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A short biography of some of Europe's most loved and hated Monarchs - Pt 3 King George II

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Summary:

During the last thousand years, European Monarchs have ruled Europe and the world with an iron

These members of royalty have included tyrants, the mentally insane, drunks and the psychotic,

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Article Body:

King Ludwig II of Bavaria, named after his grandfather, was born in Nymphenburg Castle outside

In 1858, at the age of thirteen, Ludwig was introduced to Wagner's opera - Lohengrin, the stor

In March of 1864, his father died at the age of 53 and Ludwig, at the age of eighteen, became

Munich society began to grow weary of Wagner's arrogance and were also increasingly jealous of

In 1866 war broke out between Austria and Prussia in what became known as the Seven Weeks War.

Ludwig was to marry in August of 1867 but he was unhappy with the relationship so changed the

In November, King Ludwig II broke of his engagement fleeing to his beloved Alps. He wrote to W

It was at this point that Ludwig began to plan and build his castles. The task of being king w

Ludwig was a changed person. He went from a slender youth to a huge man in just a few years, s

Shortly after Prussia's victory in the Franco-Prussian War, Bismark sought Ludwig's approval f

I hope you have enjoyed reading about King Ludwing II.

In my next article will learn about the life of Queen Mary I of England or as she was nickname

Unitl then,

Best wishes and have a great day

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