know our friends.

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Never trust a man who speaks well of everybody.

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If we knew each other's secrets, what comforts we should find.

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There is often less danger in the things we fear than in the things we desire.

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Always mistrust a subordinate who never finds fault with his superior.

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The secret of success in life is known only by those who have not succeeded.

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A fool often fails because he thinks what is difficult is easy.

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Never claim as a right what you can ask as a favor.

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If we escape punishment for our vices, why should we complain if we are not rewarded for our virtues?

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Though pride is not a virtue, it is the parent of many virtues.

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Envy and fear are the only passions to which no pleasure is attached.

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A wise man thinks what is easy is difficult.

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To accept a favor from a friend is to confer one.

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No one who deserves confidence ever solicits it.

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To ask advice is in nine cases out of ten to tout for flattery.

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Truth is the object of philosophy, but not always of philosophers.

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Suicide is the worst form of murder, because it leaves no opportunity for repentance.

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What attracts us in a woman rarely binds us to her.

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