

The Twelve Days of Christmas

Traditional

Intro: C 2 3 4 | G 2 3 4 | C 2 3 4 | C 2 3 4 beats to bar

On the *FIRST* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
a partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *SECOND* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] two turtle-doves and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *THIRD* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] three French hens, two turtle-doves and a
[C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *FOURTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] four calling birds, three French hens, two turtle-doves
and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *FIFTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[Em7] five [D] golden [G] rings.
four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens,
[G] two turtle-doves and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *SIXTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] Six geese-a-laying, [Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *SEVENTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] seven swans-a-swimming, six geese-a-laying,
[Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *EIGHTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
[G] eight maids-a-milking, Seven swans-a-swimming,
six geese-a-laying, [Em7] five [D] golden [G] rings.
four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens,
[G] two turtle-doves and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *NINTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
 [G] nine ladies dancing, eight maids-a-milking,
 Seven swans-a-swimming, six geese-a-laying,
 [Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
 Four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
 and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *TENTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
 [G] ten Lords-a-leaping, nine ladies dancing, eight maids-a-milking, Seven
 swans-a-swimming, Six geese-a-laying,
 [Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
 Four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
 and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *ELEVENTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
 [G] eleven pipers piping, ten Lords-a-leaping, nine ladies dancing,
 eight maids-a-milking, seven swans-a-swimming, six geese-a-laying,
 [Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
 Four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
 and a [C] partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree.

On the *TWELTH* day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me
 [G] twelve drummers drumming, eleven pipers piping, ten Lords-a-leaping,
 nine ladies dancing,
 eight maids-a-milking, seven swans-a-swimming, six geese-a-laying,
 [Em7] Five [D] golden [G] rings.
 Four [C] calling birds, three [F] French hens, [G] two turtle-doves
 and a [C] (*slowly*) partridge [G] in a pear [C] tree. 2 3 4 | 1

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