



Opinion Poll SOCIAL BEHAVIOR Religious Practices in Pakistan (Part 2)

*This is a **5 part series** on **5** aspects of religious practice in Pakistan. **Part 1** deals with claims about attending Friday prayers at a local mosque; **Part 2** deals with attending annual congregation/festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine; **Part 3** deals with participation in religious education (Tabligh) by listening to someone who visited your home for this purpose (Dawaa); **Part 4** deals with participation in religious education (Tabligh) by participating in a group which went to other people's homes for this purpose (Dawaa). **Part 5** deals with source of Guidance on religious matters, that is, the person who influences you most on religious matters.*

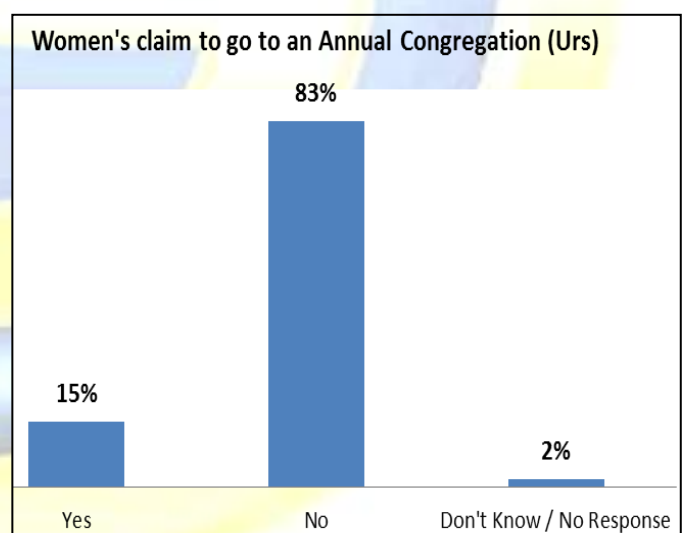
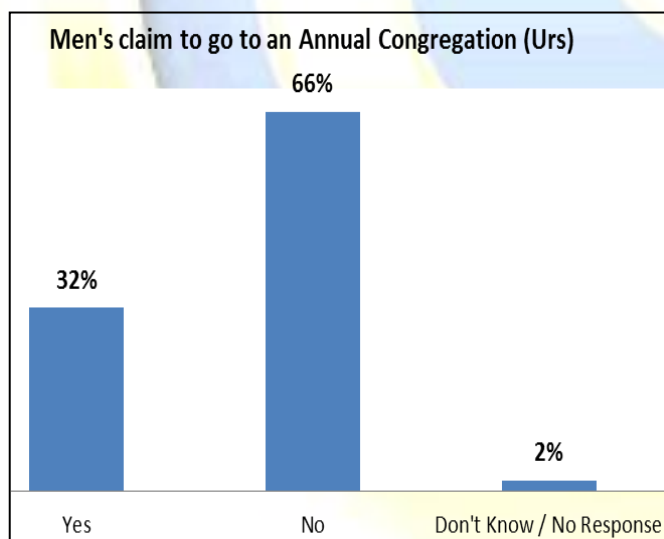
32% of Men and 15% of Pakistani Women claim they participated in an annual congregation / festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine during the last one year. GILANI POLL/GALLUP PAKISTAN

Islamabad, May 21, 2012

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 32% of Men and 15% of Pakistani Women claim they participated in an annual congregation / festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine during the last one year.

A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked "Did you get a chance to attend an annual congregation / festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine in the last one year?" Responding to this, 32% of males claim that they have participated in an annual congregation / festival (Urs) in the past one year, 66% claim that they did not get a chance, however, 2% did not give a view. 15% of females claim that they participated in an annual congregation / festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine in the past one year, 83% claim that they did not get a chance, however, 2% did not give a view.

Question: "Did you get a chance to attend an annual congregation / festival (Urs) at a Sufi shrine in the last one year?"



Source: Gallup and Gilani Surveys

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The study was released by Gilani foundation and carried out by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 2697 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during April 15 - April 21, 2012. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.



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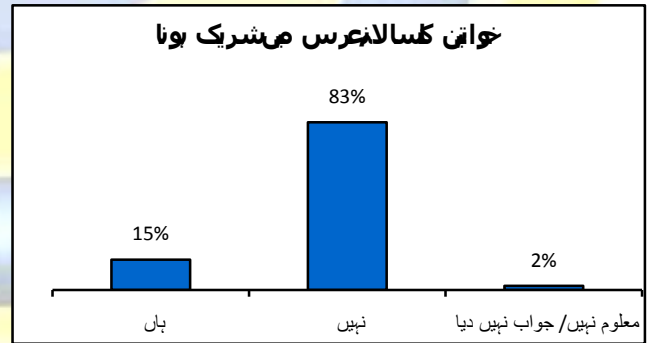
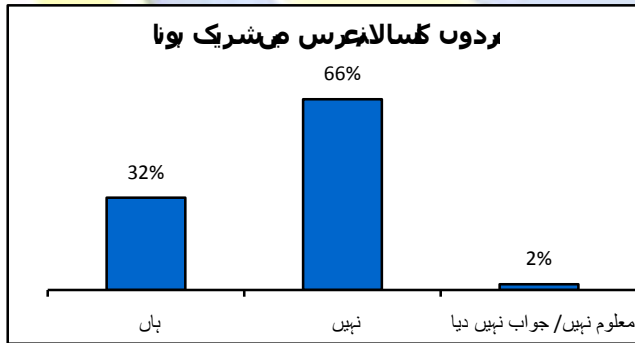
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سروے میں ملک بھر سے شماریاتی طور پر منتخب خواتین و حضرات سے یہ سوال پوچھا گیا کہ، 'کیا آپ کو گزشتہ ایک سال کے دوران کسی بزرگ کے عرس میں شریک ہونے کا موقع ملا ہے؟'، اس سوال کے جواب میں 32% مرد حضرات کے مطابق انہیں گزشتہ ایک برس میں کسی بزرگ کے عرس میں جانے کا اتفاق ہوا ہے۔ 66% افراد کے مطابق انہیں کسی عرس میں شرکت کرنے کا موقع نہیں ملا۔ بقیہ 2% نے کسی رائے کا اظہار نہیں کیا۔ خواتین میں سے 15% کے مطابق انہیں گزشتہ ایک برس میں کسی بزرگ کے عرس میں جانے کا موقع ملا، 83% کے مطابق انہیں موقع نہیں ملا، جبکہ 2% نے کسی رائے کا اظہار نہیں کیا۔

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گیلانی ریسرچ فاؤنڈیشن کا حالیہ سروے گلیپ انٹرنیشنل سے منسلک گلیپ پاکستان کی مدد سے کیا گیا۔ یہ سروے پاکستان کے چاروں صوبوں کی دیہی اور شہری آبادی کے 2697 مرد اور خواتین سے 15 اپریل تا 21 اپریل 2012 میں منعقد ہوا۔ غلطی کے امکان کا تخمینہ شماریاتی طور پر تقریباً $\pm 2-3\%$ لگایا گیا ہے۔



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