



*8th March in Poland is really important day. It's women's Day!
Every man buys rose or other beautiful flower for his wife or girlfriend,
or even just for friend. In every school in Poland boys give some gifts
for girls in their class.*



How men treat women in the world?

India

In India woman is like a thing. She has to be obedient to his father when she is young, when she is adult, she has to listen to her husband and when he dies she has to listen to her sons. Woman can't be independent! If Hindu is pregnant, she prays that it will be boy... because son is something like gift from God, but if it will be girl... it's like a punishment. Mothers can't stand, that their daughters will have the same nightmare of being woman in their life. Many women run away from India for the better life. I can't imagine life in India...

China

In China infidelity is a normal thing. Women are betrayed and it isn't something bad there. Probably this problem is really popular in China, because many people don't marry because of love, but because of the family situation. A lot of women decide to be a prostitute. They want to have money for example for their children, but they can't find a job... many of them are beautiful, wise and they have some ambitions, they keep in secret the way they make money. In this country women have more rights than in India, but they want to have only sons too. Mothers want to know what sex is their child, because when it's a girl they can make abortion. It's horrible!

Africa

In Africa very popular is circumcision of women and girls. It's a reason of Africa's religions. It's really painful and brutal treatment. „Desert Flower” - It's a book about a woman who escaped from Africa and made modeling career in the USA. If you are interested in her life I recommend this book of screening, which has the same title.

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BEND OVER BACKWARDS

(stawać na głowie/wychodzić ze skóry)

His wife bent over backwards to make him happy, but he was never satisfied.

(Jego żona stawiała na głowie, żeby mu dogodzić, ale on nigdy nie był zadowolony.)

ALL ALONG

(od samego początku)

Barry knew all along that he would not get a gift.

(Barry wiedział od samego początku, że nie dostanie prezentu.)

EASIER SAID THAN DONE

(łatwiej powiedzieć, niż zrobić)

I know it's easier said than done but in my opinion you should bake a Easter Cake.

(Wiem, że łatwiej jest powiedzieć, niż zrobić, ale według mnie powinieneś upiec świąteczne ciasto.)



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THROW IN THE TOWEL

(poddąć się)

We shouldn't give up. There are many other things we can try before we throw in the towel.

(Nie powinniśmy rezygnować. Jest wiele więcej rzeczy, których możemy spróbować, zanim się poddamy.)

SELL LIKE HOT CAKES

(sprzedawać się jak świeże bułeczki, bardzo szybko)

All eggs in the Easter sell like hot cakes.

(Wszystkie jajka w święta sprzedają się jak świeże bułeczki.)

LEAVE NO STONE UNTURNED

(poruszyć niebo i ziemię, zastosować wszystkie środki)

I may need to leave no stone unturned but I will find this book!

(Możliwe, że poruszę niebo i ziemię, ale znajdę tę książkę!)



students

RED-LETTER DAY

(szczególny dzień)

This is going to be a red-letter day!
(To będzie szczególny dzień.)

A LITTLE SOMETHING

(niedrogi prezent)

If you want to visit someone in Easter, you should buy him a little something in order to show that you care about him. Little something from Easter Bunny.

(Jeśli chcesz odwiedzić kogoś w święta, powinieneś kupić tej osobie jakiś drobiazg, aby pokazać, że troszczysz się o nią. Prezent od króliczka.)

CRY FOR THE MOON

(chcieć gwiazdki z nieba)

Oh, come on! Be realistic! It's like crying for the moon! We cannot afford it.

(Oh, daj spokój! Bądź realist! To tak, jakbyś chciał gwiazdkę z nieba. Nie możemy sobie na to pozwolić.)



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Easter time

Only a few days left to Easter – a holiday most people celebrate by going to the church on Saturday to have a basket full of traditional food blessed. In this basket for sure we can find sugar lamb, sausage, little loaf of bread, little cake, salt, pepper and of course eggs. Most people decorate their baskets with boxwood twigs and cover them with white napkins. On Sunday morning they consume the blessed food. This holiday is time of relax, but also a reflection on live and death. Why? For Christians this holiday is associated with Christ's death and his resurrection. And this free time we spend in a great atmosphere with our families. We should appreciate every single moment spent with our closest ones, because we never know how many moments like this will we have. We must remember that Easter is time of happiness and it's about being together. So don't forget what's the most important – talking, laughing and enjoying every moment with your loved ones.

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Easter Eggs

Easter eggs, also called Paschal eggs, are decorated eggs that are often given to celebrate Easter or springtime. As such, Easter eggs are common during the season of Eastertide (Easter season). The oldest tradition is to use dyed and painted chicken eggs, but a modern custom is to substitute chocolate eggs, or plastic eggs filled with confectionery such as jelly beans. Eggs, in general, were a traditional symbol of fertility, and rebirth.

