

adage['ædɪdʒ] *n*

(старинная) пословица, поговорка; изречение

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

adage [adage adages] *BrE* ['ædɪdʒ] ^u *NAmE* ['ædɪdʒ] ^u **noun**

a well-known phrase expressing a general truth about people or the world

Syn: ↑saying

- According to the old adage, a picture is worth a thousand words.

Word Origin:mid 16th cent.: from French, from Latin **adagium** 'saying', based on an early form of **aiō** 'I say'.**adage**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

adage /'ædɪdʒ/ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: French; Origin: Latin adagium]

a well-known phrase that says something wise about human experience **SYN** proverb:the old adage that a picture is worth a thousand words**adage**

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