

SHAKESPEARE: PHRASES WE OWE TO WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

William Shakespeare was a master of rhetoric. He incorporated metaphors, similes, imagery, and countless other devices that give his character's dialogue lots of flare. Some of the lines that Shakespeare wrote have become popular household phrases. Let's take a look at a few:

- "Break the ice"- *The Taming of the Shrew*
- "Be all and end all"- *Macbeth*
- "Dead as a doornail"- *Henry VI Part 2*
- "Forever and a day"- *As You Like It*
- "For goodness' sake"- *Henry VIII*
- "Heart of gold"- *Henry V*
- "Knock Knock, who's there?"- *Macbeth*
- "Live long day"- *Julius Caesar*
- "Wear my heart on my sleeve"- *Othello*
- "Wild Goose Chase"- *Romeo and Juliet*