

Chapter 1 : Submission (Islam)

The first thing that one should know and clearly understand about Islam, is what the word "Islam" itself means. The Arabic word "Islam" means the submission or surrender of one's will to the only true God, known in Arabic as "Allah".

Nor was it named after a tribe like Judaism after the tribe of Judah and Hinduism after the Hindus. Hence, it was not a new religion brought by Prophet Muhammad PBUH I in Arabia in the seventh century, but only the true religion of Allah re-expressed in its final form. Islam is the religion which was given to Adam, the first man and the first prophet of Allah, and it was the religion of all the prophets sent by Allah to mankind. It was chosen by Allah Himself and clearly mentioned in His final revelation to man. In fact, Christ was not even his name, nor was it Jesus! The name "Christ" comes from the Greek word Christos which means the anointed. That is, Christ is a Greek translation of the Hebrew title "Messiah". The name "Jesus" on the other hand, is a latinized version of the Hebrew name Esau. As for his religion, it was what he called his followers to. Like the prophets before him, he called the people to surrender their will to the will of Allah; which is Islam and he warned them to stay away from the false gods of human imagination. According to the New Testament, he taught his followers to pray as follows: If man prays to a tree and his prayers are answered, it was not the tree which answered his prayers but Allah who allowed the circumstances prayed for to take place. One might say, "That is obvious," however, to tree-worshippers it might not be. Jesus did not tell his followers to worship him but to worship Allah. It is the belief that the essence of Allah is everywhere in His creation or that His divine being is or was present in some aspects of His creation, which has provided justification for the worship of creation though such worship may be called the worship of Allah through his creation. However, the message of Islam as brought by the prophets of Allah is to worship only Allah and to avoid the worship of his creation either directly or indirectly. Whereas, one who understands the basic message of Islam and its implications would never concede to idolatry no matter how it is rationalized. Those who have claimed divinity for themselves down through the ages have often based their claims on the mistaken belief that Allah is present in man. They merely had to assert that although Allah according to their false beliefs, is in all of us, He is more present in them than in the rest of us. Hence, they claim, we should submit our will to them and worship them as they are either God in person or God concentrated within the person. One who has grasped the basic message of Islam and its implications could never agree to worship another human being under any circumstances. This is the meaning of the motto of Islam: Thus, the final Prophet of Islam is reported to have said, "Any one who says: There is no god but Allah and dies holding that belief will enter paradise". It consists in the submission to Allah as one God, yielding to Him by obeying His commandments, and the denial of polytheism and polytheists. How can one determine which one is correct or if, in fact, all are correct? The method by which the answer can be found is to clear away the superficial differences in the teachings of the various claimants to the ultimate truth, and identify the central object of worship to which they call, directly or indirectly. False religions all have in common one basic concept with regards to Allah. Thus, it may be stated that the basic message of false religion is that Allah may be worshipped in the form of His creation. False religion invites man to the worship of creation by calling the creation or some aspect of it God. For example, prophet Jesus invited his followers to worship Allah but those who claim to be his followers today call people to worship Jesus, claiming that he was Allah! Buddha was a reformer who introduced a number of humanistic principles to the religion of India. He did not claim to be God nor did he suggest to his followers that he be an object of worship. Yet, today most Buddhists who are to be found outside of India have taken him to be God and prostrate to idols made in their perception of his likeness. By using the principle of identifying the object of worship, false religion becomes very obvious and the contrived nature of their origin clear. That which you worship besides Him are only names you and your forefathers have invented for which Allah has sent down no authority: The command belongs only to Allah: He has commanded that you only worship Him; that is the right religion, but most men do not understand ". The reply is that all false religions teach the greatest evil, the worship of creation. Creation-worship is the greatest sin that man can commit because it contradicts the very purpose of his creation. One who dies in this state of idolatry has sealed his fate in the next life. This is not an

