

Henry VIII and his Six
Wives

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1 King Henry is dead

- 1 “A month ago I was the Queen of _____, the _____ of King Henry the Eighth.
2 Who was buried in St. George’s Church?
3 “Two days ago, on 16th February _____, I went back to the _____ of Whitehall,
which was _____ my home.”
4 Who was Margaret?
5 Margaret’s home was in London. True False
6 Where did they go in the palace?
7 When Henry was old, he was still handsome. True False
8 What colour were his eyes?
9 Did he have a lot of energy when he was young?
10 How many languages could Henry speak?
11 How many wives did he have?
12 Did Margaret get much news from London?
13 What was written on top of the box?
14 What was in the wooden box?
15 “One letter had a picture of a large _____ on it. It was from Henry’s _____ wife,
Anne Boleyn.”
16 “There’s also a beautiful gold _____ and a small piece of _____.”
17 Was the first wife married to Henry for a long time?
18 How many children did the first wife have?
19 How many of her children died?
20 Some people said Anne Boleyn was a bad woman. True False
21 Anne was the mother of Henry’s _____ .
22 How many wives were beheaded?
23 Where were they beheaded?
24 “They had many _____, who told the King that they had _____.”
25 How many sons did Henry have?
26 Was this son the King at that time?
27 When did Jane die?
28 Anne of Cleves was Henry’s _____ wife.
29 Did she have any children?
30 Was Anne a beautiful woman?
31 “He was _____ at so many things - horse _____ and tennis, writing and _____
music. He _____ many beautiful songs, and he had a wonderful singing _____.”
32 Was Henry kind to his wives?
33 Where did Catherine Parr put the letters?
34 When were they going to read them?

2 Katherine of Aragon

- 1 Did they get up early?
- 2 Did her favourite room have a wonderful view?
- 3 Who did Margaret dream about?
- 4 Margaret worried about what would happen if they read the letters. True False
- 5 Whose letter did they read first?
- 6 Where was she from?
- 7 Who did Katherine marry first?
- 8 How long was Katherine Henry's wife?
- 9 Why did Henry divorce Katherine?
- 10 How old was her son when he died?
- 11 Who was Henry in love with?
- 12 Could Margaret read?
- 13 What date was the letter?
- 14 How did Katherine feel when Henry was away?
- 15 Did Katherine want a son?
- 16 She wrote, "I have always been a good _____, and a good _____ to our daughter."
- 17 Did Katherine know Henry was with Anne?
- 18 Was Anne the daughter of a King?
- 19 The Pope and the Catholic Church will never agree to a _____?
- 20 Katherine sent Henry a gold ring. True False
- 21 Katherine wanted Henry to remember their daughter when he looked at the gift. True False
- 22 Did Katherine ever see Henry again?
- 23 When did she die?
- 24 Did the Pope agree to the divorce?
- 25 Henry divorced Katherine and the Church of England began. True False
- 26 Who was the head of the Church of England?
- 27 Who was angry with the King?
- 28 What was very important for a King?
- 29 How many Queens had there been in England?
- 30 What had happened in the terrible time?
- 31 Was Henry sad when Katherine died?
- 32 Who did he dance with when Katherine died?
- 33 Was Henry a good husband to Katherine?

3 Anne Boleyn

- 1 What was wonderful about Anne?
- 2 What happened when men looked into them?
- 3 How long was Henry in love with Anne before they married?
- 4 Did Henry have a lot of mistresses?
- 5 Was Anne clever?
- 6 Did she say yes to the King?
- 7 How long were they married?
- 8 Did Anne give Henry a son?
- 9 How many children did Anne have?
- 10 Anne lost a son before it was born. True False
- 11 When did Anne go to the Tower of London?
- 12 What kind of woman was Anne?
- 13 Who liked to tell Henry what to do?
- 14 What did she like to do?
- 15 Just then, they heard a _____.
- 16 Who was the man on the horse?
- 17 He said, "So, what's the _____?"
- 18 Who was the black-eyed witch?
- 19 How many fingers did Anne have on one hand?
- 20 What was something special about witches?
- 21 How many lovers did Anne have?
- 22 What happened to Anne's lovers?
- 23 One of them was her _____.
- 24 Uncle William was sure that Anne was a bad woman. True False
- 25 Many people were sad when Anne was dead. True False
- 26 Who read Anne's letter?
- 27 "Ah, here it is. 18th May _____---that's the day before she was _____."
- 28 How was Anne in her last few weeks?
- 29 How did Anne feel when she knew she was going to die?
- 30 How many men have died because of Anne?
- 31 Who did Henry listen to?
- 32 What was the last thing Anne asked?
- 33 What did Anne send to her daughter?
- 34 Why did Anne send it to her daughter?
- 35 "Tonight I will _____ for God to _____ you."
- 36 "Yes, I said, "With a _____. That's how they do it in _____."
- 37 Uncle William thought Katherine was a better Queen than Anne. True False
- 38 Who did Uncle William want to talk to?
- 39 Was the necklace in the box?

