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A PORTRAIT OF WINCHESTER

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Winchester, the county town of Hampshire and once the capital of England, remains one of the country's most beautiful and historic cities. Every corner seems to present a striking image of its past. Here are all the elements that contribute to our sense of history: a castle, gateways, ruins, winding streets, ancient churches and quiet cloisters set in a wooded valley with river and meadows. Yet Winchester remains an active and bustling commercial and business centre, at the leading-edge of twenty-first century life, seat of local government and public services and a vibrant focus for the arts and education.

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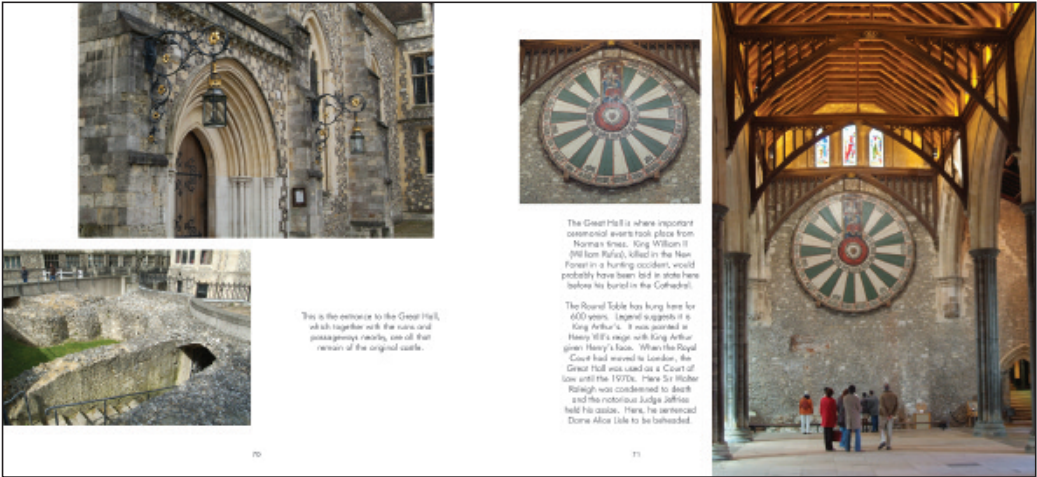


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King Alfred

Climbing to the top of the Westgate, this is the view looking east across the City to St Giles' Hill.



Winchester College



The God Begot House



Wolvesey can be seen from St Giles' Hill.



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