



Happy  
New  
Year!

*Celebrate*

**National Unicorn Day**

**National Former Prisoner of War Day**

**National Chinese Almond Cookie Day**

**National Winston Churchill Day**

**National Name Yourself Day**

**National Cherish an Antique Day**

**Easter**





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**The Sabbath (Leviticus 23:3)**

**Passover (Leviticus 23:5)**

**The Festival of Unleavened Bread (Leviticus 23:6-8)**

**The Festival of Firstfruits (Leviticus 23:9-14)**

**The Festival of Weeks (Leviticus 23:15-22)**

**What are we Celebrating Today?**



A photograph of two men in white prayer shawls (kippot and tallitot) blowing trumpets (shofars) against a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. The men are positioned on the left and right sides of the frame, facing each other. The background shows a panoramic view of a city with buildings and greenery under a clear sky. The image is framed by a thin green border.

# Festival of Trumpets

Leviticus 23:23-25

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**When was it Celebrated?**

**Today this festival is known as Rosh Hashana**

**It is celebrated the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the 7<sup>th</sup> month.**

**That would be around the end of September or beginning of October**

**This would have also been the time of year when Roman censuses were taken so this it probably the correct placement for the birth of Jesus.**

**Why are we doing this on Easter?**



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**What were they Celebrating?**

**It is another harvest holiday**

**The festival would have been following the last grape harvest.**

**It was a time the Israelites looked back on God's provision and forward to God's promise**

**I was also the marker to begin their time of preparation for next year's harvest.**



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**How was is Celebrated?**

**It started with a day of rest and a sacred assembly**

**Blowing Trumpets**

**It was celebrated for 10 days and ended on  
the Day of Atonement**

**It was also a marker to begin preparation for the  
final celebration the Festival of Tents to begin  
on the 15th day of the month**





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**How was it celebrated?**

**During the festival of trumpets starting from the tabernacle (later the temple) for 10 days trumpets blasts would sound throughout the land.**

**Upon hearing the blasts the people would respond with a large shout.**

**God is in Our Land**



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# Sacrifice

**Numbers 26:1-6**



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**Food Offering: 1 young bull and 1 ram,  
7 male lambs**

**A grain offering of**

**3/10 of an ephah of the finest flour  
mixed with olive oil with the bull**

**2/10 with the Ram**

**1/10 with each lamb (7/10)**

**Plus 1 male goat.**

**It was all burnt, and it was said  
to be a pleasing aroma to God.**



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**What has this got to  
do with**

**Easter**





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**Festival of Trumpets**  
**Was About Hope**

**Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.**



**1 Peter 1:3**





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**Was a time of remembrance  
for what God provided**

**The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word. After he had provided purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven.**



**Hebrews 1:3**



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**Was a time to look forward to God's promise**

**A Promised Return (Matthew 24:30-31)**

**A Promised Resurrection (1 Corinthians 15:51-52)**

**A Promised Reunion (1 Thessalonians 4:15-16)**

**A Promised Reign (Revelation 11:15-17)**





# *Celebrate* **The Trumpet Blast!**

**Can be used as an alarm danger is near (Joel 2:1)**

**Can be used as call to battle (Job 39:25)**

**Can be used to proclaim good news (Psalm 98:4-6)**

**Can be used to announce the arrival of a king  
(Zechariah 9:14)**

## **What will you Hear?**







*Happy*  
**EASTER**

Celebrate the resurrection of our Lord!