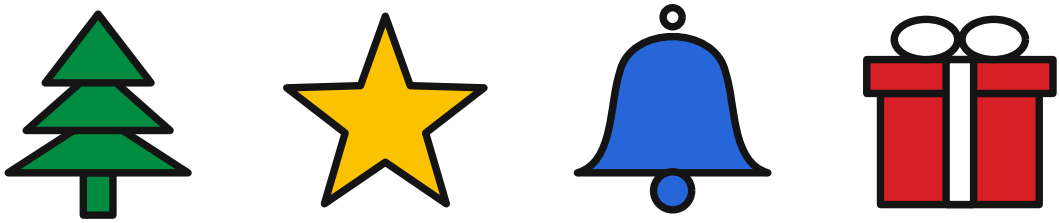
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2026



Name: _____

One puzzle a day, starting December 1.

They get harder as Christmas gets closer.

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December 1

4x4 grid, easy

4		3	
		2	
	4		
	1		3

Fill the grid so every row, column and box has the digits 1 to 4 once.

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December 2

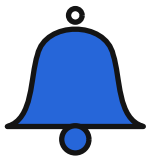
4x4 grid, easy

1	3	4	
	2	1	4

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December 3

4x4 grid, easy

	3		
		3	2
1	4		
		4	

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December 4

4x4 grid, easy

1		4	
		1	
	3		
	1		4

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December 5

4x4 grid, easy

			2
	3	4	
	2	1	
3			

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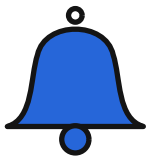
4x4 grid, easy

	1	4	
			1
3			
	2	3	

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December 7

6x6 grid, easy

5			1		
	1			6	4
	3		6	4	
	4	5		2	
1	2			5	
		3			6

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December 8

6x6 grid, easy

1		5		4	
3			5		6
5			1		
		1			4
6		3			5
	5		3		1

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December 9

6x6 grid, easy

	5	4			
2	1		4	5	
			5	2	
	2	1			
	6	2		3	5
			2	4	

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December 10

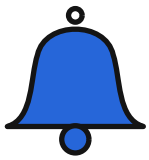
6x6 grid, easy

		4			5
2	5				
4		3	6		1
6		5	3		2
				6	4
1			5		

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December 11

6x6 grid, easy

3			5	6	1
		5	4		
	3	6			
			6	3	
		3	2		
6	2	1			5

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December 12

6x6 grid, easy

	1	5	3	4	
	3	4			
5	2				
				5	1
			1	3	
	6	3	5	2	

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December 13

6x6 grid, easy

		1		3	
	2	4		5	
1	4			2	
	3			6	4
	1		5	4	
	5		2		

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December 14

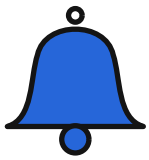
6x6 grid, easy

6		3		5	4
5					
	5			6	2
3	2			4	
					6
2	6		4		5

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December 15

9x9 grid, easy

8	5		6	9		2		4
2	3					8	1	
4	9				3	5		
3		8						5
	7	2	4	6	9	3	8	
1						7		6
		5	9				7	3
	2	3					9	8
9		4		1	7		5	2

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December 16

9x9 grid, easy

			7	8	2	6	3	
9	7	8	6	1	3	4		
2			5		4	7		8
					9	1		
		4	1		5	3		
		7	2					
6		9	3		8			1
		5	9	2	1	8	4	6
	8	2	4	6	7			

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December 17

9x9 grid, easy

8		2		4	1			
	5			9				
6	7		8	5	3	2	1	
		5	4	8		1	2	
9	2			6			8	4
	6	8		7	2	3		
	4	7	9	3	6		5	1
				2			6	
			5	1		9		2

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December 18

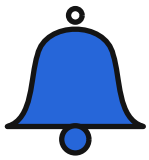
9x9 grid, easy

9		6		1		2		3
1			8	6		9		7
7					9	5	6	1
6		7	9	3			1	
			6		1			
	1			2	5	6		9
3	6	1	7					5
5		9		8	6			4
2		4		5		7		6

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December 19

9x9 grid, easy

			4	8		9		7
9		4	1	2		8		6
			5		7	2	4	1
4		8			2	7		
		2		3		5		
		7	8			6		3
7	1	5	2		4			
3		6		1	8	4		5
8		9		7	5			

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December 20

9x9 grid, easy

2		7	3			9	4	6
				9		5	1	2
6	9	1				7		
		8	5		9		6	
	1		6	4	2		9	
	6		1		7	3		
		5				2	8	4
9	4	6		2				
8	3	2			1	6		9

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December 21

9x9 grid, medium

5	4		7	6				
		2		3		7		
		3	8	4			6	5
1	6						7	
		5	6	2	7	4		
	9						3	8
7	2			5	4	8		
		6		9		2		
				7	6		5	3

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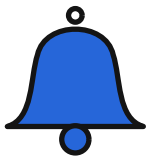
9x9 grid, medium

