

## Queen Philippa Of Hainhault

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Born: 24 Jun 1311 in Mons, Dordogne, Aquitaine, France

Married: King Edward III of England

Died: 15 Aug 1369 in Windsor, Berkshire, England

Parents: William the Good D'Arvesnes & Jeanne de Valois

Queen Philippa of Hainault was the wife of Edward III. The tomb is of marble by *Hennequin de Liege*. Most of the weepers have been lost. The effigy is of alabaster - almost certainly a portrait. (compare the idealized effigy of Eleanor) Again the scepter, which has been held in the right hand has been lost. The columns at the side of the effigy formerly contained small figures. The tomb is covered by a wooden canopy. An iron grille, from St Paul's Cathedral, formerly protected the tomb. There were originally seventy figures made by *John Orchard of London*, bronze worker who also erected and repaired the grille.



[http://www.churchmonumentsociety.org/London\\_Westminster.html#Philippa\\_of\\_Hainhault\\_\(d.1369\)](http://www.churchmonumentsociety.org/London_Westminster.html#Philippa_of_Hainhault_(d.1369))