

## Christmas in Great Britain *Best*

For most British families, this is the most important festival of the year. Christmas is the day when many people are travelling home to be with their families on Christmas day. If you try to catch a train on 24 December you may have difficulty in finding a seat. There are a lot of traditions connected with Christmas but the most important one is the giving of presents. Family members wrap up their gifts and leave them at the bottom of the Christmas tree so be "found on Christmas morning." At sometime on Christmas Day the family will sit down to a big turkey dinner followed by Christmas morning.

In the afternoon they may watch the Queen on television as she delivers her traditional Christmas message to the United Kingdom and Commonwealth. Then they enjoy a piece of Christmas cake or eat a hot mince pie. Most families decorate their houses, and they usually have a Christmas tree in the corner of the room.

Everyone in Great Britain is waiting and enjoying this holiday very much!