

# SYNOPSIS



## The Vampire Princess

### Die Vampirprinzessin

An aristocratic demon hunting for human blood, who strikes unsuspecting mortals at night - everyone knows the grim story of Count Dracula. Now scientists can reveal the truth: the vampire story as we know it isn't modelled on a medieval count from Transylvania but on the fate of a Bohemian princess from the early 18th century. She suffered from an allergy to light and could only leave her living quarters secretly at night. As a terrible fear of vampires swept central Europe at that time the people of a small village went into hysterics and committed a horrible crime. This documentary traces the origins of all the vampire myths by uncovering a gruesome murder.

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**Run-Time:** 1 x 52 min.

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**Languages:** German (ORIGINAL) , English (DUBBED) , French (DUBBED)

**Format:** 16:9

**HD**

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