

“To be a good nurse one must be a good woman, or one is truly nothing but a tinkling bell.”

Country Joe McDonald's tribute to

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE

JANUARY 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	 <i>Field stove</i>			<p>1</p> <p>1850: Begins diary of her Egyptian visit</p> <p><i>Bank Holiday</i></p>	<p>2</p> <p>1855: 1200 wounded arrive at Scutari</p>	<p>3</p>
<p>4</p> <p><i>Full Moon</i></p> 	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>1855: Invents plan for centralization of hospitals</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>1874: Death of her father, William Edward Nightingale</p>	<p>13</p> <p>1838: Family begins stay at Genoa, Italy</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p> <p>1874: Death of Mrs. Bracebridge</p>

**“Not one woman more than is absolutely essential ought to be in a military hospital. Not one man more than is absolutely necessary ought to be in a children's hospital.”**

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**FEBRUARY 2015**



*FN and her owl, Athena*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 <i>Groundhog Day (US)</i>	3 <i>Full Moon</i> 	4	5	6	7 1837: "God spoke to me."
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 <i>Valentine's Day</i> 
15	16	17	18	19 1855: Sanitary Commission receives instructions from Lord Shaftesbury	20	21
22	23	24	25 1855: War correspondents expelled from the Crimean front	26	27	28 1850: God speaks to her on the Nile
				 <i>1 penny stamp</i>		

“...Till a  
married woman  
can be in  
possession  
of her own  
property there  
can be no love  
or justice.”



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May 12, 1820 - August 13, 1910

MARCH, 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5 Full Moon 	6	7 1848: "God called me in the morning..."
8 International Women's Day	9 1848: "Settled the question with God."	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 1848: Nile diary: "Our last day in the boat."	21
22	23	24 1856: FN and 24 nurses arrive in Crimea.	25	26	27	28
29	30 1856: Crimean peace treaty signed	31			 Embley	

“You can arrest  
in some degree  
the course of  
the knave,  
but with the  
fool you don't  
know where  
you will find  
him next.”

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APRIL 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	 <i>Athena the owl</i>		<p>1</p> <p><i>April Fools' Day</i></p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>1856: FN and party without rations for 10 days in Crimea</p> <p><i>Full Moon</i></p> 
<p>5</p> <p><i>Easter</i></p> 	<p>6</p> <p>1839: Nightingales return from two years in Europe</p> <p><i>Bank Holiday</i></p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>
<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>
<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>		

“Never allow a patient to be waked, intentionally, is a sine qua non of all good nursing.”

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MAY 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	 <i>Victoria R.</i>				1	2
3 <i>Full Moon</i> 	4 <i>Bank Holiday</i>	5 1855: FN travels to Crimea to investigate hospitals	6 <i>National Nurses Day (US)</i>	7	8	9
10	11	12 1820: FN born	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 <hr/> 31 1839: Florence and Parthenope presented at Victoria's court	25 <i>Bank Holiday</i>	26	27	28	29	30



“What I complain of the Evangelical party for is the degree to which they have raised the claims upon women of 'Family.'”

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JUNE 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 <i>Full Moon</i> 	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 1837: Victoria crowned
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 1855: Death of Lord Raglan	29	30		 <i>FN's carriage</i>		

“...if a patient  
can digest a  
fried steak,  
it is the best  
proof that he  
is fit to be  
discharged  
from  
hospital.”

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JULY 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	 <p>Kaiserswerth</p>		<p>1</p> <p>Full Moon</p> 	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Independence Day (US)</p> 
5	6	7	8	<p>9</p> <p>1860: Nightingale School opens</p>	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	<p>28</p> <p>1855: The Bracebridges leave Scutari</p>	29	<p>30</p> <p>1850: First visit to Kaiserswerth</p>	31	

“There is no part of my life, upon which I can look back without pain.”

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AUGUST 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			 A "lamp"			1
2	3	4	5	6	7 1856: FN returns from Crimea a national hero	8
9	10	11	12 1853: FN appointed supervisor of London nursing home	13 1910: FN dies	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 _____ 30	24 _____ 31 <i>Bank Holiday</i>	25	26	27	28	29 <i>Full Moon</i> 



“If I could  
 have sung,  
 I should  
 have wished  
 for no other  
 satisfaction.”

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SEPTEMBER 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 1855: Fall of Sebastopol	9	10	11	12
13	14 1854: British and French troops land in Crimea	15	16	17	18	19
20 1854: Battle of the Alma	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 Full Moon 	28	29	30		 Infantry shako	

“It may seem a strange principle to enunciate as the very first requirement in a Hospital that it should do the sick no harm.”

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OCTOBER 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	 <p>Equal-area chart</p>			1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 1854: FN and 38 nurses leave for Scutari	22	23	24
25 1854: Battle of Balaclava	26	27 Full Moon 	28	29	30	31 Halloween (US) 

“[Statistics is]  
 ... the most  
 important science  
 in the world:  
 for on it depends  
 the practical  
 application of  
 every other  
 science and of  
 every art...”

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NOVEMBER 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 1854: Battle of Inkerman	4 1855: FN and nurses arrive at Scutari	5 Guy Fawkes Day 	6	7
8	9	10	11 Veterans' Day (US)	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Full Moon 	26 Thanksgiving (US) 	27	28
29	30			 Crimea ribbon		

“Moses was the greater man; for whereas Plato only formed a school, which formed the world, Moses went straight to work upon the world.”

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DECEMBER 2015



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <i>Teapot</i>		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 1854: The Queen's letter to FN	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas  Full Moon	26 Boxing Day
27	28 Bank Holiday	29	30	31		