

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE ABOUT

St. Patrick

THE PATRON SAINT OF IRELAND



1. What was Saint Patrick's name at birth?
a. Lando Patrician b. Maewyn Succat c. Padwan Lucyte
2. Where was Saint Patrick born?
a. in Britain b. in Ireland c. In Scotland
3. Why do we celebrate Saint Patrick's Day on March 17?
a. it's his birthday b. it's the day he died c. it's the day he was sainted d. all the above
4. Saint Patrick used the shamrock to illustrate the concept of what?
a. God's providence b. the holy Trinity c. the Pythagorean theorem d. good luck
5. At what age was Saint Patrick kidnapped and enslaved?
a. age 6 b. age 12 c. age 16 d. age 20
6. What did Saint Patrick do during his captivity?
a. watched sheep b. became a Christian c. learned the local language d. all the above
7. How long was Saint Patrick in captivity?
a. 6 years b. 12 years c. 16 years d. 20 years
8. How did Saint Patrick escape?
a. God told him in a dream it was time to go b. he ran 200 miles away from his captor c. he convinced a captain to take him aboard d. all the above
9. According to legend, Saint Patrick did what?
a. prayed for food for starving sailors which God answered by sending a herd of swine
b. raised 33 people from the dead, some of whom had been deceased for many years
c. converted druids, chiefs, and entire clans of pagans to Christianity
d. all the above
10. Saint Patrick reportedly banished what from Ireland?
a. snakes b. demons c. practitioners of magic d. all the above
11. Saint Patrick spent years training and studying before returning to Ireland as a what?
a. priest b. bishop c. missionary d. monk
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