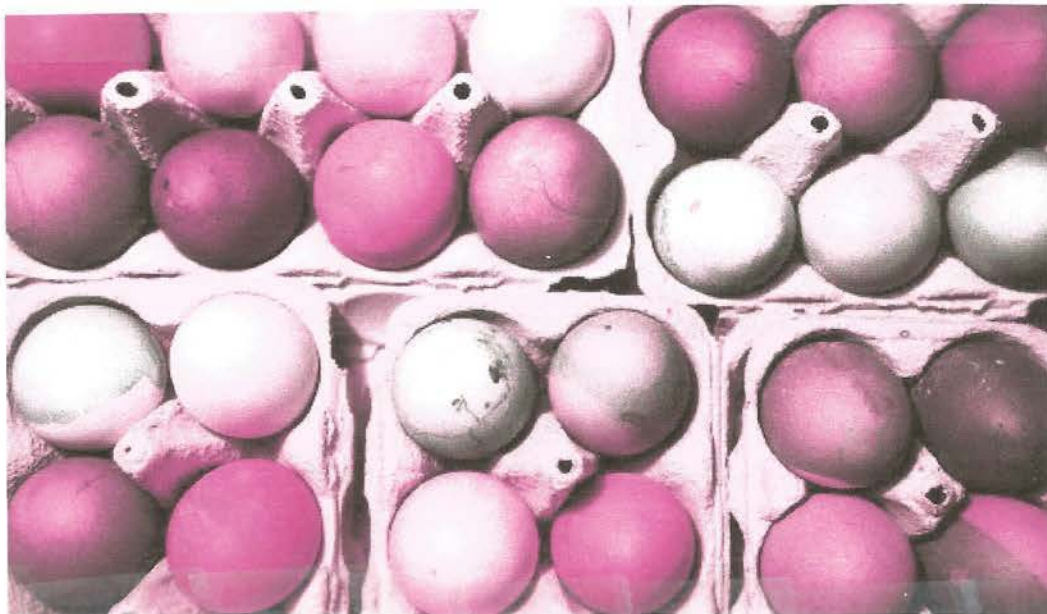


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Nine ways to celebrate Easter like a German



4. **Eat a lamb:** The lamb is also a symbol of spring and fertility and is eaten at Easter. Germans also bake a cake in the form of a lamb.



5. **Paint some eggs:** Painting Easter eggs is a tradition now done in many countries, but it is particularly strong in Germany. Painting the eggs was seen as a form of blessing them before they were eaten to mark the end of the Easter fasting period.