

# Islam — Ramadan

## What is Ramadan?

Fill in the blanks.

\_\_\_\_\_ is the \_\_\_\_\_ month in the Muslim calendar. At this time, Muslims will \_\_\_\_\_ during \_\_\_\_\_ hours for the whole month. During Ramadan, Muslims celebrate the time when the verses of their holy book, the \_\_\_\_\_, were revealed to the Prophet \_\_\_\_\_.

Muslims fast during Ramadan to help them remember poorer people and to be more \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_ and more generous. As well as fasting, they will spend lots of time \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the Qur'an. They will also try to do \_\_\_\_\_ and will give money to charity.

Ramadan is a time to spend with \_\_\_\_\_ and family, too. Often the fast is broken by several families coming together. The first meal eaten after sunset is called the \_\_\_\_\_. This often consists of \_\_\_\_\_. A bigger meal will also be eaten in the evening.

At the end of Ramadan there is a big festival called \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_. The fasting is over. People wear their best \_\_\_\_\_ and give \_\_\_\_\_ to children. They must also give money to \_\_\_\_\_ for the poor so they can celebrate too. Friends and family will gather together to celebrate.

Eid-ul-Fitr    ninth    dates    good deeds    iftar    gifts  
self-disciplined    fast    Ramadan    Muhammad    charity  
praying    friends    Qur'an    clothes    daylight    reading