opinion, but a revealed fact stated by Allah in his final revelation to man: There can not be conditions like baptism, belief in a man, as a saviour etc. Whenever man comes to the realization that Allah is one and distinct from His creation, and submits himself to Allah, he becomes a Muslim in body and spirit and is eligible for paradise. Man will be held responsible for his choices, and, as such, he should try his utmost to do good and avoid evil. The ultimate good being the worship of Allah alone and the ultimate evil being the worship of His creation along with or instead of Allah. This fact is expressed in the final revelation as follows: If only they had stood by the law, the Gospel, and all the revelation that was sent to them from their Lord, they would have enjoyed happiness from every side. There is from among them a party on the right course; but many of them follow a course that is evil. For people to be responsible for worshipping Allah they all have to have access to knowledge of Allah. The final revelation teaches that all mankind have the recognition of Allah imprinted on their souls, a part of their very nature with which they are created. To which they all replied, " Yes, we testify to It: He said, "That was in case you mankind should say on the day of Resurrection, "Verily we were unaware of all this. No one told us that we were only supposed to worship You alone. Allah went on to explain That it was also in case you should say, "Certainly It was our ancestors who made partners With Allah and we are only their descendants; will You then destroy us for what those liars did? If the child were left alone, he would worship Allah in his own way, but all children are affected by those things around them, seen or unseen. The Prophet PBUH also said, "Each child is born in a state of "Fitrah", then his parents make him a Jew, Christian or a Zoroastrian, the way an animal gives birth to a normal offspring. Have you noticed any that were born mutilated? So, just as the child submits to the physical laws which Allah has put in nature, his soul also submits naturally to the fact that Allah is his Lord and Creator. But, his parents try to make him follow their own way and the child is not strong enough in the early stages of his life to resist or oppose the will of his parents. The religion which the child follows at this stage is one of custom and upbringing and Allah does not hold him to account or punish him for this religion. For example, in the South Eastern region of the Amazon jungle in Brazil, South America, a primitive tribe erected a new hut to house their main idol Skwatch, representing the supreme God of all creation. The homage to the God, and while he was in prostration to what he had been taught was his Creator and Sustainer, a mangy old flea-ridden dog walked into the hut, The young man looked up in time to see the dog lift its hind leg and pass urine on the idol. Outraged, the youth chased the dog out of the temple, but when his rage died down he realized that the idol could not be the Lord of the universe. Allah must be elsewhere. As strange as it may seem, that was a sign from Allah for that young man. It contained within it divine guidance that what he was worshipping was false. For example, the ten commandments of the Torah, their confirmation in the Gospels and the existence of laws against murder, stealing and adultery in most societies. Consequently, every soul will be held to account for its belief in Allah and its acceptance of the religion of Islam; the total submission to the will of Allah. We pray to Allah, the exalted, to keep us on the right path to which He has guided us, and to bestow on us a blessing from Him, He is indeed the Most Merciful. Praise and gratitude be to Allah, the Lord of the worlds, and peace and blessings be on prophet Muhammed, his Family, his companions, and those who rightly follow them. Abu Ameenah Bilal Philips.

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In this light, Islam is not the religion of the Quran alone, nor is the religion brought by Prophet Muhammad. It is written in the Quran that Islam (Submission to God), is as old as Abraham (), and that all the practises of Islam were first given to Abraham and his sons long before Muhammad was born.

Islam, which is typically translated as "submission to God" Quran, chapter 3, verse 19 , is derived from the Arabic word salam, which means "peace. There are 6 million Muslims in the United States and Islam is one of the fastest growing religions in the country. Islam is the dominant religion throughout large portions of Asia and Africa, with the largest Muslim populations living in Indonesia Islam is the second largest of the three major monotheistic religions, the others being Christianity and Judaism. There are five basic beliefs of Islam: Belief in one god. Allah is the Arabic word for god, not believed to be a separate god from the Judeo-Christian version. Jihad struggle is not the initiation of violence in the name of Islam. Rather, the religious precept directs Muslims to study, preach, and defend Islam. Muslims worship God directly. Religious leaders do not have any divine characteristics; people and objects are not considered holy. It is, in fact, sacrilegious to worship anything or anyone outside of God. Muslims, unlike Christians, do not believe that Jesus was the Messiah, although they do believe he was a prophet. The Quran contains much of the basic information told in the Hebrew Bible as well as additional information. Women and men dress modestly out of reverence for God. Muslim women are not more submissive than other women. Some argue that Muslim women, in fact, have been treated better than women in other cultures. For example, women in Islam were given the right to vote about 1, years ago, centuries before other women. Of course, like many other cultures, patriarchal culture can corrupt Muslim culture. There are two main sects of Islam: One of their main differences is in their beliefs about who were the leaders following the death of Prophet Muhammad. The majority of Muslims in the world today are Sunnis. Shiite, from the Arabic word for "faction," believe that leaders must be descendants of Muhammad through his daughter Fatima and her husband Ali. They rule Iran and also have a sizeable presence in Iraq and Syria. Wahhabism, an extremely strict interpretation of Islam founded in the 18th century by Muhammad bin Abd al-Wahhab, is practiced in Saudi Arabia and Qatar. It is the form of Islam espoused by Osama bin Laden. It is often discounted by Islamic scholars. Muslims follow the lunar calendar, and thus their holidays move approximately 11 days on the Christian calendar. There are two major holidays in Islam: Ramadan is the ninth month of the lunar calendar when it was thought that the Prophet Muhammad received the Quran. Islam is very family-oriented. The primary means of transmitting the religion are through the family. Therefore parents, both mothers and fathers, take on a big responsibility when raising children. This family orientation also translates into a community-oriented way of life that can greatly conflict with Western notions of individuality. Additional Resources For more detailed information about Islam, go to www. Alan Godlas of the University of Georgia.