4 Jane Seymour

- 1 Was Princess Elizabeth clever?
- 2 What could she do at 13?
- 3 How many languages did Margaret know?
- 4 Were Margaret's parents alive?
- 5 Did she have enemies?
- 6 Would she have to marry an old man?
- 7 Does a princess always have an easy life?
- 8 What did they watch when they sat down?
- 9 When did Henry marry Jane?
- 10 Was Jane the same as Anne?
- 11 What kind of woman was Jane?
- 12 Who was with Jane when Henry came to visit her?
- 13 What kind of wife had Anne been to Henry?
- 14 How did Catherine know so much about the King and his other wives?
- 15 Was Jane nicer than Anne?
- 16 Who was Jane kind to?
- 17 "She quickly learned to _____ to Henry."
- 18 Did Jane look like Anne?
- 19 Was the King still handsome?
- 20 Did the King love Jane?
- 21 Did Jane give the King a boy?
- 22 What fell out when she opened the letter?
- 23 What was the date on the letter?
- 24 "I cannot sleep or _____, and a fire _____ in my body day and night. I know that I shall soon be _____."
- 25 Why could she die happy?
- 26 Who would be King after Henry?
- 27 What did she pray for?
- 28 What present did Jane give to her son?
- 29 How long did it take for the baby to arrive?
- 30 "She died _____ days later, very _____ after this letter."
- 31 Was the King sad about Jane's death?
- 32 After Jane's death, the people of England were sad. True False
- 33 Where was Jane buried?
- 34 Who is buried next to Jane?
- 35 Who came up behind them?
- 36 They went in for dinner. True False

5 Anne of Cleves

- 1 Who was very interested in the letters?
- 2 “Oh, yes, Henry’s _____ wife.”
- 3 What did Uncle William think she looked like?
- 4 Did Henry agree?
- 5 Henry was _____ and _____.
- 6 Why did he want a new wife?
- 7 Was Edward strong?
- 8 Where was Anne of Cleves from?
- 9 People said she was _____, _____ and _____.
- 10 The King wanted to please the Germans. True False
- 11 Who was he angry with?
- 12 Henry did not see Anne himself and he sent his artist to paint of picture of her.
True False
- 13 Henry fell in love with the beautiful woman in the picture so he decided to marry her.
True False
- 14 Did Henry first see Anne in London?
- 15 Was he surprised when he saw her?
- 16 Did she know he was the King?
- 17 Could Anne speak English?
- 18 Was Henry happy?
- 19 Was Margaret enjoying the story?
- 20 Did Henry marry Anne?
- 21 Did Henry learn to love Anne?
- 22 How long was she his wife?
- 23 Did Anne have any children?
- 24 Was Anne still alive?
- 25 What was the date on the letter?
- 26 “You are a very good _____ to me! Thank you for giving me _____ pounds a year and
the _____ of Richmond.”
- 27 Would Anne go back to her country?
- 28 Where was her real home?
- 29 Did Anne sound happy in her letter?
- 30 “She didn’t make _____ for the King about her _____.”
- 31 Who wanted to read the rest of the letters?
- 32 “He _____ at us both and left the _____.”

