

# Shakespearian Theatre

1. Preposition
2. Object Of The Preposition
3. Verb - Past Tense
4. Noun
5. Noun - Plural
6. Noun - Plural
7. Noun - Plural
8. Adjective
9. Noun
10. Pronoun
11. Reflective Pronoun
12. Number
13. Verb - Past Tense
14. Verb - Past Tense
15. Noun
16. Preposition
17. Object Of The Preposition
18. Adjective - Ends In Est
19. Infinitive
20. Verb - Present Ends In Ing
21. Prepositional Phrase
22. Adjective
23. Verb - Past Tense



# Shakespearian Theatre

William Shakespeare was born \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Preposition</sup> \_\_\_\_\_<sup>object of the preposition</sup>, England in 1564. He married a woman by the name of Anne Hathaway in 1583, and had 3 children. (One set of twins.) Shakespeare is \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Verb - Past Tense</sup> to have written his first \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun</sup>, Henry VIII (Part I), in 1589.

Shakespeare is credited with writing 37 \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun - Plural</sup> and 154 \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun - Plural</sup>. Many \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun - Plural</sup> believe that Shakespeare may have taken the works of a playwright by the name of Christopher Marlowe, as their writing is very similar and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Adjective</sup> \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun</sup>, or blank verse, is the measure of choice in both.

The Globe Theatre was the home of Shakespeare's plays and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Pronoun</sup> company The Lord Chamberlain's Men during the Elizabethan Era. The queen \_\_\_\_\_<sup>reflective pronoun</sup> was one of Shakespeare's number \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Number</sup> fans. When a play was going to be \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Verb - Past Tense</sup> in the theatre, a flag was \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Verb - Past Tense</sup> on the roof -- black for tragedy, white for comedy, and red of \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun</sup>. The play took place rain or shine. The "heavens", a ceiling \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Preposition</sup> the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>object of the preposition</sup>, was used to protect the actors from the elements. An upper stage, above the heavens, was used for the balcony scenes.

The globe had many places to sit, or stand, and watch the show. The \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Adjective - Ends in EST</sup> place was in the open yard. It would cost one penny \_\_\_\_\_<sup>infinitive</sup> here, and those who stood here were nicknamed the groundlings,

or better yet, the stinkards. These people clearly smelled poorly, and also participated in cheering, shouting, and

\_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Present ends in ING snacks at the actors. \_\_\_\_\_ Prepositional phrase were the galleries, these were a bit

more expensive and a patron could rent a cushion for the show for an additional penny. Directly above and

behind the stage was the Lord's rooms surrounded by the Gentleman's rooms. These were for \_\_\_\_\_ Adjective

guests. People sat here to be seen and not to see.

The original Globe Theatre \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense down on June 29, 1613, when "special effect" sounds created

by an actual canon, misfired during a performance of Henry VIII. The theatre was not rebuilt until 1997, 200

yards from the \_\_\_\_\_ Noun.