

# Easter Story Quiz

*Learning objective: To retell the Easter story using understanding of the plot, characters and setting.*

Read each question carefully and choose the correct answer.

*Word bank: Bible · Cross · Garden · Family · Story*

1. What happened to Jesus before he was crucified? \*He was arrested and tried by the Roman governor.\* He was stoned by the crowd\* He was fed by angels in the wilderness\* He was betrayed by one of his friends\* (1 mark)

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2. According to the Easter story, what did the women find at Jesus' tomb? \*A big stone blocking the entrance\* A group of Roman soldiers guarding the tomb\* A bouquet of flowers\* Empty, with a stone rolled away\* (1 mark)

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3. Who helped to take Jesus down from the cross? \*The Roman soldiers\* The priests and other leaders\* A group of women who followed Jesus\* None of the above\* (1 mark)

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4. What did Jesus say to one of the thieves on the cross? \*'You will go to heaven'\* 'I am sorry for what I did'\* 'Tell my family I love them'\* 'Today you will be with me in paradise'\* (1 mark)

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5. How did Jesus feel when he was crucified? \*Sad\* Happy\* Angry\* Sorry\* (1 mark)

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6. Who is often associated with the story of Jesus and Easter? \*Mary Magdalene\* The disciples\* The Roman governor\* All of the above\* (1 mark)

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7. What happened on the third day after Jesus was buried? \*He was resurrected\* He was stoned again\* He was arrested by the Roman soldiers\* He was put on trial again\* (1 mark)

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8. What did the women take to Jesus' tomb to anoint his body? \*Flowers\* Perfume\* Food\* Oil\* (1 mark)

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9. Where did Jesus spend the night before he was crucified? \*The Garden of Gethsemane\* The city centre\* A friend's house\* The temple\* (1 mark)

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10. What is the Easter story often referred to as? \*The Passion\* The Resurrection\* The Crucifixion\* The Good News\* (1 mark)

**Draw:** Draw a picture of the Easter story, including the crucifixion, the empty tomb, and the resurrection.

A large empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for a drawing of the Easter story.

*Extension challenge: Write a short story about a character who discovers the Easter story and learns about its meaning.*