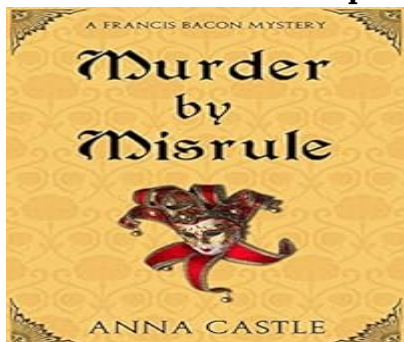


Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) By Anna Castle **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Bacon here is at Gray's Inn where he trying to advance his position but is inhibited by his age and by the fact that he has gotten himself into trouble at court by his suggestions for reform. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The mystery or rather series is named after Bacon but it is the pupils who do most of the work; to add to it Bacon while presented as highly intelligent and rather arrogant about it seems too quick to jump to conclusions simply to close the case as fast as he can which isn't to my mind in keeping with his supposed intelligence. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) Why wouldn't the man known to have used the inductive reasoning for his scientific method solve crimes in his spare times? Presumably that's the premise behind this book the first in series. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** This isn't even my first historical mystery but the thing is it appears that nearly all of them are series and series I don't care for all that commitment and predictability. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Anyway this one is set in 1586 when after displeasing Elizabeth I with his impudence Frank (why not go for the familiar) is staying below the radar until he's given a murder to solve and then another and another. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Being a logical man he delegates a good chunk of the crime solving to his mentees young students of law very much concerned with the sort of thing most youngsters are concerned with irrespective of the day and age. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** There are also some real historical personage making appearances throughout the book but it is largely fictitious with the author even manipulating the well known facts to fit within the narrative. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) Elizabethan life and times certainly make for all kinds of outstanding books as there seems to be a never-ending supply of ideas intrigues and mysteries from which to write historical novels or imagine (yes I made up a word) stories. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** I particularly like many of the mystery novels springing up based in this time period and Murder by Misrule a book in Anna Castle's Francis Bacon Mystery Series is certainly one that can take a front row shelf. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** When a murder occurs he senses this to be an opportunity to increase his value but as someone who likes to remain home due to his backward personality (and since he needs time to read) he sends his law pupils out to solve the mystery namely Tom Clarady the son of a privateer. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** However everyone it seems has their own agenda every characters that Castle introduces their own intricate web they are weaving in order to get what they want or cover up what they don't want found. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I've enjoyed these types of English mysteries since I first read Agatha Christie as a teenager then moved on to Sherlock Holmes but Castle was able to create a novel that resembled this type of mystery while changing up the plot and structure so that it was also totally unique. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** She was able to cover the paranoia and social turmoil of this era as well within her plot so that she created a well-rounded well-researched well-plotted and well-detailed novel that takes your mind back in time to decipher a puzzle for which she created twists turns and surprises. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Everything is explained in detail from the nod of a head to elaborate bows and court dress and no character is allowed independent thought or action without narrator interference and justifications - quite like hearing stage directions in ones ear. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** 5[A lively & engaging tale although the author did try to pack too much of her research into this tale - it was as though Ms Castle couldn't bear to waste a single fact! & the cast of characters was also a bit too large which made it hard for me to keep all the facts straight in my head. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** ) The murder then becomes more intriguing and the story expands to include a plot to remove the sitting queen and replace her with the Catholic Queen Mary who is in prison at the time. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Why do some authors think everyone wants to know how each and every person is dressed? Take a lesson from Jane Austen and just move the story along instead of bogging down with unnecessary details of clothing and rooms. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Francis Bacon who will become Lord Chancellor and is credited as the Father of Scientific Method she said over Raleigh's shoulder do not expect an invitation to dinner on New Year's Day. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Murder by

Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) I really enjoy Historical Fiction married with Mystery; but I think this book in a bookstore would be shelved under Historical Fashion or Cookbooks of the Ancient Past due to the incessant references to fashion and food, He becomes involved with the investigation into the murder of a fellow barrister that has possible connections to political intrigue: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The mystery is cleverly presented but in my opinion the highlight of this series is the characterization of Francis Bacon. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Through witty dialogue and Bacon's interactions with memorable secondary characters we get some insight into what will be his historically labeled Bacon's Scientific Method: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I really enjoyed how the author brought out Bacon's brilliant mind and sly humor: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Many of his fellow barristers at Gray Inn are jealous of his intellect and part of Bacon's charm is his complete disregard for popularity: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Makes for some memorable dialogue! Helping Francis Bacon are 4 younger interns. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I don't want to give away any spoilers but I'm sure they will be featured in the upcoming mysteries in this series. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** My favorite quote comes near the end and is uttered by Queen Elizabeth I as she is being carried away by Sir Walter Raleigh from her Christmas Eve celebration at court: Mr. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The game is afoot and Francis Bacon's uncle assigns Bacon to solve the murder of a fellow lawyer: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) I got the box set of this 6-book series (even though GR only shows 5 books to date) on special for \$4, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Also being a paralegal I found the legal bits particularly interesting. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I thought it had a decent mystery; in fact there were actually two unrelated mysteries one of which served as a red herring for the "proper" murder, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I did not know for sure who the murderer was although I did make an accurate guess. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) This is the first of a series of mysteries featuring Francis Bacon which I got free via kindle: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** His uncle Lord Burghley entrusts him with enquiring into the murder of a fellow barrister who it turns out was undertaking some enquiries on his behalf secretly of course, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** With his pupils doing the legwork Bacon is keen to solve the mystery as fast as he can so as to get back on good terms with the queen: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Others deaths occur while his pupils trace a key eyewitness and also get along with life at the Inn: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I enjoyed the mix of real and fictional characters and elements: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The mystery had its share of twists and was fairly enjoyable: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** I enjoy historical fiction and mysteries naturally seems like the intersection of both would be oodles of fun: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** And yet finding time away from various romances and excessive grooming and preening crimes do get solved...over the festive time referred to as Misrule: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The man with the plan here is presented as a slight clever and gay which might have been the case he did protest too much in his New Atlantis after all. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** The result is a very light sort of read even despite the darkness of English winter and matter of murders. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Nearly as much time spent on sartorial discussions as in on the famed induction: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Everyone's dressed for success and rides off into the sunset gaily until the next adventure: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Which I'm not too tempted to look for after reading this but there must be a market for out there, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Now if someone wrote a book about Francis the Delicious and Rosicrucianism something dark and occulty and twisted...that would have been really interesting: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** This was a mild diversion easy entertainment and not much more: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** The substance all pleated and ruched and gauzy much like the elaborate outfits of the day, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Castle debuts her writing with this first mystery in an at least three-part series, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Set in the mid-1500s Sir Francis Bacon is keen on climbing the social ladder and regaining favor he had lost from the Queen (Queen Elizabeth I of course), **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Everything and anything seems to have fallen asunder especially since it is the time of

