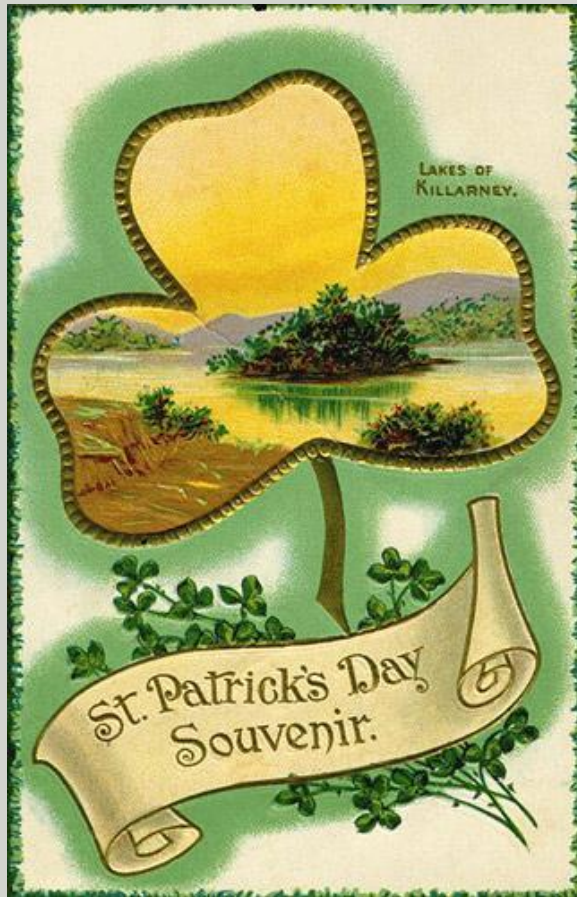


# Traditions in Northern Ireland



**Gaelic Football** is the most favorite sport in Ireland.



**Hurling** is Ireland's most characteristic sport. It has an ancient history and is mentioned in many old Irish tales.



The Irish have a deep love for horses. They say that **Horse Racing** is the sport of kings. Most of the horse races take place from March until November.



Irish food is simple: meat, seafood, potato, vegetables. Traditional meals are **stews** and **roast meat**.



Irish dances are known all over the world.



One of the greatest Irish festivals  
St. Patrick's Day.



It is a cultural and religious holiday widely celebrated on the 17th of March. The day generally involves public parades and festivals.

