



Bickleigh Castle  
An English Historical Landmark

# Weddings

A rare opportunity to walk in the footsteps of the English Monarchy



“A perfect venue, lovely setting and wonderful people. Amazing. Stunning. Beautiful. Thank you.”



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“1080s Bickleigh Castle was listed in the Domesday Book (1086) and the lands of some 3000 acres subsequently granted to Sir Richard de Redvers by King William I. A substantial Norman fortress was built, which included an inner and outer keep, moat and castellations.”



Located in 65 acres of beautiful Devon countryside, Bickleigh Castle is the perfect wedding venue for all seasons.

Bickleigh Castle offers stunning countryside views, set in manicured grounds around a pretty courtyard and surrounded by a moat, the magnificent Castle with its beautiful Italian gates offers the perfect historic backdrop. This most impressive and historical estate is one of the leading Castle Wedding venues in the UK and is the perfect location for your dream wedding.



For more information or to book your own private tour, please contact us on: 01884 855 363 | email: [info@bickleighcastle.com](mailto:info@bickleighcastle.com) | [bickleighcastle.com](http://bickleighcastle.com)

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“The birds are singing, the River Exe is whooshing and the trees are quietly rustling while you’re exchanging vows to become Husband and Wife”



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“The Chapel was originally a Saxon meeting house, first built in the 6th Century, and was the parish church until the 1400s, after which it was the estate chapel. During the 19th Century it was used as a cattle shed, before being restored in 1929. It was reconsecrated in 1933 by the Bishop of Exeter.”



Your own private kingdom...

Bickleigh Castle estate covers over 65 acres of beautiful Devon scenery and so photo opportunities are around every corner. Manicured striped lawns and flower beds bursting with colour meet seamlessly with paddling ducks in our ancient Moat flanking the Castle. The walled garden is a hidden gem and the Knot garden walk is an enjoyable stroll - perfect for a moment by yourselves.



“We had the day of our lives. It was a perfect Wedding...  
Just simply magical”



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“Queen Henrietta Maria (wife of King Charles 1, known to the people as ‘Queen Mary’) stayed at Bickleigh Castle in 1644 as a guest of Sir Henry Carew, Kt., & Lady Dorothy, on her way to stay with Lord Russell at Bedford House in Exeter, where she gave birth to her youngest daughter, Princess Henrietta Anne (‘Minette’), christened in the Cathedral 21st July 1644.”



Walking down the aisle will be a treasured memory for the rest of your life, so making the most of it is essential.

Whether you are outside in our beautiful gardens nestled aside the River Exe, walking down through our grand historic Great Hall, or stepping back in time and embracing our centuries old romantic Chapel, we have an array of wonderful ceremony options from intimate to grand.



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“With your own floral displays enhancing the neutral shades and natural light cascading through our leaded lancet windows, Bickleigh Castle weddings are a truly magical back drop to your Wedding day.”



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“1400s King Henry VII’s great-aunt, Lady Margaret Beaufort, sister of the Duke of Somerset and spouse of Thomas Courtenay, 5th Earl of Devon, lived at Tiverton and Bickleigh Castle.”



A Castle Celebration...

From banquets in our Great Hall to pizzas in the Knot gardens, you can have your wedding breakfast wherever your imagination takes you. All our food is sourced locally (some from our walled gardens), and our Castle head chef is adept at catering for all tastes, cultures or themes. Whether you choose our beautiful oak beamed wedding breakfast room or our light and airy new Orangery and Bar.



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“An amazing location, everyone had a great time and the fireworks were amazing”



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“There is a secret, completely sealed, room next to the Armoury – it is currently one of the Castle’s mysteries – what is inside? Lord Lucan? Gold? Secrets of the Crown? Perhaps we will find out one day.”



Exclusively yours...

Bickleigh Castle is your own private estate for your big day. Including comfortable accommodation for up to 40 of your friends and family, a choice of flexible spaces both indoor and out plus fine food and impeccable service. We simply cannot wait to help you create the Wedding day of your dreams. It really is the time to party like kings and queens of old!



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"There is an original suit of armour made for and worn by King Charles I. It came to Bickleigh when Queen Henrietta Maria visited as a guest of Sir Henry Carew and is from her baggage train which stayed behind when she had to leave the country."

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