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A CELEBRATION OF RENEWAL

Easter

Easter is a time when many people enjoy both traditional and modern activities. For some, it is a symbolic celebration of the resurrection of Jesus after the crucifixion, while for others, it represents a fresh start and new beginnings.

On Easter morning, families often spring into action by organizing egg hunts for children. Parents may hatch a plan to hide eggs in creative places, making the game more exciting. However, children sometimes crack under pressure when they try to find all the eggs before time runs out. This adds a sense of tension, but also makes the activity more fun.

The egg itself is connected to ideas of fertility and growth, which is why it is such an important part of Easter traditions. Over time, these customs have also become more commercial, with shops selling chocolate eggs, decorations, and gifts.

Some people use Easter as a chance for a new lease on life, making positive changes or starting new habits. However, others believe it is important not to put all your eggs in one basket, especially when planning events or activities, in case something goes wrong.

Overall, Easter is a mix of meaning and celebration. Whether people focus on its religious message or simply enjoy the holiday activities, it continues to bring joy, reflection, and a sense of renewal.



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Easter Day Vocabulary

A. Read each clue, then use the word bank below to find the word that matches the clue. Write the name of the word next to its clue.

resurrection	crucifixion	fertility	symbolic	tension
commercial	spring into action	hatch a plan	a fresh start	crack under pressure

- _____ 1. A strong feeling of stress, pressure, or conflict between people.
- _____ 2. The ability to produce new life or have children.
- _____ 3. To become too stressed and unable to handle a difficult situation.
- _____ 4. Related to buying, selling, or making money.
- _____ 5. To begin again with a clean situation or new opportunity.
- _____ 6. To make a plan, especially in a clever or creative way.
- _____ 7. To start doing something quickly and with energy.
- _____ 8. A method of execution where a person is put to death on a cross.
- _____ 9. When someone comes back to life after dying.
- _____ 10. Something that represents an idea or meaning.

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Easter Day Questions

B. Read the passage “Easter: A celebration of renewal”, then answer the questions below.

1. What does Easter symbolically represent for many people?

2. What do families do when they spring into action on Easter morning?

3. Why might children crack under pressure during egg hunts?

4. Why is it important not to put all your eggs in one basket when planning activities?

C. Complete the summary using the words and phrases from the text.

Easter is a _____ celebration that is connected to the _____ of Jesus after the _____. It is also seen as _____, a time for new beginnings. Families often _____ to organize activities like egg hunts, and parents may _____ to make the games fun. Sometimes children feel _____ and may _____ during the game. The egg is linked to _____, and many traditions today are more _____. People also see Easter as _____, but they should not _____ when making plans.