

“Let’s [NOT] Kill All the Lawyers”

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Courtier: Sire, the peasants are revolting.

Tsar: Yes, aren’t they?

– Ken Solin

One of the most puzzled-over lines in Shakespeare is “The first thing we do let’s kill all the lawyers.” (*King Henry VI*, Part II, IV, ii, 78). Some take this outrageous utterance as a mere “Lawyer Joke” [more>>>](#)