

The Queen's Gems



The Crown of St. Edward the Confessor, first crown placed on the Queen's head. It is quickly removed (weighs 7 pounds), replaced by 39-ounce Imperial Crown

Three of the crown jewels. Holy oil is poured from the beak of the golden eagle into the anointing spoon (below). The Monarch is anointed with this spoon. The royal sceptre (far right) contains the Great Star of Africa, the world's largest diamond

