

# British Tea Culture

From Victoria to Elizabeth II

“Each cup of tea represents an  
imaginary voyage.” Catherine Douzel

Princess Catherine  
of Braganza  
(1638-1705)  
Charles II



princess  
Braganza  
from  
she brought the  
drinking tea to

England.

# England



(1714) became the

during the

Queen Anne from

the Queen

chose tea over the traditional

# Queen Victoria (1819–1901)



Henry  
James

wrote:

"There are  
few hours  
in life  
more

agreeable

to be



# Victorian Tea Party



# Anna, the seventh Duchess of Bedford 1783-18

It was she, Anna  
Maria, one of the  
Queen Victoria's  
ladies-  
in-waiting, who  
first started the  
tradition of the  
afternoon tea.

"Tea is instant  
wisdom - just add  
a bit of sugar!" - Anna



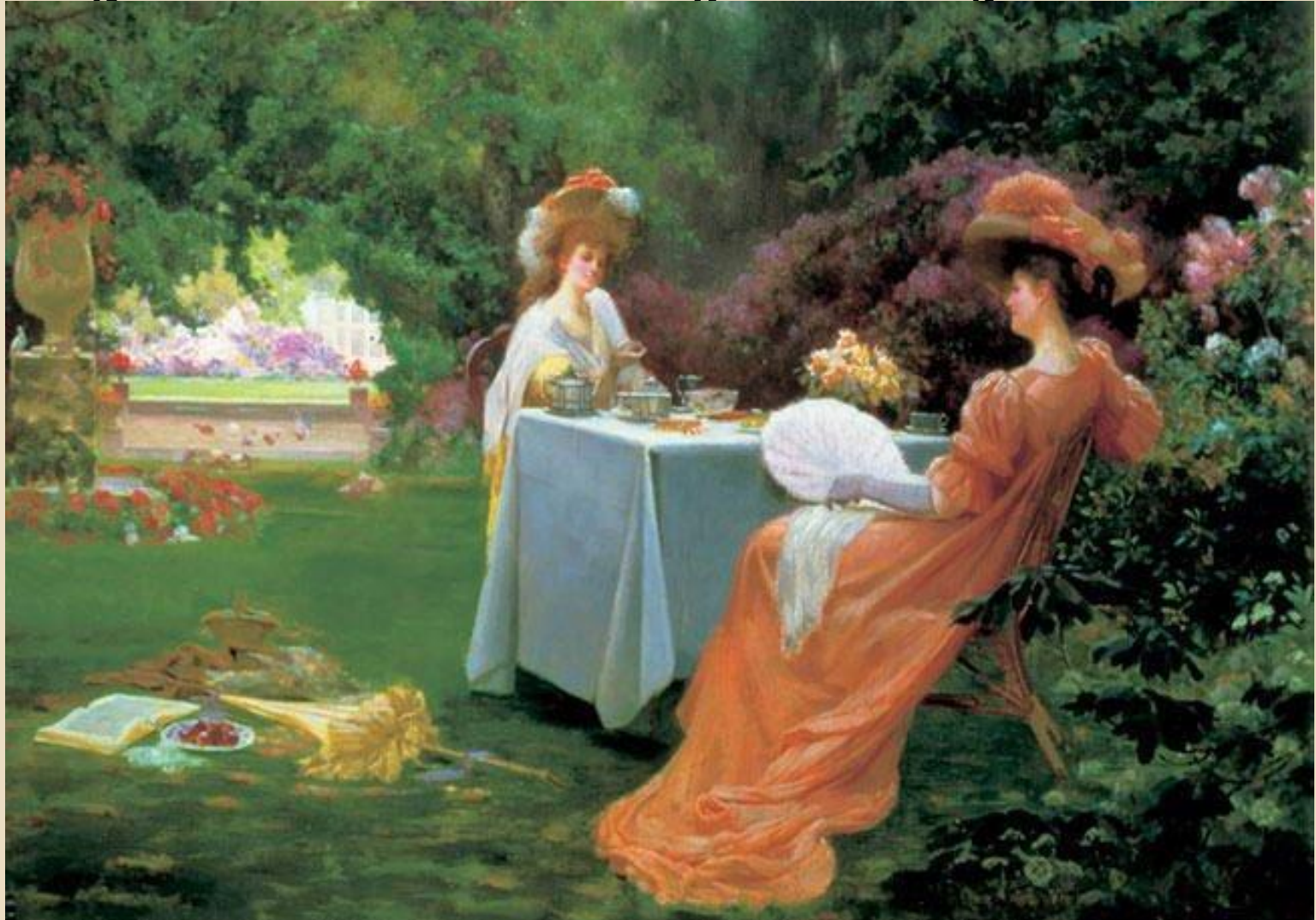




*This*

*led to the English is really a  
picnic indoors*

# Teatime in the garden" by Alfred





# Emma Hamilton (1638–1705)

- Lord Nelson, v
- Napoleon, met t
- Emma, at a Tea
- George Romney
- Emma Hamil



# Tea cups



with a handle



• A cup without

# Wedgewood China





# *Spode China*



# Royal Doulton China



# Tea party guide.

- 1. Afternoon tea
- (low tea).
- 2. High tea.



