

# BONAPARTE

## QUOTES

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A man cannot become an atheist merely by wishing it.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

All religions have been made by men.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Religion is excellent stuff for keeping common people quiet.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Religion is what keeps the poor from murdering the rich.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

History is a set of lies agreed upon.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

History is the version of past events that people have decided to agree upon.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

If you wish to be a success in the world, promise everything, deliver nothing.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Imagination rules the world.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

In politics stupidity is not a handicap.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

The best way to keep one's word is not to give it.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

In politics... never retreat, never retract... never admit a mistake.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Never ascribe to malice that which is adequately explained by incompetence.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Medicines are only fit for old people.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Men are more easily governed through their vices than through their virtues.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Men are Moved by two levers only: fear and self interest.

(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Men take only their needs into consideration - never their abilities.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

One should never forbid what one lacks the power to prevent.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

The first virtue in a soldier is endurance of fatigue; courage is only the second virtue.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Soldiers generally win battles; generals get credit for them.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

Take time to deliberate, but when the time for action has arrived, stop thinking and go in.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

The battlefield is a scene of constant chaos. The winner will be the one who controls that chaos, both his own and the enemies.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

The extent of your consciousness is limited only by your ability to love and to embrace with your love the space around you, and all it contains.  
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The infectiousness of crime is like that of the plague.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

The surest way to remain poor is to be honest.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte)

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