

continues the purification of his inward self. The day is also celebrated in Muslim communities in other parts of the world with festivities and the exchange of gifts.

8. Sacrificing an animal: In the practice of Abraham, the pilgrims sacrifice an animal. A portion of the meat is used by the pilgrim himself, some is shared by his friends and the rest is used to feed the hungry and poor.
9. Shaving the hair of the head. This act is performed by men only and symbolizes renewal and a departure from old habits and practices.
10. A return to the Sacred House: Once more the pilgrim goes around the Ka'ba and walks between Safa and Marwa. It is a confirmation of his commitment to God and his pledge to reform his ways.

3. What are the benefits of Hajj?

The rituals of Hajj are meant to inspire a Muslim and make him aware of the spiritual dimension of his existence. Indeed, pilgrims who complete the Hajj consider it one of the greatest

spiritual experiences of their lives. Moreover, in this remarkable annual convention, the pilgrim gets to meet people from every corner of the world, whose only common factor is that they are all Muslims.

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