Princess Diana



Diana was born in 1961, into a very wealthy and aristocratic family. Her ancestors acquired the title of earl from king Charles I in the 17^{th century.} For the next three centuries they felt comfortable at the royal court, holding various positions and bearing

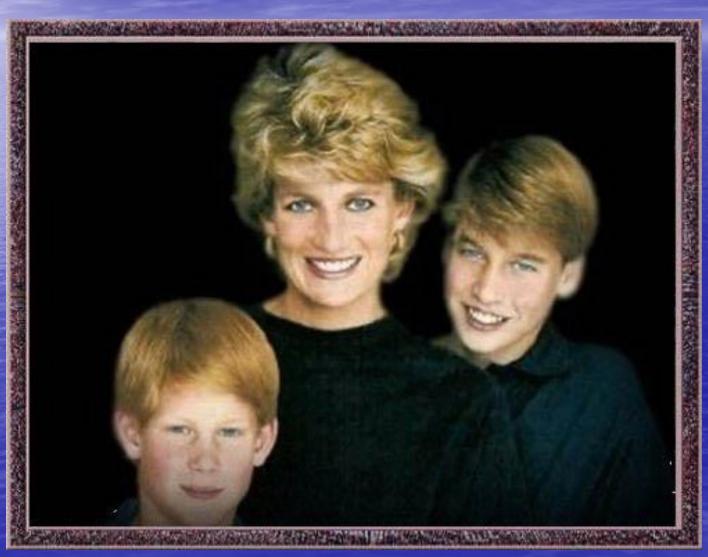
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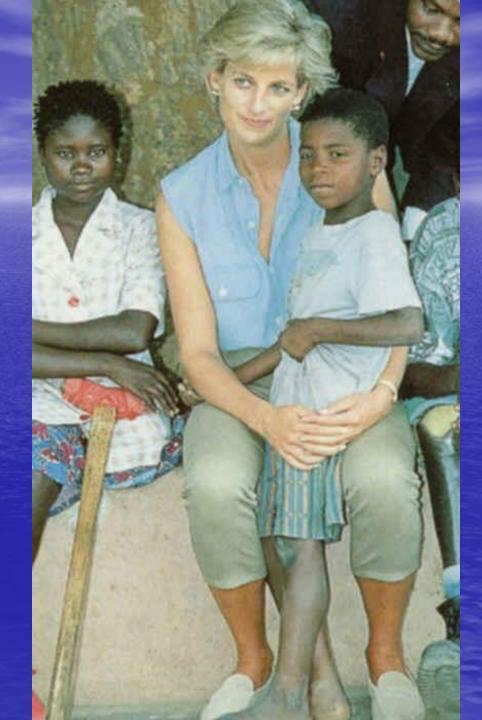
In 1980 Diana appeared on the world stage as the future bride of Charles, the next king of England. They married on July 29, 1981 in St. Paul's Cathedral in London.



Even though they had two children, William and Harry, Diana and Charles soon became unhappy together.



Diana was a very modern woman who enjoyed pop music, romantic novels and charity work. Charles enjoyed many different interests, but their age difference and mentalities clashed. After a very public separation in 1989, an equally public divorce followed in 1996.



As a single woman
Diana put all of her energy into her two sons and her charity work









In 1997 she started a romance with Dodi Fayed, son of the owner of Harrods. Soon after the two were tragically killed in a car crash in Paris. She was a very English Rose, whose early death stunned a nation into silence.

As her brother said at her funeral, she was "the unique, the complex, the extraordinary and irreplaceable Diana, whose beauty, both internal and external, will never be extinguished from our minds."



