6 Katherine Howard

- 1 Who was Katherine Howard?
- 2 Why did Henry marry again?
- 3 Where did Katherine live?
- 4 How old was Katherine when Henry knew her?
- 5 What did Henry call her?
- 6 Besides fine dresses, what else did Henry send Katherine?
- 7 Was it possible to say no to the King of England?
- 8 What kind of family was the Howard family?
- 9 Were they happy for Katherine to marry the King?
- 10 Was the King happy?
- 11 Did Katherine love the King?
- 12 How old was Henry when he married Katherine?
- 13 What did his face look like?
- 14 Why couldn't Henry walk well?
- 15 When was he angry?
- 16 Who was the first lady in the country?
- 17 Did Henry and Katherine have a son?
- 18 Was Henry Katherine's first lover?
- 19 About three months after Katherine married Henry, she began to see another man.
True False
- 20 What was Thomas like?
- 21 Thomas wrote love letters to Katherine. True False
- 22 When did they meet secretly?
- 23 Was Katherine clever?
- 24 Where was Henry when he got the letter about Katherine?
- 25 What did Henry do with Thomas?
- 26 What did Henry do with Katherine?
- 27 What was the date of the letter?
- 28 Did she have a lot of boyfriends when she was a young girl?
- 29 How old was she?
- 30 How did she feel when she was in the Tower?
- 31 What did she pray for?
- 32 When were they going to cut off her head?
- 33 "Henry, I don't want to _____! Please let me _____ a little longer."
- 34 Were there any more letters?

7 Catherine Parr

- 1 “How could you marry that _____ man?”
- 2 Was Catherine the same as the other wives?
- 3 How old was she?
- 4 Was Henry Catherine’s first husband?
- 5 Did Catherine have any children before she married Henry?
- 6 “He wanted a _____, a _____, and a _____ for his _____ children.”
- 7 Did they first meet at a party?
- 8 What was Catherine doing when Henry saw her?
- 9 Who was one of the most famous kings in Europe?
- 10 What else was he famous for?
- 11 What was Henry like?
- 12 “After that evening he began to send me _____ and he asked me to visit him at Hampton Court _____.”
- 13 Catherine was in love with Thomas Seymour. True False
- 14 What did Catherine’s family want her to do?
- 15 Was Catherine happy all the time after she was married?
- 16 What would Henry do when his leg hurt?
- 17 “Once he nearly sent me to the _____. I said something about the Church of _____, And he didn’t _____ with me and got very very _____.”
- 18 Catherine said she only talked to help him to forget his bad leg. Was that true?
- 19 Did Catherine love Henry?
- 20 Did she try to be a good mother to Henry’s children?
- 21 “I was _____ with Princess Mary, played _____ with Elizabeth and young Edward, and helped them with their _____ in different _____.”
- 22 Did Henry and Catherine have any children?
- 23 What did the man give to Catherine?
- 24 Who sent the note?
- 25 How long had Henry been dead?
- 26 Did Catherine still like Thomas?
- 27 Did Thomas come from a poor family?
- 28 Who was Thomas’ sister?
- 29 Who was King Edward’s uncle?
- 30 Was King Edward clever?
- 31 How old was Edward?
- 32 Why did Catherine worry about Edward?
- 33 Was Henry a good husband?
- 34 Was Henry a strong King of England?
- 35 Why would people remember King Henry?
- 36 What was Catherine going to do with the letters?

- 37 “Catherine Parr married Thomas Seymour in May _____, a few _____ after Henry’s death. They were married for _____ months.”
- 38 How many children did Catherine and Thomas have?
- 39 Catherine died after the baby was born. True False
- 40 Thomas was beheaded because he tried to become Elizabeth’s lover. True False
- 41 When did Edward die?
- 42 How long was Mary Queen?
- 43 Where was Philip from?
- 44 Did Mary have any children?
- 45 What kind of people did Mary kill?
- 46 How long was Elizabeth Queen?
- 47 Was Elizabeth a great Queen?
- 48 Did Elizabeth ever marry?
- 49 King Henry wanted his son and his son’s sons to be Kings of England and he achieved his goal. True False
- 50 When did King Henry’s family come to an end?
- 51 Who became King of England after Queen Elizabeth?

