

Feast of the Nazarene

Religion · Answer Key · 10 Questions

1. What is the primary focus of the 'Pista ng Poong Nazareno'?

- A) A statue of the Virgin Mary
- B) A statue of the Black Nazarene**
- C) A feast day for saints
- D) A celebration of independence

2. Where is the 'Pista ng Poong Nazareno' most famously celebrated in the Philippines?

- A) Cebu
- B) Baguio
- C) Quiapo, Manila**
- D) Davao

3. What is the origin of the Black Nazarene statue?

- A) It was carved in the Philippines
- B) It was brought from Spain**
- C) It was found in a cave
- D) It was gifted by a foreign king

4. What is a central activity during the 'Pista ng Poong Nazareno'?

- A) A food festival
- B) A traditional dance competition
- C) A grand procession**
- D) A religious choir performance

5. What do devotees often do with the Black Nazarene statue during the procession?

- A) Sing hymns loudly
- B) Offer flowers and candles
- C) Touch or wipe it with cloths**
- D) Recite prayers from afar

6. What is the common belief associated with touching or wiping the Black Nazarene statue?

- A) It brings good luck in games
- B) It grants wishes or blessings**
- C) It ensures a long life
- D) It protects against bad dreams

7. The Black Nazarene statue is known for its distinct color. What is it?

- A) White
- B) Red
- C) Golden

D) Dark-skinned

8. The 'Pista ng Poong Nazareno' is a significant event for which religious group?

- A) Buddhists
- B) Muslims

C) Christians

D) Jews

9. What is the approximate date of the 'Pista ng Poong Nazareno' celebration?

A) December 25th

B) January 9th

C) March 15th

D) August 21st

10. The devotion to the Black Nazarene is particularly strong in which country?

- A) Mexico
- B) Italy

C) Philippines

D) Brazil