

Astrological Sign

Taurus: April 20 - May 20

Gemini: May 21 - June 20

Birthstone of the Month for May

May's Birthstone: Emerald

For information about birthstones, see: www.americangemsociety.org/birthstones.htm

Flower of the Month for May

Flower: Lily-of-the-Valley and Hawthorne

May Holiday & Observance Daily Calendar

May 1, 2008 (Thursday):

Holocaust Remembrance Day - May 1, 2008.

May Day (Always observed the first of May).

May 2, 2008 (Friday):

German unconditional surrender to Italian allies, 1945.

May 3, 2008 (Saturday):

Kentucky Derby, 2008 (First Saturday in May).

May 11, 2008 (Sunday):

Mother's Day - Observed the second Sunday in May.

Pentecost - Sunday, May 11, 2008. According to Church tradition Pentecost is always seven weeks after Easter Sunday.

May 17, 2008 (Saturday):

Armed Forces Day. Observed the third Saturday in May.

May 21, 2008 (Wednesday):

Charles Lindbergh flew across the Atlantic (May 21, 1927).

"The Tonight Show" last night with Johnny Carson as the host aired May 21, 1992.

May 23, 2008 (Friday):

South Carolina Ratification Day (May 23, 1788 - 8th State).

May 25, 2008 (Sunday):

Jay Leno makes his first appearance as The Tonight Show host replacing Johnny Carson on May 25, 1992.

May 26, 2008 (Monday):

Memorial Day (Observed) Memorial Day is observed on the last Monday in May (since 1971 -- prior to 1971 it was observed on May 30th.). **National Moment of Remembrance** - 3PM on Memorial Day to pause and think upon the true meaning of the day, and for Taps to be played.

May 28, 2008 (Wednesday):

Golden Gate Bridge opened (May 28, 1937).

May 29, 2008 (Thursday):

Rhode Island Ratification Day (May 29, 1790 - 13th State).

Wisconsin Ratification Day (May 29, 1848 - 30th State).