

# **Adrienne Knight**

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Adrienne Knight has been practising for more than 40 years in the criminal courts and has vast experience in all areas of crime.

She now specialises in serious crime against the person, including murder, child abuse, rape, all sex offences, kidnap, firearms, supply and importation of Class A drugs.

She also has experience of the mental health aspects of crime, such as insanity, fitness to plead, the mentally ill and vulnerable defendants.

She is an experienced and skilled trial lawyer, regularly appearing in Crown Courts in the south of England where she is a feisty and respected advocate.

## **Expertise**

### Murder

#### **Notable Murder cases**

RvO

Murder

R v Lowe (Guildford Crown Court)

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'puppy farm shooting'. Double murde	er trial in which 80 year-old man shot his partner and her daughter.
R v Parkinson (Winchester Crown Cou	ırt)
two-week murder trial involving defer	nce of woman accused of murdering her husband.
Serious Sexual Offen	ices
Notable Serious Sexual Offe	ences cases
R v B (Winchester Crown Court)	
Rape of nine-year-old by mentally ill 1	12-year-old brother.
R v F (Winchester Crown Court)	
Historic Allegation of Sexual Assault n	nade against a 99-year-old. Fitness to plead.
R v O (Winchester Crown Court)	
Indecent Assault/Burglary with Intent	to Rape 92-year-old woman.
RvR	
Sexual Assault, Rape and Incest.	
RvP	
Sexual Assault of a child.	
RvR	
Indecency with a child.	
R v J & another	



Rape
R v F
Multiple Rape of family members. Fitness to plead.
R v G
Indecent Assault and Child Abuse.
Organised Crime
Notable Organised Crime cases
R v T & others
Conspiracy to supply Class A drugs.
R v J (Guildford Crown Court)
Four-month importation of class A (Heathrow baggage handlers).
General Crime
Notable General Crime cases
RvM
Manufacture and Sale of Firearms.
Reported Cases



### **Notable Reported Cases cases**

R v W McInerney T.L.R [Dec 02] (Sentencing re: domestic burglars)

R v Hinton 16 Cr.App.R (S) 523 (Sentencing)

R v Ward, Andrews & Broadley [2001] Crim L.R. 316 CA (Hearsay)

R v Manning 1998 Crim L.R. 198 CA

## Memberships

- Gray's Inn
- Criminal Bar Association