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Islam: A way of life. Islam is a natural way of life that encourages one to give due attention to their relationship with God and His creation. Islam teaches that it is through the doing of good deeds and seeking the pleasure of God that souls find true happiness and peace.

What is Islam, and what do Muslims believe? Islam is a religious system begun in the seventh century by Muhammad. Belief in one Allah: Muslims believe Allah is one, eternal, creator, and sovereign. Belief in the angels. Belief in the prophets: Belief in the revelations of Allah: Muslims accept certain portions of the Bible, such as the Torah and the Gospels. Belief in the last day of judgment and the hereafter: Everyone will be resurrected for judgment into either paradise or hell. Muslims believe Allah has decreed everything that will happen. The testimony of faith shahada: Muhammad is the messenger of Allah. The shahada shows that a Muslim believes in Allah alone as deity and believes that Muhammad reveals Allah. Five ritual prayers must be performed every day. This almsgiving is a certain percentage given once a year. Muslims fast during Ramadan in the ninth month of the Islamic calendar. They must not eat or drink from dawn until sunset. If physically and financially possible, a Muslim must make the pilgrimage to Mecca in Saudi Arabia at least once. The hajj is performed in the twelfth month of the Islamic calendar. Still, Allah may reject them. Even Muhammad was not sure whether Allah would admit him to paradise. Surah An Evaluation of Islam Compared to Christianity, Islam has some similarities but significant differences. Like Christianity, Islam is monotheistic. Islam asserts that Jesus, though born of a virgin, was created like Adam. Muslims do not believe Jesus died on the cross. They do not understand why Allah would allow His prophet Isa the Islamic word for "Jesus" to die a torturous death. Yet the Bible shows how the death of the perfect Son of God was essential to pay for the sins of the world. Isaiah The Bible, however, was completed in the first century with the Book of Revelation. Muslims believe that paradise can be earned through keeping the Five Pillars. The Bible, in contrast, reveals that sinful man can never measure up to the holy God. Romans 3: Because of these essential differences and contradictions, Islam and Christianity cannot both be true. The truth has eternal consequences. By this you know the Spirit of God:

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But this belief is not enough. Many of the idolaters knew and believed that only the Supreme God could do all this and yet they associated other gods with Him. Therefore, one must acknowledge the fact that it is God alone who deserves to be worshipped, and thus abstain from worshipping any other thing or being. Likewise, Muslims believe that God has no father or mother, no son or daughter. None is equal to Him. He is God of all humankind, not of a special tribe or race. Worship of God alone and no one else The Quran, the holy book of Islam, reminds us of the falsity of all alleged gods. To the worshippers of man-made objects, it asks: And are the depths of darkness equal to the light? He is the One, the All Compelling. I have turned my face as a true believer towards Him who created the heavens and the earth. I am not one of the polytheists. Belief in God Unseen Having achieved this knowledge of the One True God, one should constantly have faith in Him, and should allow nothing to induce them to deny the truth. Belief in the Unseen One of the striking results of faith is the feeling of gratitude towards God, which could be said to be the essence of worship. Believers love, and are grateful to, God for the bounties He bestowed upon them. They are aware of the fact that their good deeds can never be equivalent to Divine favors, and therefore they are always anxious to please God. They remembers God often. The Quran promotes this feeling of gratitude by repeating the attributes of God very frequently. Learn more about Gratitude in Islam here! The best names belong to Him. Everything in the heavens and earth glorifies Him: He is the Almighty, the Wise. There is no one worthy of worship except Allah by Why-Islam Why-Islam presents the introduction of the first article of faith in Islam. It means that God has no partner: He exists by Himself. This is a fundamental doctrine encompassing the oneness of God in every sense of the expression. Nothing can rival Him as a source of power or love. He is not an abstract concept. He is always near us; He cares for us and we owe our existence to Him alone. For more information, please contact us at Why-Islam or visit us www.whyislam.com.

