



12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS



December 25

The partridge represents Jesus and the tree stands for the Cross.

Spend 10 minutes today in silence, reflecting on the love Jesus has for you.



December 29

The six geese a-laying symbolize the six days of creation.

Spend 10 minutes reading from your favorite book of the Pentateuch.



January 2

The nine ladies dancing represents the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit.

Read a powerful book about the Holy Spirit or pray to the Holy Spirit, asking him to bring these fruits into your life.



December 26

The two turtle doves represent the Old and New Testament.

Spend some time reading from both the Old and New Testament today.



December 30

The seven swans a-swimming represent the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Read the creation story in the Book of Genesis: Genesis 1-4.



January 3

The ten lords a-leaping signifies the Ten Commandments

Reflect on the 10 Commandments and how well your life aligns with them. Consider going to Confession.



December 27

The four calling birds symbolize the four Gospels.

Try to create three Holy Moments: one for faith, one for hope, and one for charity.



December 31

The eight maids a-milking symbolizes the 8 Beatitudes

Spend 10 minutes in prayer, asking God to bless you with the gifts of the Holy Spirit.



January 4

The eleven pipers piping represent the eleven faithful disciples of Jesus.

Spend time reading the Gospels or the Book of Acts.



December 28

The five golden rings represent the first five books of the Old Testament

Spend 10 minutes reading from your favorite Gospel.



January 1

The partridge represents Jesus and the tree stands for the Cross.

Challenge yourself to create at least one Holy Moment based on your favorite Beatitude.



January 5

The twelve drummers drumming represent the twelve points of doctrine in the Apostles' Creed

Say the Apostle's Creed on your own or with your family.