			9	7	1	4	3	
	9			5	3	6		7
3							5	
	6	7		2				4
		9				2		
4				3		1	8	
	2							9
9		3	5	8			6	
	1	5	4	9	6			

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December 23

9x9 grid, medium

				6				2
6	8	7	4					5
	2			8				7
8	5		6				9	
2		6	5	3	9	4		8
	7				1		5	3
1				5			8	
5					4	3	2	9
7				9				

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December 24

9x9 grid, medium

	6			9	2	3		
		4	8			5	1	
2		8				7		
5		6	9	1				
1			6		7			3
				2	3	6		1
		1				4		8
	2	3			1	9		
		7	2	6			3	

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December 31

New Year's Eve bonus: last puzzle of 2026

		4	5	9		8		1
				2		7		
	3		8					9
					7	1	8	
2		7				4		3
	8	3	9					
3					6		7	
		8		1				
6		9		3	5	2		

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December 1

4	2	**3**	1
1	3	**2**	4
3	**4**	1	2
2	**1**	4	**3**

December 2

1	**3**	**4**	2
2	4	3	1
4	1	2	3
3	**2**	**1**	**4**

December 3

2	**3**	1	4
4	1	**3**	**2**
1	**4**	2	3
3	2	**4**	1

December 4

1	2	**4**	3
3	4	**1**	2
4	**3**	2	1
2	**1**	3	**4**

December 5

1	4	3	**2**
2	**3**	**4**	1
4	**2**	**1**	3
3	1	2	4

December 6

2	**1**	**4**	3
4	3	2	**1**
3	4	1	2
1	**2**	**3**	4

December 7

5	6	4	**1**	3	2
3	**1**	2	5	**6**	**4**
2	**3**	1	**6**	**4**	5
6	**4**	**5**	3	**2**	1
1	**2**	6	4	**5**	3
4	5	**3**	2	1	**6**

December 8

1	6	**5**	2	**4**	3
3	2	4	**5**	1	**6**
5	4	6	**1**	3	2
2	3	**1**	6	5	**4**
6	1	**3**	4	2	**5**
4	**5**	2	**3**	6	**1**

December 9

3	**5**	**4**	6	1	2
2	**1**	6	**4**	**5**	3
6	4	3	**5**	**2**	1
5	**2**	**1**	3	6	4
4	**6**	**2**	1	**3**	**5**
1	3	5	**2**	**4**	6

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3	6	**4**	2	1	**5**
2	**5**	1	4	3	6
4	2	**3**	**6**	5	**1**
6	1	**5**	**3**	4	**2**
5	3	2	1	**6**	**4**
1	4	6	**5**	2	3

December 11

3	4	2	**5**	**6**	**1**
1	6	**5**	**4**	2	3
2	**3**	**6**	1	5	4
5	1	4	**6**	**3**	2
4	5	**3**	**2**	1	6
6	**2**	**1**	3	4	**5**

December 12

6	**1**	**5**	**3**	**4**	2
2	**3**	**4**	6	1	5
5	**2**	1	4	6	3
3	4	6	2	**5**	**1**
4	5	2	**1**	**3**	6
1	**6**	**3**	**5**	**2**	4

December 13

5	6	**1**	4	**3**	2
3	**2**	**4**	6	**5**	1
1	**4**	6	3	**2**	5
2	**3**	5	1	**6**	**4**
6	**1**	2	**5**	**4**	3
4	**5**	3	**2**	1	6

December 14

6	1	**3**	2	**5**	**4**
5	4	2	6	1	3
1	**5**	4	3	**6**	**2**
3	**2**	6	5	**4**	1
4	3	5	1	2	**6**
2	**6**	1	**4**	3	**5**

December 15

8	**5**	7	**6**	**9**	1	**2**	3	**4**
2	**3**	6	7	5	4	**8**	**1**	9
4	**9**	1	2	8	**3**	**5**	6	7
3	6	**8**	1	7	2	9	4	**5**
5	**7**	**2**	**4**	**6**	**9**	**3**	**8**	1
1	4	9	8	3	5	**7**	2	**6**
6	1	**5**	**9**	2	8	4	**7**	**3**
7	**2**	**3**	5	4	6	1	**9**	**8**
9	8	**4**	3	**1**	**7**	6	**5**	**2**

December 16

4	5	1	**7**	**8**	**2**	**6**	**3**	9
9	**7**	**8**	**6**	**1**	**3**	**4**	2	5
2	6	3	**5**	9	**4**	**7**	1	**8**
3	2	6	8	4	**9**	**1**	5	7
8	9	**4**	**1**	7	**5**	**3**	6	2
5	1	**7**	**2**	3	6	9	8	4
6	4	**9**	**3**	5	**8**	2	7	**1**
7	3	**5**	**9**	**2**	**1**	**8**	**4**	**6**
1	**8**	**2**	**4**	**6**	**7**	5	9	3

