

USA



This tradition takes place in Washington, where families roll decorated eggs across the grass using long-handled wooden spoons.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*big, colorful,
popular, active*



GERMANY



When it's Easter, villages decorate public fountains with painted eggs, flowers, and greenery.



GREECE



People throw large red clay pots filled with water from balconies on Holy Saturday morning.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*traditional,
exciting, cool, fun*



SWEDEN



In Sweden, children dress up as Easter witches while going door to door for sweets.

POLAND



Easter Monday in Poland is a day when people splash water on friends, family, and sometimes strangers.



COMPARE CZECH REPUBLIC

the traditions

*unusual, famous,
popular, unique*



Easter Monday involves a tradition where men lightly touch women's backs with willow branches.

FRANCE



In a French town, locals gather to cook a giant omelette using 15,000 eggs on Easter Monday.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*public, traditional,
quiet, big*



SPAIN



Easter in Spain features Semana Santa (Holy Week), an Easter parade with marching bands and people dressed in hooded robes.

ITALY



In Florence, Easter in Italy is celebrated with fireworks to ensure good harvests for the year ahead.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*magical, bright,
interesting, special*

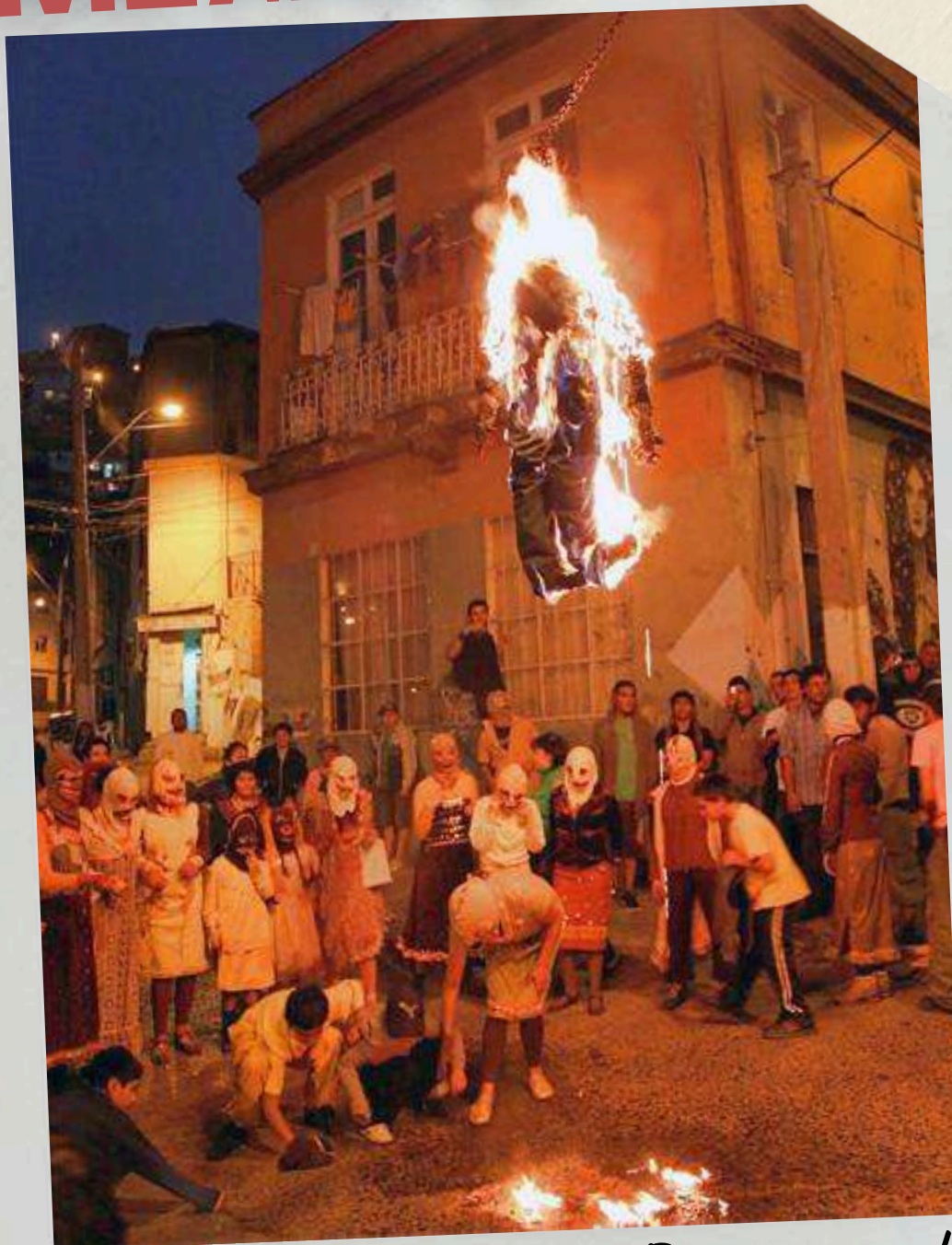


BERMUDA



Good Friday in Bermuda is celebrated by flying brightly coloured, handmade kites across the island.

MEXICO



In parts of central Mexico, Easter is marked by the burning of effigies representing Judas.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*strange, unusual,
traditional, creative*



AUSTRALIA



In Australia, you'll sometimes see Easter bilbies (often as chocolate bilbies), which is a local alternative to the Easter bunny.

BRITAIN



These buns are cooked for Easter and commemorate the crucifixion as they are decorated with a cross.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*delicious, family-
oriented, magical,
popular*



JAMAICA



In Jamaica, an egg + egg white are added to a glass of water and the shape seen in the water is read to predict the way in which you will die.

UKRAINE



Before Easter, Ukrainians use a special technique for egg decorating, which involves using a wax method.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*interesting, famous,
creative, surprising*



PHILIPPINES



The country celebrates Easter with lively ceremonies called Salubong, and gathers at the church before sunrise to put on the show.

CANADA



One of the most prominent Easter traditions in Canada is the Toronto Beaches Easter Parade - one of the biggest Easter parades in the world.

COMPARE *the traditions*

*funny, religious,
exciting, strange*



BRAZIL



In some Brazilian cities, the Paixão de Cristo (Passion Play) is performed at the largest outdoor theater in the world, the New Jerusalem Theatre.

ETHIOPIA



Easter is known as Fasika in Ethiopia and involves a 55-day fast where people don't eat meat and dairy.

COMPARE *the traditions*

public, different,
quiet, big



NIGERIA



Easter in Nigeria is a time for community. Easter church services begin early in the morning and are full of dance, music, and shared meals.