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They have nothing to fear, nor will they grieve. Masjid Tucson is the masjid or mosque for the Community of the Submitters in Tucson. The Submitters follow the religion of Abraham It was the religion of Moses and Jesus and Muhammad. It was the religion of all of the prophets and messengers. All of them were Submitters to God, and God alone. How to Become a Member? We are not a professional religious group or organization. Our aim is to encourage people to worship God alone and guide them to the truth in His scripture. To be a Submitter, you do not need any membership, nor do you have to pay any dues. If you are a Submitter, then you are our brother or sister. There is also no formal process of becoming a Submitter. Once you decide to embrace Submission â€” worship God alone and follow His commands - you are already on your way. Submission to God alone is a personal relationship between you and God. You are answerable to Him directly and He alone will judge you. To be a Submitter, you do not need to change your name or learn another language, or abandon your cultural identity or anything like that. Submitters are members of one family. They are allies of one another. They help and support each other as God and His angels help and support them. They are also united in one column when striving in the cause of God. One Unifying Religion It is a known fact that all religions of the worldâ€”Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, and othersâ€”have been corrupted one way or another through innovations, traditions, and the idolization of humans such as the prophets and the saints. Many people use religion to justify wars, terrorism, tyranny, and for economic and political gain. They follow the truth from their Lord, not corrupted religions and man-made doctrines. As Submitters, we believe that Submission today is like a precious jewel that is buried under piles upon piles of man-made innovations. It is time for Submitters from all religions to come out and support each other to preach the true message of God and join the fight against the corruptions of their religions. Just drop us a note and ask to be on the mailing list for our newsletter. Also, if you know any other people whom you think may benefit from the web site, please pass the word to them. No Compulsion in Religion We are not trying to convert anyone, but only to present the true Islam Submission to the world. God specifically states in the Quran that: There shall be no compulsion in religion: Anyone who denounces the devil and believes in GOD has grasped the strongest bond; one that never breaks. GOD is Hearer, Omniscient.

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of Islam: submission to the will of the one true God. God And Creation Since the total submission of one's will to God represents the essence of worship, the basic.

What about Judaism and Christianity? After all, these religions were also authorised by God! However, if we discard all labels Judaism, Christianity, Islam and inspect the ideology of any of these divine revelations we would note the following relevant issues: The word Islam simply means Submission to God. The only true religion as far as God is concerned after discarding the labels is Submission to God Islam. They are not religions approved by God. God does not call them religions, but creeds: As a result, those who claim that they follow their Prophets should stop and ask themselves, why are they following sects never approved by their Prophets? God commands us in the Quran not to follow any sects, but devote ourselves wholeheartedly to the name of God alone: As for those who have divided their religion and broke up into sects, you shall have nothing to do with them. Their case rests with God, then He will inform them of what they used to do. When Jesus Christ preached the love and submission to God, he never claimed that he was initiating a new religion called Christianity. In actual fact Jesus proclaimed that he had not come to change the law of the Torah but to confirm it Mathew 5: In this light, Islam is not the religion of the Quran alone, nor is the religion brought by Prophet Muhammad. He has legislated for you of the religion what He has instructed for Noah. What We inspired to you, and what We instructed for Abraham, Moses and Jesus, is that you should establish the religion and do not be divided therein. He was not one of the mushrikeen. So you shall know that there is no god besides God. The natural result of such a realisation is to devote our lives and our worship absolutely to God alone: Say, "My Salat prayer , my worship practices, my life and my death, are all devoted to God, the Lord of the worlds. He has no partner. This is what I was commanded with, and I am the first to submit. These acts Prayer, pilgrimage, etc. We made them Abraham and his sons leaders who guide by Our command and We inspired them to work good deeds, to observe the Salat and to give the Zakat. This belief is erroneous since it violates the truth of the Quran. In the Quran we read: This took place long before the time of Muhammad. All practises were thus restored to their pristine purity in the Quran. God also promised that the Quran will never be corrupted The creed of Abraham millat Ibrahim is defined in all verses which contain this phrase as Monotheism. They were also commanded to refrain from associating any partners with God Hence the command is issued in 5: Do we then conclude that there should be one revelation? The need for different revelations at different times and for different people is justified because of the following: Although various revelations are identical in message and truth, we find that God never addresses identical revelations to peoples of different eras. This being so, it can be said that diverse revelations do not, and should not contradict one another, for although they differ in form, the religion decreed in all of them, which is Islam Submission to God , is one and the same. Ultimately, the apparent contradiction is usually due to the acquisition of corrupt scripts, or due to the misinterpretation of the original script. If we add the effects of culture and tradition in their application of the revelation, we can understand what causes the widening gap between the factions. The result of that is we are left with a multitude of corrupt man-made religions. These sub-religions in many ways hardly bare any resemblance to the original religion decreed by God. Many people would not have even heard of those Scriptures that had already been revealed in various other parts of the world. This is why a new Scripture would be revealed to new communities who had not received a Scripture. However, after the revelation of the Quran, there became no need for any further revelations. Not because the message of the Quran is any different from the message of the Torah or the Gospel, but because of the following reasons: As a result, since the message of the Quran remains intact, there becomes no need for further revelations. People do not have to travel to hear or receive information, as it can be received through the numerous media channels that were not available a few centuries ago.

