## Who Was Joan Of Arc

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Joan was born to a propertied peasant family at Domrémy in northeast France. In 1428, she requested to be taken to Charles VII, later testifying that she was guided by visions from the archangel Michael, Saint Margaret, and Saint Catherine to help him save France from English domination. Convinced of her devotion and purity, Charles sent Joan, who was about seventeen...

## Cultural depictions of Joan of Arc

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In this article, many of the excluded items are derivative of better known representations. For instance, Friedrich Schiller's 1801 play The Maid of Orleans inspired at least 82 different dramatic works during the nineteenth century, and Verdi's and Tchaikovsky's operatic adaptations are still recorded and performed. Most of the others survive only...

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Danish director Dreyer was invited to make a film in France by the Société Générale des Films and chose to make a film about Joan of Arc due to her renewed popularity in France. Dreyer spent over a year researching Joan of Arc and the transcripts of her trial...

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The purpose of the retrial was to investigate whether the trial of condemnation and its verdict had been handled justly and according to ecclesiastical law. Investigations started in 1452, and a formal appeal followed in November 1455. On 7 July 1456, the original trial was judged to be invalid due to improper procedures, deceit, and fraud, and the charges against Joan were nullified.

Equestrian statue of Joan of Arc (Washington, D.C.)

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Joan of Arc is a 1922 cast of the 1896 statue sculpted by French artist Paul Dubois. It is located in the center of the grand terrace at Meridian Hill Park, an urban park in Washington, D.C. The bronze statue rests on a granite base designed by McKim, Mead & White. It depicts French heroine, patron saint, and national symbol Joan of Arc riding into battle, wielding a sword as she looks towards the sky. It is the only equestrian statue in Washington, D.C., which depicts a woman. It is one of several public artworks in the park. The statue is owned and maintained by the National Park Service, an agency of the United States Department of the Interior.

The statue was a gift of the Society of Women of France of New York (Société des Femmes de France de New York). The dedication ceremony took place...

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The Messenger portrays the story of Joan of Arc, the French war heroine and religious martyr of the Hundred Years' War. It begins with young Joan as she witnesses the atrocities of the English against her family, and she has visions that inspire her to lead the French in battle against the occupying English. Her success in routing the English allows Charles VII to take the throne. Eventually, Joan is captured by the English, tried and executed for heresy.

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Joan of Arc (disambiguation)

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Joan of Arc may also refer to:

Canonization of Joan of Arc

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St Joan of Arc's Church, Farnham

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