- "Tea, is a cup of life." (Proverb)



# Afternoon T



# Battenberg

- No cake is m
  - British tha
  - Battenberg
- 
- The Queen's
  - is Mountbat
  - Battenberg





# High Tea.





# Tea Party invitations.



Tea  
parties are

a  
great and receive!

of pleasure  
You

in  
invitations

(or  
) for your

# Invitations.



please join us for

## *Summer Tea Time!*

saturday, august 13th

1:00 in the afternoon

lily's tea pad

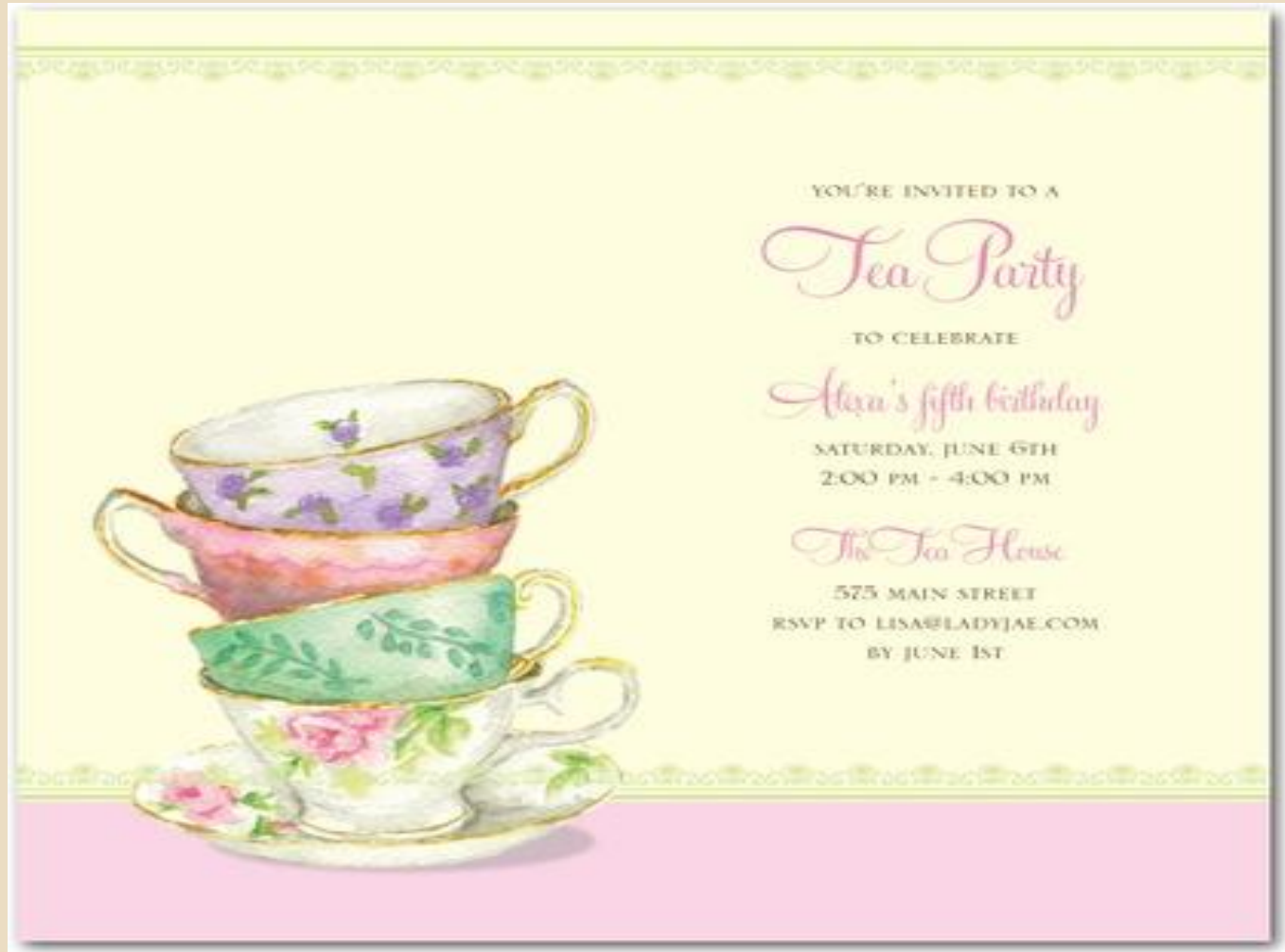
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# Invitations.