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Thus, Jesus, like the prophets before him and the only one who came after him, taught to religion of Islam: submission to the will of the one true God. God and Creation Since the total submission of one's will to God represents the essence of worship, the basic message of God's divine religion, Islam, is the worship of God alone.

Conclusion Which is The Religion of God? Each person is born in a circumstance which is not of his own choosing. The religion of his family or the ideology of the state is thrust upon him from the very beginning of his existence in this world. By the time he reaches his teens, he is usually fully brain-washed into believing that the beliefs of his particular society are the correct beliefs that everyone should have. However, when some people mature and are exposed to other belief-systems, they begin to question the validity of their own beliefs. The seekers of truth often each a point of confusion upon realizing that each and every religion, sect, ideology and philosophy claims to be the one only correct way for man. Indeed, they all contain some valid and reasonable points, and they all encourage people to do good. So, which one is right? They cannot all be right since each claims that all the others are wrong. How then does the seeker of truth choose the right way? God gave us all minds and intellects to enable us to make this crucial decision. It is the most important decision in the life of a human being. Upon it depends his future. Consequently, each and every one of us must examine dispassionately the evidence presented and choose what appears to be right until further evidence arises. Like every other religion or philosophy, Islam also claims to be the one and only true way to God. In this respect it is no different from other systems. This booklet intends to provide some evidence for the validity of that claim. However, it must always be kept in mind that one can only determine the true path by putting aside emotions and prejudices which often blind us to reality. Then, and only then, will we be able to use our God-given intelligence and make a rational and correct decision. The following are only three of the most obvious. The first argument is based on the divine origin of the name of the religion and the comprehensiveness of its meaning. The second deals with the unique and uncomplicated teachings concerning the relationship between God, man, and creation. The third argument derives from the fact that Islam is universally attainable by all men at all times. These are three basic components of what logic and reason dictate necessary for a religion to be considered the true religion of God. The following pages will develop these concepts in some detail. One who submits his will to God is termed in Arabic a "Muslim". The religion of Islam is not named after a person or a people, nor was it decided upon by later generations of man, as in the case of Christianity which was named after Jesus Christ, Buddhism after Gotama Buddha, Confucianism after Confucius, Marxism after Karl Marx, Judaism after the tribe of Judah and Hinduism after the Hindus. Islam submission to the will of God is the religion which was sent to Adam, the first man and the first prophet of God, and it was the religion of all the prophets sent by Allah to mankind. Further its name was chosen by God Himself and clearly mentioned in the final scripture which He revealed to man. At this point we might comment briefly on two other religions that claim to be the true path. Like the prophets before him, he called upon the people to surrender their will to the will of God which is what Islam stands for. For example; in the New Testament it is stated that Jesus taught his followers to pray to God as follows: He taught, for example, that only those who submitted would inherit paradise. I judge as I hear and my judgement is honest because I am not seeking my own will but the will of Him who sent me. For example, when speaking about the final Hour, he said: It also requires the avoidance of worship directed to any person, place or thing other than God. Accordingly, if a man prays to a tree and his prayers are answered, it is not the tree which answers his prayers but God, who allows the circumstances prayed for to take place. One might say, "That is obvious. Did you say to men, worship me and my mother as gods besides Allah? And Jesus was reported in the Gospels to have said: God is neither equal to His creation nor apart of it, nor is His creation equal to Him or apart of Him. However, the message of Islam, as brought by the prophets of God, is to worship only God and to avoid the worship of His creation either directly or indirectly. One who has accepted the concept of God being present in any way within His creation will be obliged to accept this argument for idolatry. Whereas, one who understands the basic message of Islam and its implications would never accede to idolatry no matter how it is

