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## Saint-Médard march in Solre-sur-Sambre

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This military march, dedicated to Saint Médard, features a torch-lit walk, a procession through the streets of the village, a square-shaped battalion...

## Origin of the Napoleonic marches

First religious then marked by the Napoleonic era, marches evolved through the 20th century to what they are today.

### The marches

Between March and September, 20,000 join these events, dressing up in historical outfits to keep the tradition alive. Each march has its own rules and customs.

#### **UNESCO's Lists of Intangible Heritage**

The Entre-Sambre-et-Meuse marches are protected by UNESCO.

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