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"Learn One Virtue From A Lion,
One From A Crane,
Four From A Cock,
Five from A Crow
Six From A Dog,
And Three From A Donkey."

~Chanakya

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1) Lion-

"Whatever work, big or small
A man intends to do must be done

Doing the same with full strength and wholeheartedness
Is a quality that can be learned from a lion."



No work is too small nor too big to be accomplished. Don't assume a casual approach toward your responsibilities.

When you commit to doing something, do it with a sharp intellect and be focused.

This kind of Focus, Intensity, and strength makes a person a good leader

2) Crane

"A wise man should restrain
His senses like a crane
And accomplish his goals after
The due inspection of the place, time, and ability.



You should know your strength and weaknesses before trying to be wise.

Start a goal after a careful review of yourself and the goal.

Your goal should lie with your values.

'A wise man is one who has his senses controlled '

Having a focused mind is essential.

Before proceeding to take any action or run after a goal, you should assess its pros and cons. These include the appropriate time, place, and your own abilities.

3) Cock

"To wake up early
To take a bold stand in a fight

To share anything evenly with relatives
And to own one's own bread through hard work
Are the things one can learn from a rooster."



If you need to go ahead in life, you need to grab opportunities first. A rooster always wakes early and rouses for others.

He is also unafraid to fight for what he wants.
Many people don't fight for their rights but one should always fight for the things that contain his right

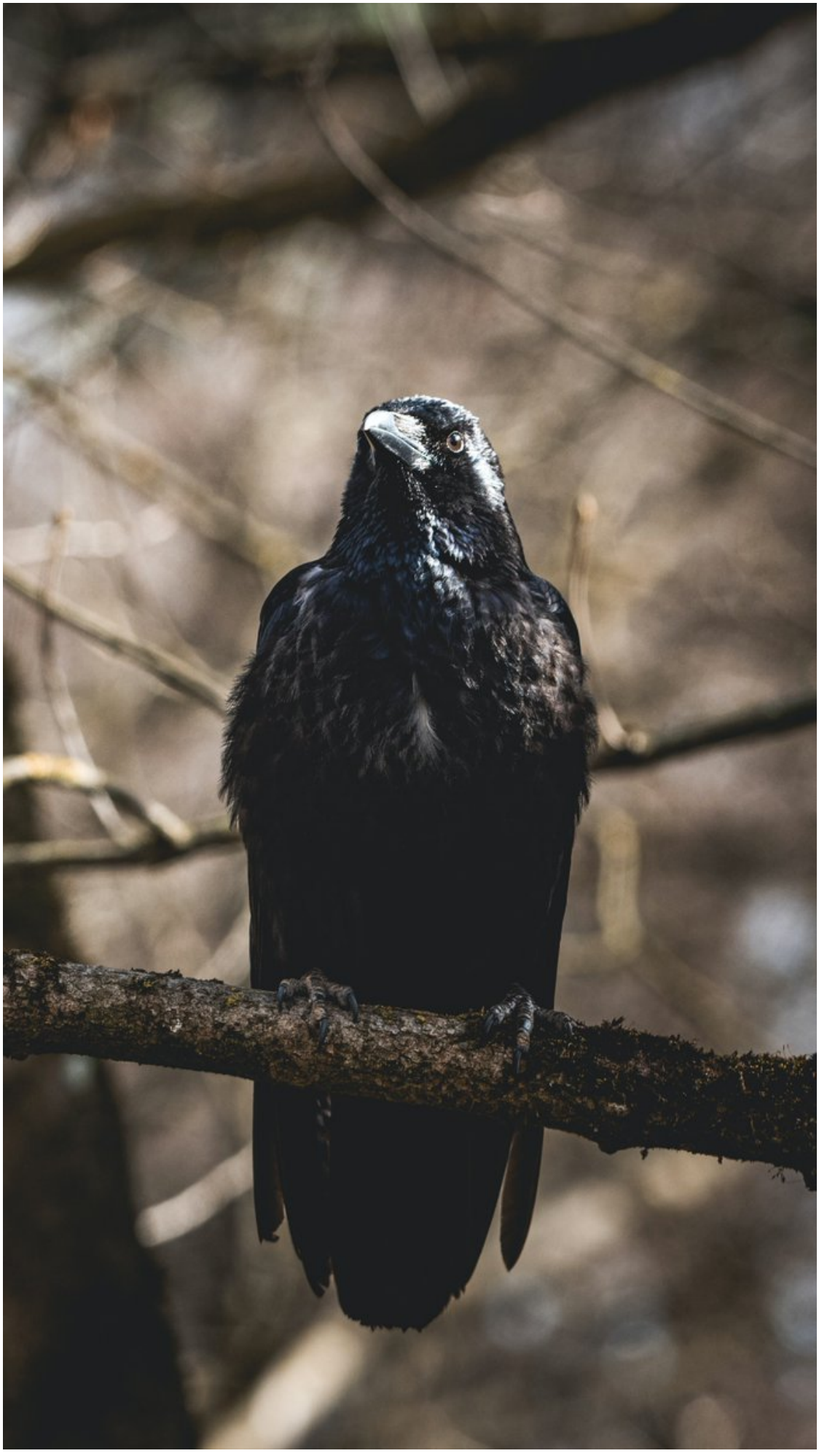
Observe a rooster with his family. He struts around searching for food and when he gets a worm, he divides it equally.
One should always share his happiness, wealth with each other.

Also, he fends for himself and doesn't depend on someone else for his food.

4) Crow

"Making love in private
Boldness, storing away useful items
Watchfulness and not trusting anyone easily

These five qualities have to learn from a crow."



You will never catch a crow mating in public; as it as if the bird understands and respect the sanctity of intimacy.

One should be bold in one's outlook and should not worry about what others think.

A crow is extremely watchful. Haven't you noticed how a crow scans its surroundings, turning its head this way and that? Always be alert.

A crow also does not trust others easily.

Better safe than sorry should be your principle.

5) Dog

"A glutton but content with small
Deep sleeper but is awake at short call
Faithful to the master and bold
Take six virtues from the dog's fold.



A dog is fond of eating. On one hand, he is greedy for food but on the other hand, he is content with what food you give.

The lesson to learn- Aspire for more yet be happy with what one has.

A dog is always alert. He might be in deep sleep but he wakes quickly if something disturbs him.

He is faithful to his master.

Always be honest.

6) Donkey

" Though tired, a donkey carries his load
Indifferent to heat and cold
Grazes away with ease
Learn from the donkey these three qualities."



A donkey is considered to be a dim-witted animal.

But everyone has something to teach us.

A donkey is a beast of burden and carries heavy loads on its back. After some time the loads might hurt him or he feels pain but still, he doesn't stop.

He does not care about anything.

A donkey is indifferent to his circumstances. He does not panic under pressure.

He is an endurant animal.

He doesn't bother about what he eats. He grazes on whatever is available.

Same as that

A person should be happy with himself.

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