rationalized. Those who have claimed divinity for themselves down through the ages have often based their claims on the mistaken belief that God is present in man. Taking one step further, they claim that God is more present in them than in the rest of us, and that other humans should therefore submit to them and worship them as God in person or as God concentrated within their person. It should be abundantly clear by now that one who has grasped the basic message of Islam and its implications could never agree to worship another human being under any circumstance. This is the meaning of the motto of Islam: This the final prophet of Islam is reported to have said, "Any one who says: There is no go but Allah, and dies holding that belief will enter paradise. It also requires the believer to give up the worship of false gods. The Message of False Religions There are so many sects, cults, religions, philosophies, and movements in the world, all of which daimyo be the right way or the only true path to God! How can one determine which one is correct or whether, infact, all are correct? One method by which the answer can be found is to clear away the superficial differences in the teachings of the various claimants to the ultimate truth, and identify the central object of worship upon which they call, directly or indirectly. False religions all have in common one basic concept with regard to God: Thus, it may be stated that the basic message of false religion is that God maybe worshipped in the form of His creation. False religion invites man to the worship of creation by calling the creation or some aspect of it God. Buddha was a reformer who introduced a number of humanistic principles in the religion of India. He did not claim to be God, nor did he suggest to his followers that he be an object of worship. Yet today most Buddhists who are to be found outside of India have taken him to be God and they prostrate themselves to idols made in their perception of his likeness. By using the principle of identifying the object of worship we can easily detect false religions and the contrived nature of their origin. He has commanded that you worship Him; that is the right religion, but most men do not understand. The reply is that all false religions teach the greatest evil: Creation-worship is the greatest sin that man can commit because it contradicts the very purpose of his creation. One who dies in this state of idolatry has sealed his fate in the next life. This is not an opinion, but a revealed fact stated by God in His final revelation to man: In other words, the true religion of God cannot be confined to any one people, place or period of time. Nor is it logical that such a religion should impose conditions that have nothing to do with the relationship of man with God, such as baptise or belief in man as a savour, or go-betweenes. Whenever man comes to the realization that God is one and distinct from His creation and submits himself to God, he becomes a Muslim in body and spirit and is eligible for paradise. Indeed, man is endowed by God with the power not only to distinguish right from wrong but also to choose between them. These God-given powers carry with them an important responsibility, namely, that man is answerable to God for the choices he makes. It follows, then, that man should try his utmost to do good and avoid evil. These concepts are expressed in the final revelation as follows: The will not be overcome by fear or grief. The last Prophet said: How can all people be expected to believe in the one true God, given their varying backgrounds, societies and cultures? For people to be held responsible for worshipping the one true God they all need to have access to knowledge of Him. The final revelation teaches that all human beings have the recognition of the one true God imprinted on their souls as a part of their very nature with which they are created. Allah went on to further explain that: The Prophet Muhammad reported that Allah said, "I created my servants in the right religion, but devils made them go astray. The his parents make him a Jew, Christian or a Zoroastrian. So, just as the child submits to the physical laws which Allah has imposed on nature, in the same way his soul also submits naturally to the fact that Allah is his Lord and Creator. But, if his parents try to make him follow a different path, the child is not strong enough in the early stages of his life to resist or oppose the will of his parents. In such cases, the religion which the child follows is one of custom and upbringing, and God does not hold him to account or punish him for this religion up to a certain stage of his or her life. In the south-eastern region of the Amazon jungle in Brazil, South America, a primitive tribe erected a new hut to house their main idol Snatch, representing the supreme god of all creation. The following day a young man entered the hut to pay homage to the god, and while he was in prostration to what he had been taught was his Creator and Sustainer, a mangy old flea-ridden dog slunk into the hut. The young man looked up in time to see the dog lift its hind leg and pass urine on the idol. Outraged, the youth chased the dog out of the temple; but when his rage died down he realized that the idol could not be the Lord of the Universe. God must be elsewhere, he

