

Year 8: Powerpoint – Revision 8 – The Stuarts

Stuart Royal Family


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An Introduction By YOUR NAME

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Charles II



On the execution of Charles I in 1649, Charles II assumed the title of king and was so proclaimed in Scotland and sections of Ireland, and in England, then ruled by Oliver Cromwell. After an acknowledgment of the faults of his father, Charles accepted the Scottish crown on January 1, 1651, at Scone. He invaded England the following August with 10,000 men and was proclaimed king at Carlisle. His army, however, was routed by Cromwell at Worcester on September 3, 1651. After this battle Charles fled to France. A new Parliament requested Charles to return and proclaimed him king on May 8, 1660. He landed at Dover on May 26 and was welcomed at Whitehall by Parliament three days later.


Charles was crowned on April 23, 1661. Noted for subservience and insistence on royal prerogative, his first Parliament was overwhelmingly Royalist and gave him free rein.

From 1681 until his death on February 6, 1685, Charles ruled without Parliament. Although a member of the Anglican church, Charles received the last rites of the Roman Catholic church. He was succeeded by his brother James II.

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James II

(OF ENGLAND) (1633-1701), KING OF ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, AND IRELAND (1685-1688).




James was born in London, the second surviving son of King Charles I and his consort, Henrietta Maria. He was created duke of York and Albany in 1634. After the execution of his father, he was taken to the Continent, and in 1657 he entered the Spanish service in the war against England. At the restoration of the monarchy in 1660, his brother became king as Charles II, and James was made lord high admiral of England. That year he married Anne Hyde, daughter of Edward Hyde, earl of Clarendon. In 1672, a year after Anne's death, James publicly professed his conversion to the Roman Catholic faith.

On the death of Charles in 1685, James became king.

William III

(OF ENGLAND), CALLED WILLIAM OF ORANGE (1650-1702), KING OF ENGLAND (1689-1702), AND STADTHOLDER OF THE NETHERLANDS (1672-1702),



Born on November 14, 1650, in The Hague, Holland, William was the posthumous son of William II, prince of Orange and stadtholder of the Netherlands, and Mary, eldest daughter of the English king Charles I.

As a result of William's superior diplomacy, however, which also included the strengthening of ties with England by his marriage (1677) to the English princess Mary (eldest daughter of his uncle, James, duke of York, later King James II), Louis XIV agreed to terminate the war on terms favorable to the Dutch.

Mary II (1662-94), queen of England, Scotland, and Ireland (1689-94), born in London. She was the daughter of James, duke of York—who in 1685 became king of England as James II—and his first wife, Anne Hyde. Although her father was a convert to Roman Catholicism, Mary was brought up as a Protestant and was married at the age of 15 to the Dutch Protestant prince William of Orange.

Anne

(1665-1714), QUEEN OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND (1702-1714).







Born in London on February 6, 1665, she was the second daughter of King James II. Her mother was James's first wife, Anne Hyde. In 1683 she was married to Prince George of Denmark. Although her father converted to Roman Catholicism in 1672, Anne remained Protestant and acquiesced in James's overthrow by the anti-Roman Catholic Glorious Revolution of 1688, which brought her sister Mary to the throne. Becoming Queen on William's death in 1702, Anne restored to favour John Churchill, who had been disgraced by her predecessor, making him duke of Marlborough and captain-general of the army. Marlborough won a series of victories over the French in the War of the Spanish Succession (1701-1714).

She died in London on August 1, 1714, and, was succeeded by her German cousin, George, elector of Hannover, as King George I of Great Britain and Ireland.

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