

## Quotations and Maxims H 1969

**BACKGROUND:** The subdivision **–Quotations** is used under classes of persons, ethnic groups, and names of individual persons and families for collections or discussions of quotations by or about the group, person, or family. It is also used under the uniform titles of individual sacred works for collections or discussions of quotations from or about these works. The subdivision **–Quotations, maxims, etc.**, is used under names of places and under topical headings for collections or discussions of quotations, maxims, etc., on these subjects. These subdivisions are coded as \$v subfields for collections of quotations or as \$x subfields for discussions of quotations. This instruction sheet provides guidelines for assigning these subdivisions.

### 1. **–Quotations.**

**a. Classes of persons and ethnic groups.** Assign the free-floating subdivision **–Quotations** under classes of persons and ethnic groups for collections and/or discussions of quotations of, or about, the group. *Examples:*

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650 #0 $a African Americans $v Quotations.  
650 #0 $a Statesmen $x Quotations.
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If appropriate for the work, interpose a topical or geographic subdivision between the heading for the class of persons or ethnic group and the subdivision **–Quotations**. *Examples:*

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650 #0 $a African Americans $x Civil rights $x Quotations.  
650 #0 $a Teachers $x Great Britain $v Quotations.
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**b. Individual persons and families.** Assign the free-floating subdivision **–Quotations** under names of individual persons, including literary authors, and families, for collections and/or discussions of quotations of, or about, the person or family. *Examples:*

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600 10 $a Lincoln, Abraham, $d 1809-1865 $x Quotations.  
600 30 $a Kennedy family $v Quotations.
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If appropriate for the work, interpose a topical subdivision between the heading for the person and the subdivision **–Quotations**. *Example:*

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600 10 $a Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865 $x Political and social  
views $v Quotations.
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### 1. *B*Quotations. (Continued)

*c. Sacred works.* Assign the free-floating subdivision –**Quotations** under uniform titles of individual sacred works, including their individual parts, for collections or discussions of quotations from or about these works. *Example:*

630 00 \$a Bible \$v Quotations.

Assign the free-floating subdivision –**Sacred books–Quotations** under individual religions for collections or discussions of quotations from or about these works. *Example:*

650 #0 \$a Buddhism \$x Sacred books \$x Quotations.

2. –*Quotations, maxims, etc.* Assign the free-floating subdivision –**Quotations, maxims, etc.**, under names of places or topical headings for collections and/or discussions of quotations about these places or topics. *Examples:*

651 #0 \$a Hawaii \$x Quotations, maxims, etc.  
651 #0 \$a Louisiana \$x Social life and customs \$v Quotations,  
maxims, etc.  
650 #0 \$a Love \$x Quotations, maxims, etc.  
650 #0 \$a Medicine \$x Quotations, maxims, etc.  
650 #0 \$a Spanish language \$v Quotations, maxims, etc.

*Note:* Assign headings of the type [**name of language or language group**]–**Quotations, maxims, etc.** to collections of quotations, maxims, etc., about the language or languages. Do not assign headings of this type to general collections of quotations, etc., in a particular language. To such collections, assign **Quotations, [name of language]; Maxims, [name of language]**, and similar headings.