concluded. As strange as it may seem, the dog urinating on the idol was a sign from God for that young man. This sign contained the divine message that what he was worshipping was false. It liberated him from slavishly following his traditionally learned worship of a false god. As a result, this man was given a choice: I am indeed free from your guilt of giving partners to Allah. For me, I have set my face, firmly and truly, towards Him who created the heavens and the earth, and never shall I give partners to Allah. Consequently, every soul will be held accountable for its belief in God and its acceptance of the true religion of God, namely Islam, which means total submission to the will of Allah. It has also been shown that Islam alone teaches the uniqueness of God and His attributes and enjoins the worship of God alone without intermediaries. Finally, due to the divinely instilled inclination of man to worship God, and the signs revealed by God throughout the ages to each individual, Islam may be achieved by all men at all times. In conclusion we ask Allah, the exalted, to keep us on the right path to which He has guided us, and to bestow on us His blessings and mercy, for He is indeed the Most Merciful.

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Islam 1. Introduction 1. Islam means submission to the will of Allah 1. Islam means submission and Peace 2. Allah means the one and only God 1. Allah is THE GOD 3. Muslim is someone who submits to the will of Allah 1. someone who submits to Allah experiences Peace 4.

Abraham is hailed as the first Hebrew and the father of the Jewish people. One of his great-grandsons was Judah , from whom the religion ultimately gets its name. The Israelites were initially a number of tribes who lived in the Kingdom of Israel and Kingdom of Judah. After being conquered and exiled, some members of the Kingdom of Judah eventually returned to Israel. They later formed an independent state under the Hasmonean dynasty in the 2nd and 1st centuries BCE, before becoming a client kingdom of the Roman Empire , which also conquered the state and dispersed its inhabitants. From the 2nd to the 6th centuries Jews wrote the Talmud , a lengthy work of legal rulings and Biblical exegesis which, along with the Tanakh, is a key text of Judaism. His followers viewed him as the Messiah , as in the Confession of Peter ; after his crucifixion and death they came to view him as God incarnate , [25] who was resurrected and will return at the end of time to judge the living and the dead and create an eternal Kingdom of God. Within a few decades the new movement split from Judaism. After several periods of alternating persecution and relative peace vis a vis the Roman authorities under different administrations, Christianity became the state church of the Roman Empire in , but has been split into various churches from its beginning. An attempt was made by the Byzantine Empire to unify Christendom , but this formally failed with the Eastâ€™West Schism of In the 16th century, the birth and growth of Protestantism further split Christianity into many denominations. History of Islam The tomb of Abraham , a cenotaph above the Cave of the Patriarchs traditionally considered to be the burial place of Abraham. Islam is based on the teachings of the Quran. Although it considers Muhammad to be the Seal of the prophets , Islam teaches that every prophet preached Islam, providing a historical back-story for the religion by independently recognizing Jewish and Christian prophets, and adding others. The teachings of Quran are presented as the direct revelation and words of Allah. Islam meaning "submission", in the sense of submission to God is universal membership is open to anyone ; like Judaism, it has a strictly unitary conception of God, called tawhid , or "strict" or "simple" monotheism. Some of this is due to the age and larger size of these three. The other, similar religions were seen as either too new to judge as being truly in the same class, or too small to be of significance to the category. However, some of the restriction of Abrahamic to these three is due only to tradition in historical classification. Therefore, restricting the category to these three religions has come under criticism. The religion is almost entirely contained in a single, organized community with international, national, regional, and local administration, without sects or subdivisions, and is recognized as the second-most geographically widespread religion after Christianity. It is an extremely small religion, with no more than a few thousand adherents according to current estimates, most of which are concentrated in Iran. Samaritanism[edit] Samaritanism is based on some of the same books used as the basis of Judaism but differs from the latter. Samaritan religious works include the Samaritan version of the Torah , the Memar Markah, the Samaritan liturgy, and Samaritan law codes and biblical commentaries. The term was introduced by Kurdish scholar Mehrdad Izady to represent what he considers the "original" religion of the Kurds [59] as the primary inhabitants of the Zagros Mountains , until their increasing Islamization in the course of the 10th century. Well established, however, are the "striking" and "unmistakable" similarities between the Yazidis and the Yaresan or Ahl-e Haqq, [62] some of which can be traced back to elements of an ancient faith that was probably dominant among Western Iranians [63] and likened to practices of pre-Zoroastrian Mithraic religion. A majority of Shabaks regard themselves as Shia, and a minority identify as Sunnis. These include features from Christianity including confession , and the consumption of alcohol , and the fact that Shabaks often go on pilgrimage to Yazidi shrines. Shabaks comprehend divine reality through the mediation of the "Pir" or spiritual guide, who also performs Shabak rituals.

