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BENJAMIN BRITTEN (1913-1976)

## GLORIANA A FILM

with Josephine Barstow and Tom Randle

Phyllida Lloyd's adaptation for film of the opera which Benjamin Britten wrote for the celebrations of the Queen's coronation in 1953, based on the Opera North revival of a work now recognised to be one of the composer's great achievements. Paul Daniel conducts the English Northern Sinfonia, with a cast led by Josephine Barstow and Tom Randle as Elizabeth I and Essex.

Sung in English with English, French, German, Spanish & Italian subtitles.

Queen Elizabeth I Josephine Barstow  
 Earl of Essex Tom Randle  
 Lady Essex Emer McGilloway  
 Lord Mountjoy David Ellis  
 Lady Rich Susannah Glanville  
 Sir Robert Cecil Eric Roberts  
 Sir Walter Raleigh Clive Bayley

Chorus of Opera North  
 English Northern Philharmonia  
 Conductor Paul Daniel

## EXTRA FEATURES

- Cast Gallery
- Interviews with Josephine Barstow  
Phyllida Lloyd  
Tom Randle  
Paul Daniel

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 GLORIANA

Phyllida Lloyd's film version of Britten's opera  
 with Josephine Barstow as Elizabeth I  
 conducted by Paul Daniel

*"I am a woman, though I be a Queen"*

ALL REGIONS

SUBTITLES: ENGLISH, FRANÇAIS, DEUTSCH,  
 ESPAÑOL, ITALIANO



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