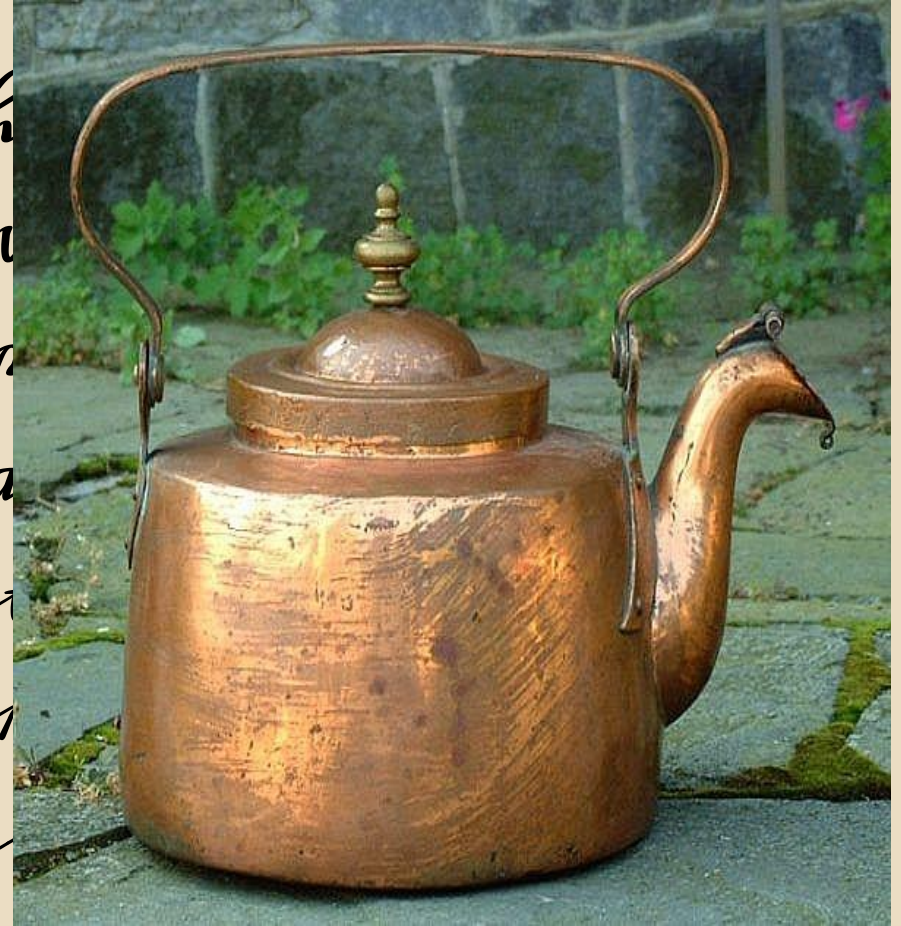


# Invitations.



# Copper kettle.

- Tea pot is on, the
- 
- Favourite chair
- 
- No matter what
- My friend, then
- time for



Yorkshire  
favourite tea  
brand



ing



ange

breakfast

•

Carl Grey



# Original English

spots



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# Original English tea



# *Original English teapots*





# *Original English teapots*



# *Original English teapots.*



# *Original English teapots.*



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# *Original English teapots.*



# *Tea cosy.*

- *A Tea Cosy*
- *a sweater for*
- *teapot.*



# *Tea cosy.*





# *Tea cosy.*



# *It's always teatime.*





# Kinds of tea.

English tea -



ne's tea

”

there is hope.



# *Kinds of tea.*



*Russian tea*

*tea in*

*ble of*

- *understanding truth*

# Tea party at Buckingham



Each year

ens

to

host three afternoon tea

•

parties, each attended by

# *The Royal invitation.*



*The Lord Chamberlain is  
commanded by Her Majesty to invite*

.....  
.....*Mr. and Mrs.*.....*Mason*.....  
.....

*to a Garden Party  
at Buckingham Palace  
on Tuesday, 25th July 2000 from 4 to 6 pm*

*This card does not admit*



# *The Royal invitations.*



*The Lord Chamberlain is  
commanded by Her Majesty to invite*

*Mr. Andrew Petcher  
and Miss Sally Petcher*

*to a Garden Party  
at Buckingham Palace  
on Tuesday, 15th July 2008 from 4 to 6 pm*

*This card does not admit*

*Tea party dress.*



# Tea tent in the Royal Gardens.





# Tea with the



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# *A tea bag and a Battenberg cake.*





# Tea with the Queen

- Taking a different
- Royal circulates
- guests.

- At 6 p. m. the Que
- Royal family dep
- Palace.





# Conclusion.

- "When you're feeling blue
- And have no clue what to do
- Sit down and have a cup of tea
- And a hug or two or three.
- Feel those troubles melt away
- And start you on a better day."
- Paulette.