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Islam and Submission are not names. They are descriptions reflecting the soul's absolute devotion and submission to God Alone. This is the First Commandment in all of God's scriptures, including the Old Testament, the New Testament, and the Final Testament " Quran.

Allegory of Salvation by Antonius Heusler ca. This plan was conceived by God consequent on the Fall of Adam, the progenitor of the human race, and it would be completed at the Last Judgment , when the Second Coming of Christ would mark the catastrophic end of the world. Taken in its widest sense, as deliverance from dangers and ills in general, most religions teach some form of it. It assumes an important position, however, only when the ills in question form part of a great system against which human power is helpless. Salvation is made possible by the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus , which in the context of salvation is referred to as the " atonement ". While some of the differences are as widespread as Christianity itself, the overwhelming majority agrees that salvation is made possible by the work of Jesus Christ, the Son of God , dying on the cross. Christian faith is faith in the God of salvation revealed in Jesus of Nazareth. The Christian tradition has always equated this salvation with the transcendent, eschatological fulfillment of human existence in a life freed from sin, finitude, and mortality and united with the triune God. This is perhaps the non-negotiable item of Christian faith. What has been a matter of debate is the relation between salvation and our activities in the world. The Old Testament part of the story shows that people are sinners by nature, and describes a series of covenants by which God sets people free and makes promises to them. His plan includes the promise of blessing for all nations through Abraham and the redemption of Israel from every form of bondage. Variant views on salvation are among the main fault lines dividing the various Christian denominations , both between Roman Catholicism and Protestantism and within Protestantism, notably in the Calvinistâ€™Arminian debate , and the fault lines include conflicting definitions of depravity , predestination , atonement , but most pointedly justification. Therefore, according to Catholic apologist James Akin, the faithful Christian can say in faith and hope, "I have been saved; I am being saved; and I will be saved. Scripture is subject to individual and ecclesiastical interpretations. While some of the differences are as widespread as Christianity itself, the overwhelming majority agrees that salvation is made possible by the work of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, dying on the cross. The purpose of salvation is debated, but in general most Christian theologians agree that God devised and implemented his plan of salvation because he loves them and regards human beings as his children. Since human existence on Earth is said to be "given to sin", [Jn 8: Stag writes that a fact assumed throughout the Bible is that humanity is in, "serious trouble from which we need deliveranceâ€™. The fact of sin as the human predicament is implied in the mission of Jesus, and it is explicitly affirmed in that connection". By its nature, salvation must answer to the plight of humankind as it actually is. Therefore, salvation must be concerned with the total person. Plan of salvation Latter Day Saints According to doctrine of the Latter Day Saint movement , the plan of salvation is a plan that God created to save, redeem, and exalt humankind. The first appearance of the graphical representation of the plan of salvation is in the missionary manual entitled A Systematic Program for Teaching the Gospel. Islam and Jannah In Islam, salvation refers to the eventual entrance to heaven. Islam teaches that people who die disbelieving in God do not receive salvation. It also teaches that non-Muslims who die believing in the God but disbelieving in his message Islam , are left to his will. Those who die believing in the One God and his message Islam receive salvation. And whoever said, "None has the right to be worshipped but Allah" and has in his heart good faith equal to the weight of a wheat grain will be taken out of Hell. And whoever said, "None has the right to be worshipped but Allah" and has in his heart good faith equal to the weight of an atom will be taken out of Hell.