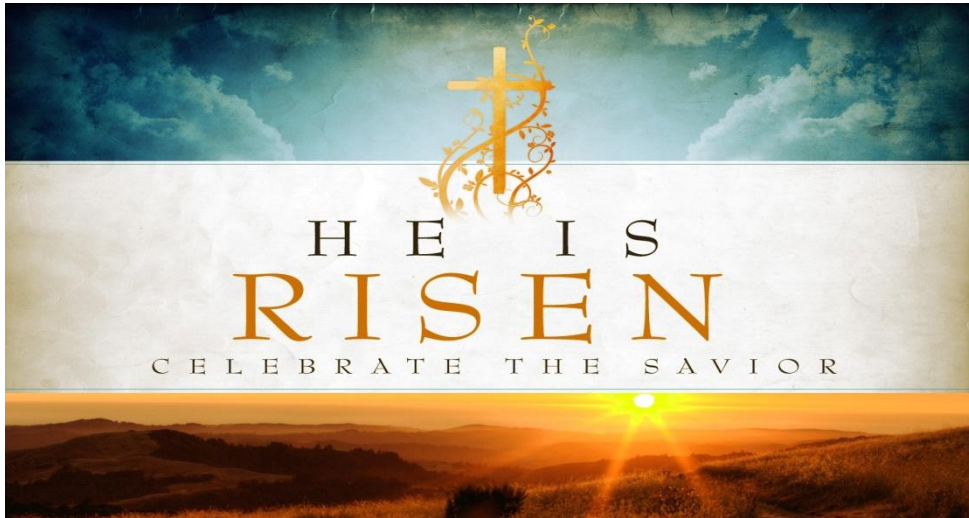
In Christianity, for the celebration of Eastertide, Easter eggs symbolize the empty tomb of Jesus: though an egg appears to be like the stone of a tomb, a bird hatches from it with life; similarly, the Easter egg, for Christians, is a reminder that Jesus rose from the grave, and that those who believe will also experience eternal life.

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Easter Sunday Traditions

There is a lot of confusion regarding what Easter Sunday is all about. For some, Easter Sunday is about the Easter Bunny, colorfully decorated Easter eggs, and Easter egg hunts. Most people understand that Easter Sunday has something to do with the resurrection of Jesus, but are confused as to how the resurrection is related to the Easter eggs and the Easter bunny.



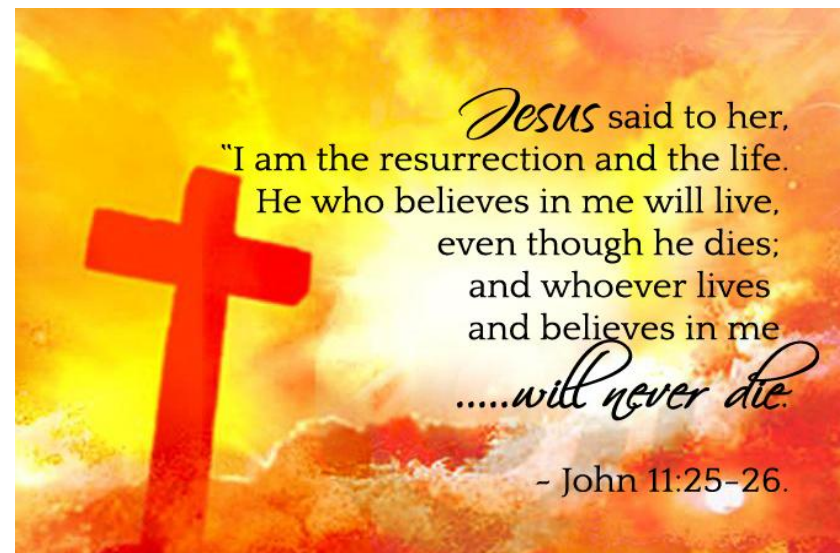
Biblically speaking, there is absolutely no connection between the resurrection of Jesus Christ and the common modern traditions related to Easter Sunday. Essentially, what occurred is that in order to make Christianity more attractive to non-Christians, the ancient Roman Catholic Church mixed the celebration of Jesus' resurrection with celebrations that involved spring fertility rituals. These spring fertility rituals are the source of the egg and bunny traditions. The Bible makes it clear that Jesus was resurrected on the first day of the week, Sunday (Matthew 28:1; Mark 16:2,9; Luke 24:1; John 20:1,19). Jesus' resurrection is most worthy of being celebrated.

While it is appropriate for Jesus' resurrection to be celebrated on a Sunday, the day on which Jesus' resurrection is celebrated should not be referred to as Easter. Easter has nothing to do with Jesus' resurrection on a Sunday.

As a result, many Christians feel strongly that the day on which we celebrate Jesus' resurrection should not be referred to as "Easter Sunday." Rather, something like "Resurrection Sunday" would be far more appropriate and biblical. For the Christian, it is unthinkable that we would allow the silliness of Easter eggs and the Easter bunny to be the focus of the day instead of Jesus' resurrection.

By all means, celebrate Christ's resurrection on Easter Sunday. Christ's resurrection is something that should be celebrated every day, not just once a year. At the same time, if we choose to celebrate Easter Sunday, we should not allow the fun and games to distract our attention from what the day should truly be all about—the fact that Jesus was resurrected from the dead, and that His resurrection demonstrates that we can indeed be promised an eternal home in Heaven by receiving Jesus as our Savior.

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Easter Monday

Easter Monday is the first Monday after Easter. It's celebrated specially in Poland, Slovakia and the Czech Republic. On this day people throw water at each other, mostly in the morning. Especially young people like it. It's a good tradition if people don't throw too much water at each other. ☺

Where does it come from? People enjoyed, that winter is ending and spring is coming. They hit each other by palms and thrown water. It was a symbol of purification of diseases, filth and sin. It was combined with visiting family and friends. This was to promote fertility, so every young girl was wet. When a girl wasn't wet, she was very sad, because it meant that she maybe won't have a husband.

Today Easter Monday is only a tradition and fun. So don't get scared if you will wake up all wet and have fun!

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SEE YOU SOON, MEOW

