

An advent calendar of ghost stories

24 Nights of Victorian Ghost Stories

One classic tale for each December night, read after dark, aloud if you have company. Light early, darkening steadily, with the deepest chills saved for the shortest days. Every story is in the public domain and free to read. Tick each door as you open it.

1	The Tapestried Chamber *Walter Scott*	☐
2	Jerry Bundler *W. W. Jacobs*	☐
3	The Phantom Coach *Amelia B. Edwards*	☐
4	The Shadow *E. Nesbit*	☐
5	The Cold Embrace *M. E. Braddon*	☐
6	The Bus-Conductor *E. F. Benson*	☐
7	The Withered Arm *Thomas Hardy*	☐
8	The Real and the Counterfeit *Louisa Baldwin*	☐
9	The Open Door *Charlotte Riddell*	☐
10	The Three Low Masses *Alphonse Daudet*	☐
11	The Judge's House *Bram Stoker*	☐
12	How He Left the Hotel *Louisa Baldwin*	☐
13	The Moonlit Road *Ambrose Bierce*	☐
14	The Shadows on the Wall *Mary Wilkins Freeman*	☐
15	The Kit-Bag *Algernon Blackwood*	☐
16	At Chrighton Abbey *M. E. Braddon*	☐
17	Wolverden Tower *Grant Allen*	☐
18	The Curse of the Catafalques *F. Anstey*	☐
19	The Dead Sexton *J. Sheridan Le Fanu*	☐
20	The Festival *H. P. Lovecraft*	☐
21	The Wendigo *Algernon Blackwood*	☐
22	The Story of a Disappearance and an Appearance *M. R. James*	☐
23	The Signal-Man *Charles Dickens*	☐
24	Oh, Whistle, and I'll Come to You, My Lad *M. R. James*	☐