

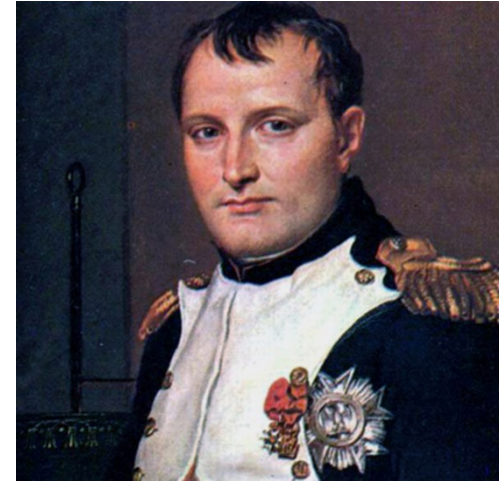
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Quote #23

Napoléon Bonaparte

“In **politics**,
stupidity is not
a handicap.”



Napoléon Bonaparte (**1769-1821**) was a French military and political leader who rose to prominence during the **French Revolution**. As Napoleon I, he was **Emperor of the French** from 1804 to 1814, and then again in 1815. During his rule he led France against a series of coalitions in the **Napoleonic Wars**, of which he won most until he was finally defeated on the battlefield of **Waterloo** in Belgium in 1815. His rule, politics and personality would change the European political asset and culture forever, and this in spite of the attempt to restore the previous order made by the **Congress of Vienna** in **1815**.

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