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### Saints And Relics In Anglo

#### **Royal Feuds and the Politics of Sanctity in Anglo-Saxon ...**

I Saints and Politics in Anglo-Saxon England and Ottonian Saxony The political uses of saints in Anglo-Saxon England and Ottonian Saxony shared many similarities Both the Anglo-Saxon and Ottonian kings held relics in high regard, using them as currency in ...

#### **SAINTS, STRUCTURES AND SPIRITUALITY**

take us to the heart of Anglo-Saxon society, culture and mentalité, including the cult of Saints, many drawn from royal and high aristocratic kinships Saints and relics were a tangible force in the early medieval world, reflecting the standing and prestige of church, region, and kingdom There was a real equation between saints' cults

#### **The concept of territory in the late Anglo-Saxon and Early ...**

THE CONCEPT OF TERRITORY IN THE LATE ANGLO-SAXON AND EARLY MEDIEVAL CULT OF SAINTS IN ENGLAND by CARWYN HYWEL MORRIS A thesis submitted to The Cult of Saints, the practice of venerating holy figures and their relics, and the events that surround such worship, was widespread in Anglo-Saxon and Medieval England It was a cultural phenomenon

#### **Lists of saints' resting-places in Anglo-Saxon England**

Lists of saints' resting-places in Anglo-Saxon England not be given with certainty, but Eadburg (9) may have been the early-eighth-century abbess of Repton mentioned in Felix's Life Guthlac of St 1 and Dioma (17)2 may have been Diuma, the seventh-century missionary and bishop of the Mercians mentioned by Bede3 Wihtburb (CCCC 201; 6) is unlikely to have

#### **Relics in text and space: forging relationships between ...**

system of posthumous patronage using saints' relics10 We will examine the interconnected roles of hagiography and saints' relics in enabling such

patronage The lives of Leoba and Boniface are also inextricably linked: both raised in Anglo-Saxon monasteries and related by blood, the two seem to have enjoyed a special 10 P

### **Winchester's Lesser Known Saints**

The saints were, at the same time, alongside God in heaven and accessible on earth through tombs and reliquaries The historian Peter Brown explains: "This was because the saint in Heaven was believed to be "present" at his tomb on earth" The tombs of saints thus became "non-graves" where bones and other relics

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Lists of saints' resting-places in Anglo-Saxon England D W ROLLASON Very few of the saints and relics in this first half of the Secgan were translated to the specified resting-places later than the end of the ninth century: the only instances are Oswald's body (5), which reached Gloucester in 909, 11

### **In a Class of their own, Anglo-saxon Female Saints**

In a Class of their own, Anglo-saxon Female Saints Never has there been a period in English history during which sainthood flourished to such a degree as in the 7th - 11th centuries Some 240 Anglo-Saxon men and women were revered as saints This article will focus on the female Anglo-Saxon saints, who constituted about one third of the total

### **Understanding the Church's Past: Usuard's Martyrology in ...**

guished them from their Anglo-Saxon and Byzantine contemporaries She thus highlighted the significance of Ado's martyrology as both a historical text and a geographic one: a form of »hagio-historio-geography« Like Bede, Ado located individual saints' relics at a particular

### **The cults of murdered royal saints in Anglo-Saxon England**

The cults of murdered royal saints in Anglo-Saxon England D W ROLLASON Murder by fellow Christians for secular motives may seem to us an improbable qualification for sanctity<sup>1</sup> To the Anglo-Saxons, however, the matter evidently appeared differently, for several members of pre-Conquest

### **The Bones of St. Cuthbert: Defining a Saint's Cult in ...**

Local Cults in Anglo-Saxon England," in Local Saints and Local Churches in the Early Medieval West , ed Alan Thacker and Richard Sharpe (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2002), 486; Charles Freeman, Holy Bones, Holy Dust: How Relics Shaped the History of Medieval Europe (New

### ***Cynthia Turner Camp*, Anglo-Saxon Saints ...**

Anglo-Saxon Saints' Lives as History Writing in Late Medieval England Cynthia Turner Camp Cambridge: D S Brewer, 2015 Pp xiv+246 This book partakes in the remarkable bloom of hagiographical scholarship concerning the Middle Ages that has occurred over the last thirty years Its author uses a historical approach in order to examine mostly

### **"THE KINGDOM OF THE ENGLISH IS OF GOD": THE EFFECTS ...**

Thus, the Anglo-Saxon cult of the saints, although anxious to appear "correct" in the Roman way, was also intensely tied to English ethnic and national identity Most of the Anglo-Saxon saints were also of noble or royal blood, tying the Anglo-Saxon royal line before the Norman Conquest in closely with the cult of the saints in England

### **SAINTS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH - Pastoral Planning**

Catholic Faith, Life, & Creed | Saints | 20 | Page 7 In other words, the Church believed (and still believes) that martyrs and saints went straight to God upon their death Their lives were examples of virtue and holiness In addition to martyrs and saints, the cult of saints includes "confessors"

### **The Anglo-Catholic Vision - Duquesne University**

sustained by the prayers of the saints, the promises of Scripture, and the fleshly spirituality of the Mass But by the sixteenth century, the Catholic vision had been so obscured that the Church in western Europe was convulsed by religious revolution The common root from which all Anglo ...

### **The Impact of the Anglo-Norman Conquest on ...**

The Impact of the Anglo-Norman Conquest on Hagiography in Wales and Ireland References and further reading §1 Appearance of Welsh-Latin hagiography linked to Norman Conquest General remarks on this are quite frequent Two more detailed statements are: J Reuben Davies, 'The saints of south Wales and the Welsh church', Local Saints and Local

#### **1. Ælfric's Letter for Wulfsig, bishop of Sherborne ...**

1 Ælfric's Letter for Wulfsig, bishop of Sherborne Cited in Wilcox, Ælfric's Prefaces, p 20 Se mæssepreost sceal secgan Sunnandagum and mæssedagum þæs godspelles angyt on englisc þam folce... Crist cwæð on his godspelle, be unsnoterum lareowum: Cecus si ...

### **The Anglo-Saxons**

64 The Anglo-Saxons: Synthesis and Achievement appeal throughout the Latin empire<sup>1</sup> The doctrinal perversity of the British may have given God good reason to contemplate their extinc-tion, as Bede would certainly believe<sup>2</sup> Instead, in his mercy, God sent St Germanus from Gaul for their correction

### **Proposal for a Thesis in Partial Fulfillment of the ...**

context, their bodies and body parts are both relics and focuses of devotion Scholars who have taken interest in the imagery of the body in these particular vitae have approached it from multiple perspectives, and frequently that approach depends on the gender of the saint The two male saints are often examined against the backdrop of war

### **Furta Sacra - Project MUSE**

Shifting tastes in relics were accurately reflected in the vari-eties offered by these thieves In the ninth century, Caro-lingians wanted Roman and Italian martyrs Thus Deusdona provided Roman saints, while other Frankish thieves operat-ing in Italy dealt in saints not only from Rome but from as ...