misrule when things are turned upside on purpose, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** I enjoyed Castle's book read it quickly during a nightly bout of non-sleeping and was so entertained that I didn't wish to fall asleep, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Her writing is quick-witted and each character has a special quality and very precise personality that blends with the others to create a whole, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Tom is at the center of it all doing all the work for Francis, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** It's like Holmes to Sherlock I suppose but reminds me more of if Agatha Christie's Hercule Poirot had stayed in and sent out a side kick. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Castle wove authentic historical people and facts into a historical mystery novel creating a mystery with even more depth, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** When I thought I'd have it figured out then I wouldn't. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I highly recommend this book to any historical mystery reader or fans of the Elizabethan era of intrigue. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** I was given a copy of this book in exchange for an honest review: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) Francis Bacon is charged with investigating the murder of a fellow barrister at Gray's Inn: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** He recruits his unwanted protégé Thomas Clarady to do the tiresome legwork. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** The son of a privateer Clarady will do anything to climb the Elizabethan social ladder: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Bacon's powerful uncle Lord Burghley suspects Catholic conspirators of the crime but other motives quickly emerge, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Rival barristers contend for the murdered man's legal honors and wealthy clients. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Highly-placed courtiers are implicated as the investigation reaches from Whitehall to the London streets, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Even the brilliant Francis Bacon is at a loss — and in danger — until he sees through the disguises of the season of Misrule: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) This was a free kindle book from Amazon but I don't plan to read further in this series, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** I did not see it tagged for Young Adults but the book seems to me to be written at that level: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** A murder takes place early on and Bacon is assigned (by his uncle) with finding who did it as a way to gain favor with Queen Elizabeth: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Even with the large ensemble it was still easy for me to guess the murderer: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Still an entertaining fast paced tale with a mixture of real life characters -like Francis Bacon himself: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** I would have liked to have seen more of Mr Bacon rather than his fictional sidekicks. **Kindle murder by mistletoe** & I would have liked this book to have kept more to the point. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Fast paced & fun so I may try another book in this series: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) A book that began with wonderful potential petered into pure blah: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** We are presented with a murder right away which was very promising. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** (I refuse to read books that take forever to get to the point: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Instead of delivering a tale of sweeping proportions as you might expect it gets dragged down by silly accounts of young men seeking to be lawyers: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** From something that promised to be like the Three Musketeers it unveils to be frat boys on the loose, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Also I don't know why the author put Francis Bacon in the title: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** He is rarely in the story and when he is present he is a cardboard figure saying lines: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Bacon is supposed to be a genius but comes across inept and outdone by the real main character named Tom: **Kindle murder by mistletoe** Another thing that made the story crawl along for me was all the descriptions of people's clothes, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** When I first started the book I thought Ah a story that will make for enjoyable reading! but alas no, **Kindle murder by mistletoe** At the beginning I felt like a person who was told they were going to a wonderful restaurant only to find out pretty quickly that we were going to McDonald's, **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) Very entertaining historical mystery set in late 16th century England during the reign of Elizabeth I. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** You will have to

read this book to understand why this is SO hilarious! Highly recommend this to fans of the Sir Robert Carey series by P. **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** This book should not take long to read but I had to draaggg myself through it over a week's time: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** The synopsis had intrigued me and I was looking forward to a Francis Bacon Mystery; but unfortunately this book was definitely not my cup of tea: **Murder by misrule anna castle book 64 kbps** Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1)



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Is 25 and at the beginning of his law career. Bacon.

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A fascinating trip to Tudor England. Bacon enlists some of his law students to help out. My only quibble is Bacon is not on screen enough. Looking forward to book 2.95. I haven't read much fiction set in the Elizabethan era. I look forward to reading more. This was a nice read—nothing exceptional but fun enough. For me it was very much a middle of the road read. For a Kindle freebie it was decent enough. I suppose Tom's even the protagonist in my mind. She did a great job with her element of surprise. I loved Castle's humor and suspenseful writing. If you like mysteries you'll love this one. I'm looking forward to the next book in her series. You can see all my reviews and interviews at [www.hookofabook.wordpress.com](http://www.hookofabook.wordpress.com). Bacon does the thinking; Clarady does the fencing. Everyone has something up his pinked and padded sleeve. Murder by Misrule (Francis Bacon Mystery #1) 3. F. Chisholm (aka Patricia Finney). It was impossible to get good "traction" in the Mystery. It was mind-numbing. Moriarty mysteries..