

OUR SPEAKER on **Wednesday 24th September 2025 at 1:30pm**

will be

Caroline Rayman

who will talk to us about:

**Three Great Families and their Gardens:
A history of the Astors, the Rothschilds and
the Sackville Wests**



Caroline has lectured for many years to universities and art organisations in America and on cruise boats. She was an official guide at the British Museum and has published articles on samplers. Her lectures range from the role of the royal mistress in history to more scholarly lectures on Frederick the Great of Prussia. The story of Caroline's lecture *The Mysterious Disappearances of the Ghent Altarpiece* is to be told in a new film in 2025, entitled *The Bold Thief*.

This talk combines the lives of the Astors, the Sackville Wests and the Rothschilds and their family history with the story of the gardens they have all created, despite their very different backgrounds, here in the English countryside.

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