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Answers

1 King Henry is dead	2 Katherine of Aragon	3 Anne Boleyn	4 Jane Seymour
1 England, wife	1 yes	1 her eyes	37 yes
2 Henry	2 yes	2 fell in love with her	38 read, write 4 languages
3 1547, palace, once	3 Henry	3 7 years	39 1
4 new maid	4 True	4 yes	40 yes
5 False	5 Katherine of Aragon	5 yes	41 no
6 Henry's room	6 Spain	6 no	42 no
7 False	7 Henry's brother	7 3 ½ years	43 no
8 blue	8 24 years	8 no	44 boats
9 yes	9 He wanted a son.	9 1	45 10 days after Anne's death
10 5	10 7 weeks	10 True	46 no
11 6	11 Anne Boleyn	11 3 months later	47 quiet and careful
12 no	12 no	12 strong, difficult	48 her brother, Edward
13 H	13 28 July 1531	13 Anne	49 wild, dangerous
14 old letters	14 lonely, unhappy	14 talk	50 lived in palaces
15 bird, second	15 yes	15 noise	51 yes
16 necklace, hair	16 wife, mother	16 Uncle William	52 Henry's daughters
17 yes	17 yes	17 news	53 listen
18 1	18 no	18 Anne	54 no
19 5	19 divorce	19 6	55 no
20 True	20 False	20 6 fingers	56 yes
21 second daughter	21 False	21 5	57 yes
22 2	22 no	22 beheaded	58 a piece of hair
23 Tower of London	23 about 10 years ago	23 brother	59 22 October 1537
24 enemies, lovers	24 no	24 True	60 eat, burns, dead
25 1	25 True	25 False	61 given H a son
26 yes	26 the King	26 Uncle William	62 Edward
27 soon after he was born	27 Pope, Catholics	27 1536, beheaded	63 happy life for son
28 fourth	28 a son	28 very afraid, lonely	64 a piece of hair
29 no	29 1	29 calm	65 3 days, 2 nights
30 no	30 fighting, killing	30 5	66 12, soon
31 clever, riding, playing, wrote, voice	31 no	31 enemies	67 yes
32 no	32 Anne Boleyn	32 be kind to daughter	68 True
33 back inside the box	33 no	33 a gold necklace	69 Windsor
34 next day		34 help her remember	70 Henry
		35 pray, forgive	71 Uncle William
		36 sword, France	72 False
		37 True	
		38 brother	
		39 no	

5 Anne of Cleves	6 Katherine Howard	7 Catherine Parr	
33 Uncle William	35 5th wife	52 terrible	88 1547, months, 15
34 ugly	36 wanted another son	53 no	89 1
35 a horse	37 Queen Anne's	54 31	90 True
36 yes	Palace	55 no	91 True
37 sad, lonely	38 18	56 no	92 just before his 16th
38 a second son	39 beautiful flower	57 friend, nurse,	birthday
39 no	40 gold and jewels	mother, three	93 5 years
40 Germany	41 no	58 yes	94 Spain
41 beautiful, young,	42 old and famous	59 dancing	95 no
clever	43 yes	60 Henry	96 people who were
42 True	44 yes, at first	61 killing people	not Catholics
43 the French	45 no	62 fat and ugly	97 45 years
44 True	46 49	63 presents, Palace	98 yes
45 True	47 potato	64 True	99 no
46 no	48 bad leg	65 marry the King	100 False
47 yes	49 when his leg hurt	66 no	101 when Elizabeth died
48 no	50 King's wife	67 became angry	102 a Scottish King
49 no	51 no	68 Tower, England,	
50 no	52 no	agree, angry	
51 yes	53 True	69 no	
52 yes	54 tall and handsome	70 no	
53 no	55 False	71 yes	
54 6 months	56 at night	72 friendly, games,	
55 no	57 no	studies, languages	
56 yes	58 church	73 no	
57 20 July 1540	59 put him in prison	74 flowers	
58 brother, 500, Palace	60 sent her to the Tower	75 Thomas Seymour	
59 no	61 11 February 1541	76 three weeks	
60 England	62 yes	77 yes	
61 yes	63 20	78 no	
62 trouble, divorce	64 afraid	79 Jane Seymour	
63 Uncle William	65 H to take her away	80 Thomas	
64 smiled, room	66 in two days	81 yes	
	67 die, live	82 9	
	68 no	83 often ill	
		84 no	
		85 yes	
		86 6 wives	
		87 nothing	

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