

Easter Quiz

1. **What famous event is celebrated on Good Friday?**

- a) The birth of Jesus Christ
- b) The death of Jesus Christ
- c) The resurrection of Jesus Christ
- d) The ascension of Jesus Christ

2. **What animal did Jesus ride on when he entered Jerusalem the week before his death?**

- a) A horse
- b) A camel
- c) A donkey
- d) None. He walked instead

3. **What did people wave as they welcomed Jesus into Jerusalem?**

- a) Palm branches
- b) Swords and spears
- c) Their hands
- d) Money

4. **What is another name for Holy Thursday?**

- a) Good Thursday
- b) Easter Thursday
- c) Maundy Thursday
- d) Lenten Thursday

5. **Which Jewish feast did Jesus celebrate just before his death?**

- a) Day of Atonement
- b) Purim
- c) Hanukkah
- d) Passover

6. **What is specifically remembered at this feast?**

- a) The Jews remember their escape from Egypt
- b) The Jews remember when Queen Esther saved them
- c) The Jews remember their sins
- d) The Jews remember the divine restoration of the Temple

7. **What sacrificial animal did Jesus describe himself as?**

- a) A dove
- b) A goat
- c) A lamb
- d) A lion

8. **Which disciple betrayed Jesus?**

- a) Matthew
- b) Judas
- c) Peter
- d) John

9. **How much money did he received for the betrayal?**

- a) 10 copper coins
- b) 20 pieces of gold
- c) 30 pieces of silver

d) 40 denarii

10. **Which disciple denied Jesus before the rooster crowed?**

- a) Matthew
- b) Judas
- c) Peter
- d) John

11. **How many times did he deny Jesus?**

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4

12. **How did those in the courtyard of the High Priest know that he was a disciple of Jesus?**

- a) He told them
- b) His accent gave him away
- c) The other disciples dobed him in
- d) His clothing gave him away

13. **Who was the Roman governor at the time of Jesus' death?**

- a) Pontius Pilate
- b) Quirinius
- c) Augustus
- d) Tiberius Alexander

14. **Which prisoner was released instead of Jesus?**

- a) Barnabus
- b) Barabbas
- c) Barnobulus
- d) Barabby

15. What colored robe did they place on Jesus in the Praetorium?

- a) White
- b) Yellow
- c) Scarlet
- d) Black

16. What did they place on his head?

- a) a crown of thorns
- b) a crown of flowers
- c) a hood
- d) a veil

17. What was the name of the hill where they crucified Jesus?

- a) Gethsemane
- b) Golgotha
- c) Gardenia
- d) Ararat

18. What does the name mean?

- a) Skull
- b) Garden
- c) Ark
- d) High place

19. What natural disaster occurred during the crucifixion?

- a) A volcano erupted
- b) A hurricane
- c) An earthquake
- d) A bushfire

20 Who was the first person to see Jesus alive?

- a) Peter, his disciple
- b) Mary, his mother
- c) Mary Magdalene
- d) John, his disciple

21. What do eggs represent at Easter?

- a) The Easter bunny
- b) New life
- c) Baby chicks
- d) Chocolate

22. What season is Easter closely associated with?

- a) Spring
- b) Summer
- c) Autumn
- d) Winter

23. What is Easter called in European countries?

- a) Passover
- b) Hanukkah
- c) Pascha

d) The Passion

24. What are rabbits associated with at Easter?

- a) Eggs
- b) Hunts
- c) Fertility
- d) Chocolate

25. What season does Easter fall in Australia?

- a) Spring
- b) Summer
- c) Autumn
- d) Winter

26. How is the date for Easter determined each year?

- a) It falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon on or after March 21st
- b) It's always the first Sunday in April
- c) It's determined by the Jewish calendar
- d) It's the first Sunday after Daylight Savings finishes in the Southern Hemisphere

27. What are the 40 days before Easter known as?

- a) 40 Days of Fasting
- b) Passover
- c) HolyWeek
- d) Lent