

ELIZABETH I

TUDOR

1533-1603

Elizabeth was born at Greenwich in  
1533



Elizabeth I, the last of the Tudor monarchs, was a daughter of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn.





Elizabeth I became queen at the age of twenty-five years old.



On January 15, 1559, Elizabeth was crowned Queen by bishop of Carlisle at Westminster Abbey.



People often called her Good Queen  
Bess.





During Elizabeth's reign England became a great sea power.



# England defeated the Invincible Armada.





Elizabeth effectively placed the church under control of the crown this merging religious and political power in her person.



The Elizabethan age was one of the greatest periods of English literature.



- William Shakespeare



- Christopher Marlowe



Elizabeth's court became a centre of culture for English musicians, poets, scholars and artists.



Her reign also saw the first colonization or “planting” of new land in North America and the colony of Virginia was named for her.





Elizabeth had been queen for almost 45 years, surviving numerous obstacles and conspiracies.

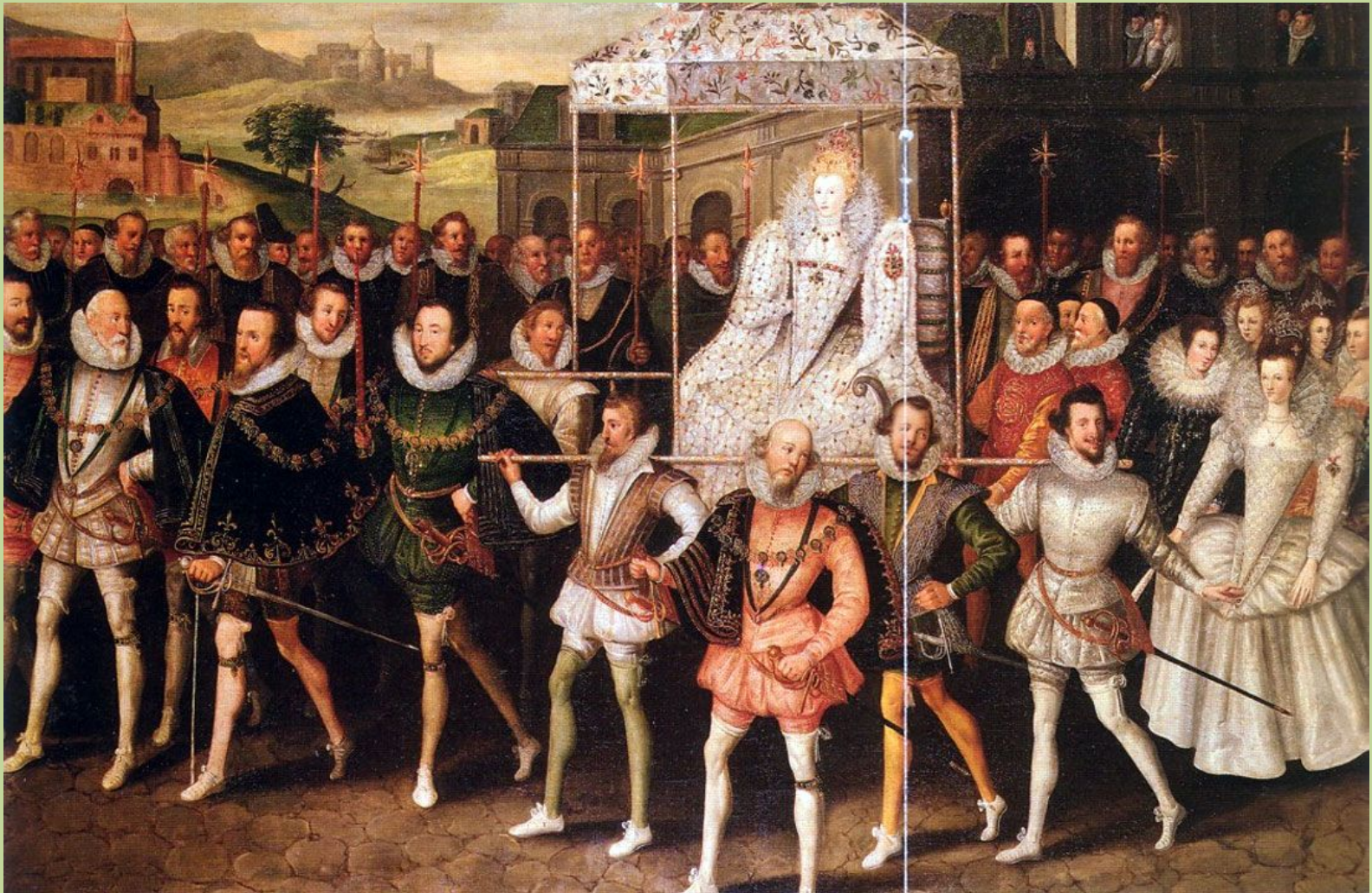


Her tomb can be visited in Westminster Abbey where Elizabeth rests alongside her half-sister Queen Mary I.





The English were proud of their country and their queen.



One of her mottos was “ I see, and say nothing”

