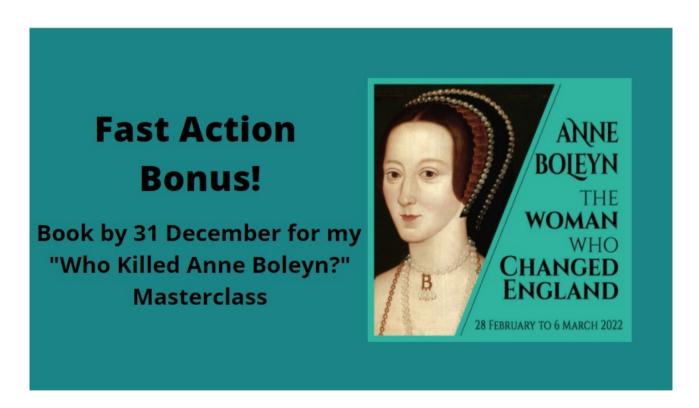
Livestream 21 Dec 2021 - How to join my Who Killed Anne Boleyn? Masterclass

Hi,

I'm so excited that you're here, whether you're on YouTube or Facebook. A big hello to you!

I can see people are starting to join me. Do feel free to say hi and share where you're from.

Today, I'm going to be talking about the masterclass I'm doing in January on "Who killed Anne Boleyn?"



So as you may know, I've decided to offer a bonus to my masterclass... And it's only available for people who

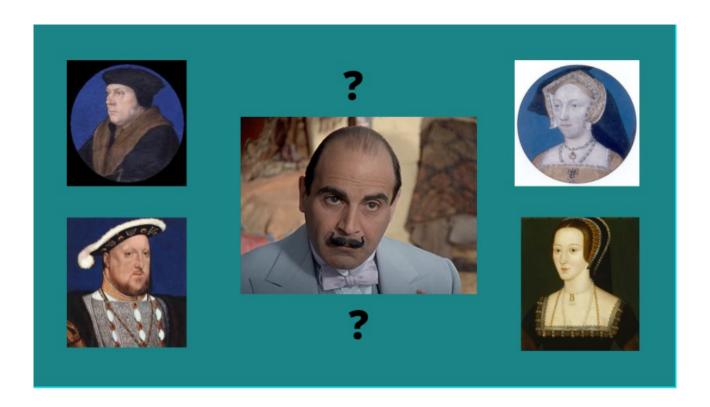
purchase a ticket before the 31st December. You don't want to miss it!

The reason I've chosen to talk about "Who killed Anne Boleyn?" as a bonus for ticket holders of my event "Anne Boleyn, the Woman who changed England", is because I know so many of you are confused about what led to Anne Boleyn's dramatic fall and execution in 1536.

Henry VIII had wooed Anne since at least 1526 and changed the course of English history, breaking with his beloved church, to possess her, to have her as his wife, and yet she was his queen for just 3 years. There are so many theories about what caused her fall.

Some people blame Henry VIII's closest advisor, Thomas Cromwell, believing that he feared she'd bring him down just like his predecessors Cardinal Wolsey and Thomas More were brought down. That it came down to a her or me situation.

Others blame Henry VIII for tiring of Anne and wanting to move on.



Others blame Anne herself, seeing her behaviour as not appropriate for a queen and alienating those around her, including her husband.

And still others see her fall as a combination of factors.

Together we'll walk through the evidence and the suspects... I'd love to imagine myself being like Poirot, although I'm probably more like Miss Marple, and gathering all the suspects in a room at the end to do the big unveiling of the killer. OK, it was a swordsman from Calais, but you know what I mean, the person I hold responsible. I'll certainly be sharing my view with you.

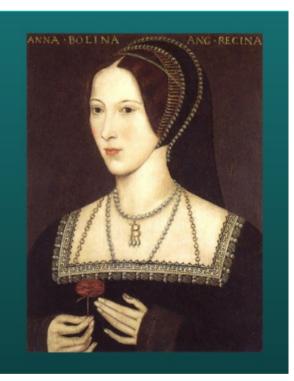
Do you have a pet theory? Who do you think was ultimately responsible? Do share!

If you have a ticket to my Anne Boleyn, the Woman who Changed England event, you'll be able to join me on 15th January 2022 for a live streamed masterclass on who killed Anne Boleyn. I will explore the various suspects and factors, examine what evidence we have, and then share my own conclusion and views.

What's more, I'll also give you the chance to share your views and to ask me questions about the awful events that culminated in a Queen of England going to the scaffold. We can have a bit of a debate on this hot topic.

Who killed Anne Boleyn?

