

# Five little turkeys

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A number song for Thanksgiving or Christmas. Some versions for those with more stamina start at ten and can easily found on line – or make up your own verses!

Melody by Dany Rosevear.

Subtract one each time from five.

Five lit - tle tur - keys sat in their pen, "Hide, tur - keys,  
hide!" said the lit - tle red hen. One lit - tle tur - key hopped  
out of the door, And when he was gone, there were four.

Five little turkeys sat in their pen,  
"Hide, turkeys, hide!" said the little red hen.  
One little turkey hopped out of the door,  
And when he was gone, there were four.



Four little turkeys sat in their pen,  
"Hide, turkeys, hide!" said the little red hen.  
One little turkey climbed up a tree,  
And when he was gone, there were three.



Three little turkeys sat in their pen,  
"Hide, turkeys, hide!" said the little red hen.  
One little turkey flapped his wings and flew,  
And when he was gone, there were two.

Two little turkeys sat in their pen,  
"Hide, turkeys, hide!" said the little red hen.  
One little turkey flew out in the sun.  
And when he was gone, that left one.



One little turkey sat in his pen,  
"Hide, turkey, hide!" said the little red hen.  
The last little turkey said, "I'm off to have fun!"  
And when he was gone, there were none!