This bachelor’s thesis deals with the reaction to the French Revolution in England. The first part summarizes the internal and foreign policy of Britain at the period preceding the storming of the Bastille. Then it examines the response to the revolutionary events on the political scene connected with the declaration of the war. It focuses on three significant politicians: William Pitt the Younger, Charles James Foxe and Edmund Burke. The final part is concerned with the positive and negative influence of the ideas of the Revolution on the English radical movements in the first half of the 19th century and the opinions of selected radicals, particularly Thomas Paine.