December 17

8	9	**2**	6	**4**	**1**	5	3	7
1	**5**	3	2	**9**	7	6	4	8
6	**7**	4	**8**	**5**	**3**	**2**	**1**	9
7	3	**5**	**4**	**8**	9	**1**	**2**	6
9	**2**	1	3	**6**	5	7	**8**	**4**
4	**6**	**8**	1	**7**	**2**	**3**	9	5
2	**4**	**7**	**9**	**3**	**6**	8	**5**	**1**
5	1	9	7	**2**	8	4	**6**	3
3	8	6	**5**	**1**	4	**9**	7	**2**

December 18

9	4	**6**	5	**1**	7	**2**	8	**3**
1	3	5	**8**	**6**	2	**9**	4	**7**
7	2	8	3	4	**9**	**5**	**6**	**1**
6	5	**7**	**9**	**3**	8	4	**1**	2
4	9	2	**6**	7	**1**	3	5	8
8	**1**	3	4	**2**	**5**	**6**	7	**9**
3	**6**	**1**	**7**	9	4	8	2	**5**
5	7	**9**	2	**8**	**6**	1	3	**4**
2	8	**4**	1	**5**	3	**7**	9	**6**

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2	5	1	**4**	**8**	6	**9**	3	**7**
9	7	**4**	**1**	**2**	3	**8**	5	**6**
6	8	3	**5**	9	**7**	**2**	**4**	**1**
4	3	**8**	6	5	**2**	**7**	1	9
1	6	**2**	7	**3**	9	**5**	8	4
5	9	**7**	**8**	4	1	**6**	2	**3**
7	**1**	**5**	**2**	6	**4**	3	9	8
3	2	**6**	9	**1**	**8**	**4**	7	**5**
8	4	**9**	3	**7**	**5**	1	6	2

December 20

2	5	**7**	**3**	1	8	**9**	**4**	**6**
3	8	4	7	**9**	6	**5**	**1**	**2**
6	**9**	**1**	2	5	4	**7**	3	8
7	2	**8**	**5**	3	**9**	4	**6**	1
5	**1**	3	**6**	**4**	**2**	8	**9**	7
4	**6**	9	**1**	8	**7**	**3**	2	5
1	7	**5**	9	6	3	**2**	**8**	**4**
9	**4**	**6**	8	**2**	5	1	7	3
8	**3**	**2**	4	7	**1**	**6**	5	**9**

December 21

5	**4**	8	**7**	**6**	1	3	2	9
6	1	**2**	5	**3**	9	**7**	8	4
9	7	**3**	**8**	**4**	2	1	**6**	**5**
1	**6**	4	9	8	3	5	**7**	2
8	3	**5**	**6**	**2**	**7**	**4**	9	1
2	**9**	7	4	1	5	6	**3**	**8**
7	**2**	9	3	**5**	**4**	**8**	1	6
3	5	**6**	1	**9**	8	**2**	4	7
4	8	1	2	**7**	**6**	9	**5**	**3**

December 22

5	8	6	**9**	**7**	**1**	**4**	**3**	2
2	**9**	4	8	**5**	**3**	**6**	1	**7**
3	7	1	2	6	4	9	**5**	8
8	**6**	**7**	1	**2**	5	3	9	**4**
1	3	**9**	6	4	8	**2**	7	5
4	5	2	7	**3**	9	**1**	**8**	6
6	**2**	8	3	1	7	5	4	**9**
9	4	**3**	**5**	**8**	2	7	**6**	1
7	**1**	**5**	**4**	**9**	**6**	8	2	3

December 23

3	9	1	7	**6**	5	8	4	**2**
6	**8**	**7**	**4**	1	2	9	3	**5**
4	**2**	5	9	**8**	3	1	6	**7**
8	**5**	3	**6**	4	7	2	**9**	1
2	1	**6**	**5**	**3**	**9**	**4**	7	**8**
9	**7**	4	8	2	**1**	6	**5**	**3**
1	3	9	2	**5**	6	7	**8**	4
5	6	8	1	7	**4**	**3**	**2**	**9**
7	4	2	3	**9**	8	5	1	6

December 24

7	**6**	5	1	**9**	**2**	**3**	8	4
3	9	**4**	**8**	7	6	**5**	**1**	2
2	1	**8**	3	4	5	**7**	6	9
5	3	**6**	**9**	**1**	8	2	4	7
1	4	2	**6**	5	**7**	8	9	**3**
8	7	9	4	**2**	**3**	**6**	5	**1**
6	5	**1**	7	3	9	**4**	2	**8**
4	**2**	**3**	5	8	**1**	**9**	7	6
9	8	**7**	**2**	**6**	4	1	**3**	5

December 31

7	6	**4**	**5**	**9**	3	**8**	2	**1**
8	9	1	6	**2**	4	**7**	3	5
5	**3**	2	**8**	7	1	6	4	**9**
9	4	6	3	5	**7**	**1**	**8**	2
2	5	**7**	1	6	8	**4**	9	**3**
1	**8**	**3**	**9**	4	2	5	6	7
3	1	5	2	8	**6**	9	**7**	4
4	2	**8**	7	**1**	9	3	5	6
6	7	**9**	4	**3**	**5**	**2**	1	8

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