### AQUITAINE – THE FORTUNE AND THE WILL

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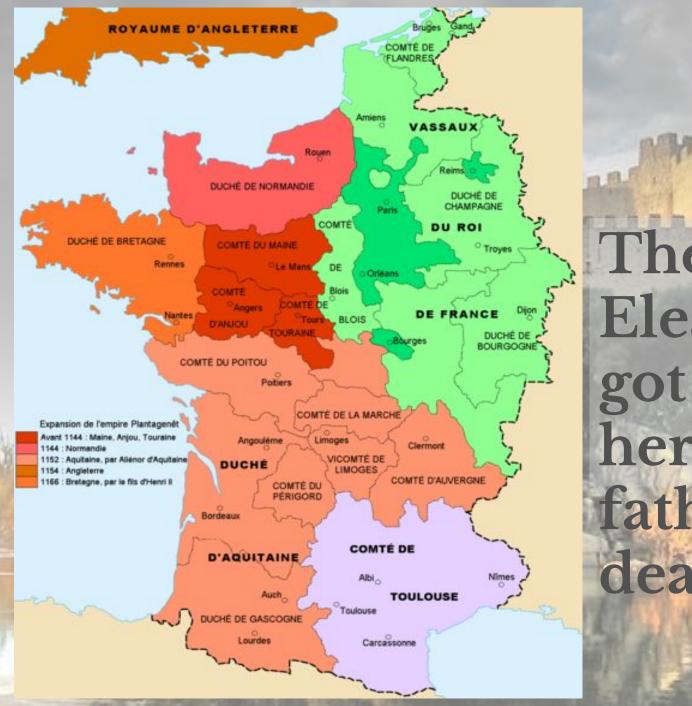
### Introduction

**Eleanor of** Aquitaine – the Queen of two countries - England and France.

### Childhood



**TROUBADOURS -Provencal poets-singers XI-XIII** centuries. They made songs and poems about courtly love of knights and pleasures of life. The word "troubadour" came from Provencal "trobar" - to find, compose verses.



The lands Eleanor got after her father's death.

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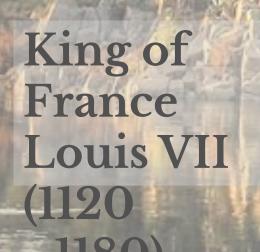
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1137



Eleanor, Duchess of Aquitaine (1122 – 1204)



In 1144 The French and Germans started

#### Marie Capet (1145 – 1198)

Alix of France (1151 –

### **Queen of** England Marri ed 18 May 1152

King of England Henry II (1133 – 1189)

Eleanor, Duchess of Aquitaine (1122 – 1204)



King of England Henry II (1133 – 1189)

Matilda, Duchess of Saxony (1156 – 1189)

Richard I the Lionheart (1157 – 1199)

Joan, Queen of Sicily (1165 – 1199) Eleanor, Queen of Castile (1162 – 1214)

William IX

(1153 -

1156)





Eleanor, Duchess of Aquitaine (1122 – 1204)

> Henry the Young King (N55 – 1183)

> > John of England (1167 – 1216)

Geoffrey II, Duke of Brittany (1158 – 1186)

The legend says that Eleanor ordered to give Rosamond some poison.

King's mistress Rosamond was very young and beautiful.

### The queen's





King of England Richard I

## Conclusion



#### **House of Plantagenet**