Live 90 min masterclass
15 January
10am London / 5am New York
and
11pm London / 6pm New York



I'll be speaking live twice on that day so that you can join me in whatever timezone you're in, plus I'll also be recording it and preparing a transcript afterwards. But this masterclass is a bonus and is only available to those of you who buy your ticket, either in full or with the payment plan, for my "Anne Boleyn, the Woman who Changed England" online conference **before** 31st December 2021.

Who's already got their ticket? Do share if you have!

If you haven't already heard about this online event, it's a week of daily talks and live Q&A sessions with THE best Anne Boleyn experts where you'll meet a very new Anne Boleyn and understand why she changed the course of English history. It's for you if you want to peel back the layers that fiction, TV, books, and even some historians, have built up over Anne Boleyn.

It's so confusing, and incredibly frustrating when one Anne Boleyn biography says one thing and the next says something completely different. How are you meant to know who's right?

I completely understand, and that's why I have chosen my very favourite historians and experts, people I trust and whose work is grounded in the contemporary sources, real history, to join me in fleshing out the real Anne Boleyn for you.

You've followed the Anne Boleyn Files, you've seen my YouTube videos, you've watched the BBC documentary, you've read my books - who's read my books, by the way? Let me know in the comments! It's always lovely to know my books are out there being read!

And you've probably got shelves of books on Anne, and Henry VIII and his six wives... BUT you haven't had the opportunity to learn from 8 of the very best Anne Boleyn

experts and ask them your burning questions in real time, until now!

In Anne Boleyn, the Woman who changed England, we're exploring Anne Boleyn's early years with you, her upbringing and education, her formative years spent abroad, and the people who influenced her, because we believe that it's this part of her life that made Anne Boleyn the woman she was. The woman who turned heads when she arrived at the English court in 1522 and who captivated a courtier, poet and King of England.

I'm so excited about this event and I know that I and my fellow 7 Anne Boleyn experts can bring this queen to life for you and offer you new insights into her personality, life and eventual fall.

If you're interested in understanding Anne Boleyn on a much deeper level, then hang around and I'll tell you how you can be involved in my masterclass and the online conference.



Anne Boleyn, the Woman who changed England runs from 28th February to the 6th March 2022. It features historians Gareth Russell, Dr Lauren Mackay, Dr Owen Emmerson, Kate McCaffrey, Dr Estelle Paranque, Sarah Morris and Natalie Grueninger, and myself — all Boleyn experts. You'll recognise many from their appearances in the BBC's "The Boleyns: A Scandalous Family" - Did you watch the documentary? Give a thumbs up or yes in the comments if you did, wasn't it wonderful? Or you'll recognise them from their other TV work, books, podcasts, interviews, blogs and articles. Their video talks will go live on the website each day, and can be watched at any time, plus you have lifetime access to them.

There will also be live Q&A sessions with our experts so that you can get your burning question about Anne answered, and interact with other Tudor history lovers. Because we have such a large community of Tudor history

lovers, I'm really looking to being able to interact with you and answer your questions in a more intimate setting, and I know my fellow speakers feel the same way.

And the event is completely online, so you can attend from home, which is a huge blessing in these uncertain times!

I'll drop a link to the event page in a comment for youhttps://claireridgway.com/events/anne-boleyn-the-womanwho-changed-england/ - but you'll also find it under events on claireridgway.com. You'll need to buy a ticket before 31st December to have access to my masterclass "Who killed Anne Boleyn?" so do grab a ticket ASAP.



As well as seven days of talks and live Q&A sessions with our experts, ticket holders will receive:

- A unique souvenir paperback book "Anne Boleyn, the Woman who changed England" which will include transcripts of all the expert talks along with bios of our speakers
- Audio versions of my best-selling books "The Anne Boleyn Collection" and "The Fall of Anne Boleyn: A Countdown", which you'll get straight away, as soon as you've bought your ticket
- and then you'll be the first to get hold of the audio version of "The Anne Boleyn Collection II", as soon as it is released in February
- You'll also enjoy lifetime access to the video talks and transcripts of the live chats

I also have gift certificates available for those of you who want to buy it for the Anne Boleyn fan in your life.

This online event is for you if you've watched "Anne of the Thousand Days" over and over, read every book there is on Anne, relished every documentary, or even if you've just discovered Anne Boleyn and want to know more about her. Whatever your level of Anne Boleyn knowledge, you'll learn something new and deepen your knowledge of this fascinating queen.

I'm going to drop a link in the comments again for you to buy your ticket right now -

https://claireridgway.com/events/anne-boleyn-the-woman-who-changed-england/. Don't forget that 31st December is the deadline if you want to join the masterclass Who Killed Anne Boleyn?

It's been wonderful spending this time with you today and I hope to see you in my masterclass in January and at the big event starting 28th February. Remember, if you have any questions, you can always contact me via my Facebook page or at claire@theanneboleynfiles.com

If I don't see you before, have a wonderful festive season if you celebrate, and a very Happy New Year.