



The theme of water
in Yordanov day-
Epiphany

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Yordanov Day

- We celebrate Yordanov Day on 6 January. According to biblical legend, on this day Jesus Christ was baptized in the waters of the Yordan River by Yoan the Baptist. At the moment of baptism, heaven opened and the Holy Spirit descended on Christ in the form of a pigeon.

The tradition of Yordanov Day

- Traditionally, for health, everyone participates in the consecration of the water when the priest throws the Holy Cross into the water. Young men throw themselves despite the cold water and low temperatures and take the cross out of the water. Whoever takes it out will be happy and healthy all year round.



What does the water symbolize on Yordanov Day

- People believe that on Yordanov Day, water has more power. It can heal, so sick people enter the river where the cross was thrown.
- The holy water is renewed and everyone takes it home, because it can clean the soul and protect against disease. Holy water is kept throughout the year and is used in difficult times for the family.



Water as health

- Water is in many cases a symbol of health and happiness. It can give us hope for some serious illness or relief. That is why water is life.



Thank you for your attention!