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The Twelve Days of Christmas – Quiz

Have you wrapped up all your presents and put the last piece of tinsel on your tree? If you've finished putting up your Christmas decorations and written to Santa Claus (or Father Christmas – same difference!) why not put your feet up, have a mince pie or two, and try our fun Christmas guiz?

Do you know the famous Christmas song called The Twelve Days of Christmas? You do? That's great! But can you remember what was sent and when?

maids a-milking geese a-laying pipers piping calling birds ladies dancing swans a-swimming drummers drumming gold rings lords a-leaping French hens partridge in a pear tree turtle doves

On the first day of Christmas my true love sent to me a
On the second day of Christmas my true love sent to me two
On the third day of Christmas my true love sent to me three
On the fourth day of Christmas my true love sent to me four
On the fifth day of Christmas my true love sent to me five
On the sixth day of Christmas my true love sent to me six
On the seventh day of Christmas my true love sent to me seven
On the eighth day of Christmas my true love sent to me eight
On the ninth day of Christmas my true love sent to me nine
On the tenth day of Christmas my true love sent to me ten
On the eleventh day of Christmas my true love sent to me eleven
On the twelfth day of Christmas my true love sent to me twelve

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Answers:

On the first day of Christmas my true love sent to me a partridge in a pear tree.

On the second day of Christmas my true love sent to me two turtle doves.

On the third day of Christmas my true love sent to me three French hens.

On the fourth day of Christmas my true love sent to me four **calling birds**.

On the fifth day of Christmas my true love sent to me five **gold rings**.

On the sixth day of Christmas my true love sent to me six **geese a-laying**.

On the seventh day of Christmas my true love sent to me seven **swans a-swimming**.

On the eighth day of Christmas my true love sent to me eight maids a-milking.

On the ninth day of Christmas my true love sent to me nine ladies dancing.

On the tenth day of Christmas my true love sent to me ten lords a-leaping.

On the eleventh day of Christmas my true love sent to me eleven pipers piping.

On the twelfth day of Christmas my true love sent to me twelve **drummers drumming**.