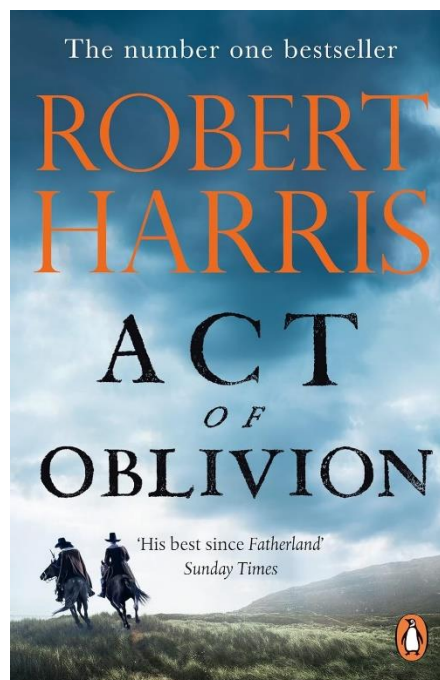


Mr Bartlett Reviews
Act of Oblivion by Robert Harris



I had wanted to read Robert Harris' "Act of Oblivion" since coming across Jonathan Ford's very persuasive review, in the Financial Times: [Act of Oblivion by Robert Harris — a gripping revenger's tale \(ft.com\)](https://www.ft.com/content/act-of-oblivion-by-robert-harris-a-gripping-revenger-s-tale) . Thorough historical research is used to vividly evoke the second half of the seventeenth century and within this context is narrated a compelling adventure centred on attempts to exact revenge on two of the signatories to the death warrant of

Charles I. The book's fast pace sustains the reader's interest throughout its more than 400 pages and I would warmly recommend Act of Oblivion to anyone, in Year 9 upwards, who enjoys reading historical fiction.