

Ineptness

Ineptness الخُرُق

1. Ineptness is opposing [others'] views and having enmity with one who is capable of causing harm.

.. الخُرُقُ مُعَادَاةُ الآرَاءِ، وَمُعَادَاةُ مَنْ يَقْدِرُ عَلَى الضَّرِّاءِ1

2. Be cautious of ineptness for it is disgraces [one's] character.

.. إِيَّاكَ وَالخُرُقَ، فَإِنَّهُ شَيْنُ الْأَخْلَاقِ2

3. The ugliest thing is ineptness.

.. أَقْبَحُ شَيْءٍ الخُرُقُ3

4. The worst thing is ineptness.

.. أَسْوَأُ شَيْءٍ الخُرُقُ4

5. Ineptness is a disgraceful attribute.

.. الخُرُقُ شَيْنُ الخُلُقِ5

6. Ineptness is the worst quality.

.. الخُرُقُ شَرُّ خُلُقِ6

7. How bad a quality ineptness is!

.. بِئْسَ الشَّيْمَةُ الْخُرْقُ 7

8. The height of ignorance is ineptness.

.. رَأْسُ الْجَهْلِ الْخُرْقُ 8

9. One whose ineptness increases is scorned.

.. مَنْ كَثُرَ خُرْقُهُ أُسْتُزِلَ 9

10. How many an elevated person has been degraded by the ugliness of his ineptitude!

.. كَمْ مِنْ رَفِيعٍ وَضَعَهُ قُبْحُ خُرْقِهِ 10

11. It is from ineptness to make haste before [having] ability, and to act slowly after getting the opportunity.

.. مِنَ الْخُرْقِ الْعَجَلَةُ قَبْلَ الْإِمْكَانِ، وَالْأُتَانَةُ بَعْدَ إِصَابَةِ الْفُرْصَةِ 11

12. Increased ineptness is an abomination.

.. مِنَ الْفُحْشِ كَثْرَةُ الْخُرْقِ 12

13. It is from ineptitude to let go of an opportunity when one is able to take it.

.. مِنَ الْخُرْقِ تَرْكُ الْفُرْصَةِ عِنْدَ الْإِمْكَانِ 13

14. Ineptness is not in anything but that it tarnishes it.

.. مَا كَانَ الْخُرْقُ فِي شَيْءٍ إِلَّا شَانَهُ 14

15. There is no quality more disgraceful than ineptitude.

.. لا خُلُقَ أَشَيْنُ مِنَ الْخُرُقِ 15

16. There is no attribute more belittling than ineptitude.

.. لا خُلَّةَ أَزْرَى مِنَ الْخُرُقِ 16

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