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Selected mottoes for names beginning with "W" ...

Surname	Latin or Old English	Translation
Waddell	Orna verum	Adorn the truth
Waddy	Ob ducem ob patrium	On account of our leader and country
Wade	Pro fide et patria	For faith and country
Waldron	Fortis et velox	Strong and swift
Walker	Per varios casus	By various fortunes
Wall	Aut Caesar aut nihil	Either Caesar or nothing
Wallace	Sperandum est	It is to be hoped
Walsh	Transfixus sed non mortuus	Wounded but not dead
Ward	Sub cruce salus	Salvation under the cross
Warren	Ero quod spero	I will again hope
Waters	Spero	I hope
Webb	Victoria a Domino	Lord of victory
Webster	Carpe diem	Seize the present opportunity
Weir	Nihil verius	Nothing more true
West	Jour de ma vi	Day of my life
Whelan	Turris fortis mihi Deus	God is a tower of strength to me
White	Echel agus coruic	The axle and coryg
Williams	En suivant la verite	By following the truth
Wilson	Fortuna audaces juvat	Fortune favours the bold
Wogan	Vi et virtute	By strength and valour
Wood(s)	Fructo cognoscitur arbor	A tree is recognised by its fruit
Woulfe	<i>Coileán uasal</i>	Gentle cub
Wright	Honor virtutes praemium	Honor is the reward of valour
Wynne	Non sibi sed toti	Not for one self but for all
Wainwright	Spec mea in Deo	God is my hope
Wait	Pro aris et focus	For our altars and our home
Wakeman	Nec temere nec timide	Neither rashly nor timidly
Walfeld	Nosce teipsum	Know thyself
Walker	-	Ready and faithful
Walker	-	Walk in fear of God
Walker	Dum spiro spero	While I breath I hope
Walker	In Deo confido	I trust in God
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Waterton	-	Better kinde frembd than frembd kyen
Watkins	Virtute	By virtue

Watlington	Mens conscia recti	A mind conscious of rectitude
Watson	Esto quod esse videris	Men should be what they seem
Watson	Mea gloria fides	Faith is my glory
Watters	Toujours fidele	Always faithful
Watts	Fide sed cui vide	Trust, but be careful whom (you trust)
Way	Nil desperandum	Never despair
Webb	-	Be firm
Webster	Vincit veritas	Truth conquers
Wedderburn	-	The eagle does not catch flies
Wedderburn	Nil desperandum	Never despair
Weeden	Spes mea Christus	Christ is my hope
Wegg	Nil conscire sibi	To have a conscience free from guilt
Weller	-	Steady
Wellesley	Virtutis fortuna comes	Fortune the companion of valour
Wells	In scientia veritas in arte honestas	In science truth, in art honour
Wellwood	Reviresco	I flourish again
Wentworth	En Dieu est tout	In God is all
Wentworth	Mea gloria fides	Faith is my glory
Were	Fuimus	We have been (We have made our mark)
Wesley	-	God is love
Westcombe	Festina lente	Be quick without impetuosity
Westerman	Dum spiro spero	While I breath I hope
Western	Nec temere nec timide	Neither rashly nor timidly
Weston	-	The eagle does not catch flies
Wheel	Res non verba	Facts not words
Whimper	Frangas non flectes	You may break, but shall not bend me
Whitaker	Festina lente	Be quick without impetuosity
White	-	Innocent courageous activity
White	-	The noblest motive is the public good
White	Vi et virtute	By strength and valour
White	Vigilans et audax	Vigilant and bold
Whitehead	Ad finem fidelis	Faithful to the end
Whitehead	Dum spiro spero	While I breath I hope
Whitehead	Virtute et valore	By virtue and valour
Whittall	-	Persevere
Whitworth	Dum spiro spero	While I breath I hope
Whympier	Frangas non flectes	You may break, but shall not bend me
Whyte	Virtute	By virtue

Wickham	-	Manners maketh man
Wight	Fortiter	Boldly
Wight	Pro rege et religione	For king and religion
Wightman	-	A wight man never wanted a weapon
Wilcoxon	Semper fidelis	Always faithful
Wilkie	Favente Deo	By Gods favour
Willett	Dieu et mon droit	God and my duty
Williams	Deus pascit corvos	God feeds the ravens
Williams	Fortiter et fideliter	Boldly and faithfully
Williams	Nil desperandum	Never despair
Williamson	Dominus providebit	God will provide
Willington	Vigueur de dessus	Strength from above
Williams	Heb Dduw heb ddin a Duw a digon	Without God, without anything, God is enough
Wills	Sursum	Upwards
Willyams	In Domino confido	In God we trust
Wilson	-	I will, who will not
Wilson	Fortiter et fideliter	Boldly and faithfully
Wilson	Non nobis solum	Not for us for oneself
Wilson	Res non verba	Facts not words
Wilson	Semper vigilans	Always watchful
Wilson	Sequitur patrem non passibus aequis	He follows his father with unequal steps
Wilson	Vincit qui se vincit	He conquers who conquers himself
Wilson	Virtute et labore	By valour and exertion

Wingrove	-	Fear God and dread nought
Winn	Virtute et labore	By valour and exertion
Wire	Vincit qui patitur	The one who is patient wins
Wodehouse	In hoc signo	Under this sign
Wolin	Favente Deo	By Gods favour
Wolley	Honeste audax	Honourably bold
Womack	Esse quam videri	To be, rather than to seem
Wombwell	-	In well beware
Wood	-	Defend
Wood	Perseverando	By perservering
Woodcock	Esse quam videri	To be, rather than to seem
Woodforde	Pro aris et focis	For our altars and our home
Woodhouse	In hoc signo	Under this sign
Woodlock	Vi et virtute	By strength and valour
Woodmas	Pro Deo et patria	For God and country
Woodward	Gardez bien	Guard well
Wooler	Confide recte agens	Trust in fair dealing
Wormald	Noli me tangere	Touch me not
Wornack	Esse quam videri	To be, rather than to seem
Worship	Nil desperandum	Never despair
Wrexham	-	Fear God, honor the King
Wright	Fuimus	We have been (We have made our mark)
Wright	Per ardua	Through difficulties
Wright	Res non verba	Facts not words
Wykeham	-	Manners maketh man
Wykeham	Sans changer	Without changing
Wylde	Confide recte agens	Trust in fair dealing
Wylie	Fortes fortuna juvat	Fortune favours the bold
Sources: Fairbairn's <i>Book of Crests of the Families of Great Britain and Ireland</i> (1993, Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co , Inc) and <i>The General Armory of England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales</i> by Sir Bernard Burke (1996, Heritage Books: Bowie MD)		



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