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The Life and Times Of Queen Elizabeth I
Interesting as well as educational information on the life and times of Queen Elizabeth. Includes some texts.

Portraits of Queen Elizabeth I
Elizabeth was perhaps the first monarch to understand the importance of public relations and she carefully prepared her image for public consumption. This site presents a good deal of them...
"Elizabeth: Ruler & Legend". 
An exhibit at the Newberry Library website. Very good images. Includes a Bibliography... and a Filmography !!!

The Queen Elizabeth I Society
The Queen Elizabeth I Society aims to bring together scholars interested in the Queen and in the intellectual, artistic, cultural, and religious life of her court. This website includes a much larger bibliography than the one presented on Readytoteach, though not often updated.