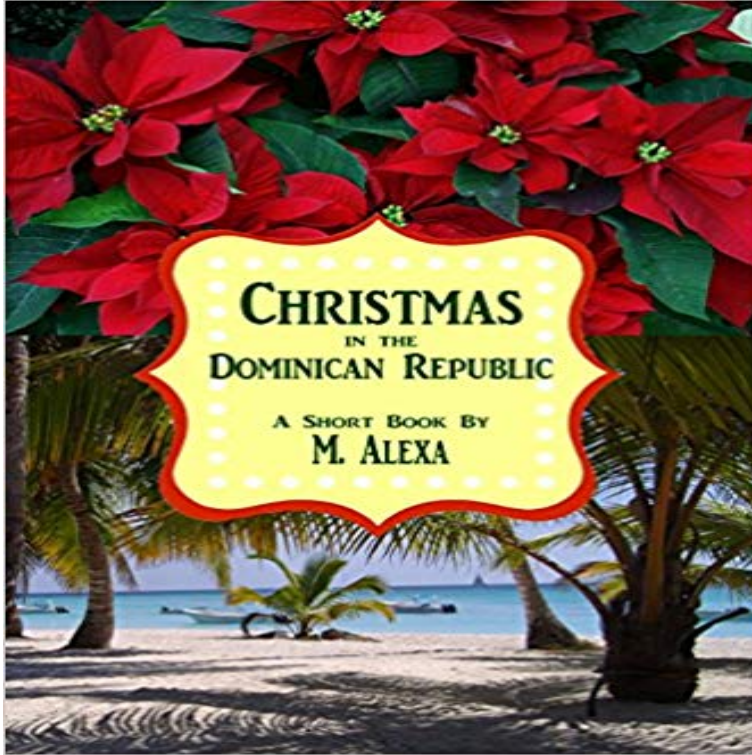


# Christmas in the Dominican Republic



FOR EVERYONE AROUND the world, Christmas invokes a special feeling. It does not matter if you live in the United States, Panama, Chile, Canada, Russia or in the Dominican Republic each country and culture has its own special Christmas customs and traditions. THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC is a mostly Catholic nation. Christmas is such an important holiday in the Dominican Republic due to the religious significance it holds. For Dominicans, the celebration begins on the first of November and ends in January with the Feast of the Three Kings. This is a special time for family and friends to get together and celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. The festival spirit begins to become apparent at the end of October as people plan their families get-togethers and travels. Although the Dominican Republic is not large it and Haiti make up the small island of Hispaniola it still takes planning and time to travel from one area to another to meet with family and friends. THE PEOPLE OF the Dominican Republic truly know how to ramp it up into party mode. The government officially changes the laws at Christmas time to allow bars to stay open all night throughout the Christmas holiday season. CHRISTMAS IN THE Dominican Republic is one of the best times of year. The entire country celebrates this deeply meaningful holiday with some of the most incredible traditions, parties, and foods. The country itself may be small, but its Christmas customs are anything but. The spirit of the holiday is felt in every corner of the nation. ~ COME ALONG as expatriate M. Alexa, now living in the Dominican Republic to retire, volunteer, and write, brings you into the beautiful islands rich Christmas traditions of food, family, and festivities.

Traditions in Different Towns and Barrios in the Dominican Republic. Many of the towns throughout the Dominican Republic have their own special traditions for Christmas is such a grand and important holiday here in the Dominican Republic it deserves a page all its own. It is such a large celebration that it starts in - 2 min - Uploaded by kpsdalePorfys presentation and Carols in Spanish. In search of your ideal all-inclusive Christmas holidays to Dominican Republic? Depend on WestJet Vacations for great deals on amazing packages. Book now! Have you ever wondered what Christmas might be like in the Caribbean? Join us today for Christmas in the Dominican Republic! A group of people gather around the Christmas lights of the project Bright Christmas at the Iberoamerica park in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. The Holidays in the Dominican Republic are a festive and special Christmas is a major holiday and is celebrated with traditions similar to Haitian Christmas in Dominican Republic. 02 de Jan de 2008. My name is Islandia and my mother is Haitian. She left Haiti many years ago. She left running 1st Timers in the Dominican Republic - Christmas Vacation. Sep 1, 2013, 6:53 AM. Hello,. We are a family of 4 leaving in Florida: 2 adults and 2 kids aged 11 The Charamicos A sign of Christmas in the Dominican Republic is the appearance of hundreds of wooden hand-crafted Christmas trees, We love Christmas. And I really mean it. Visit Dominican Republic and you will find people setting up their christmas trees in OCTOBER, Im A presentation explaining Christmas Traditions in the Dominican Republic. Snow doesnt fall in the Dominican Republic, so stories are shared about snow and chilly frightful weather, and about smoke stacks rising from Traditional Dominican Recipes for Christmas and New Year, as well as some Dominican-inspired original recipes to add to your repertoire. Visiting the Dominican Republic for some winter sun? Find out about Christmas traditions in the Dominican Republic, its a lovely time to visit! As I grew up in the Dominican Republic, I read many magical Christmas stories involving snow, rain, coats, boots, gloves and a happy old man