

Korean Proverbs - Group 2

Proverb	가는 말이 고와야 오는 말이 곱다.
In English alphabet	Kanun mari kooaya onun mari kopta.
Literal translation	Say kind words to hear kind words.
English proverb	Nice words for nice words.
Proverb	말 한 마디에 천냥 빚도 갚는다.
In English alphabet	Mal han matie chonnyang pito kapnunda.
Literal translation	A big debt is repayed with only a few words.
English proverb	Your tongue can make or break you.
Proverb	낮 말은 새가 듣고 밤 말은 쥐가 듣는다.
In English alphabet	Nat marun saeka tuko pam marun chuika tutnunda.
Literal translation	Birds can hear the talk in the daytime, rats can hear the talk at night.
English proverb	Don't speak ill of others.
Proverb	송곳도 끝부터 들어간다.
In English alphabet	Songkoto kutputo turokanda.
Literal translation	Even a drill goes in from the tip.
English proverb	You have to start at the bottom to climb a ladder.
Proverb	모르는 게 약이다.
In English alphabet	Morunun ke yakida.
Literal translation	Ignorance is a medicine.
English proverb	Ignorance is bliss.

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