

# Foundational Theology Facts

Theology · Answer Key · 20 Questions

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## 1. What is the central tenet of monotheism?

- A) Belief in multiple gods
- B) Belief in a single, all-powerful God**
- C) Belief in no gods
- D) Belief in gods that represent natural forces

## 2. Which of the following is NOT considered a major world religion?

- A) Christianity
- B) Islam
- C) Judaism
- D) Atheism**

## 3. What is the name of the holy book in Islam?

- A) The Bible
- B) The Torah
- C) The Quran**
- D) The Vedas

## 4. In Christianity, who is considered the Son of God?

- A) Moses
- B) Muhammad
- C) Jesus Christ**
- D) Abraham

## 5. What is the primary sacred text of Judaism?

- A) The New Testament
- B) The Torah**
- C) The Bhagavad Gita
- D) The Hadith

## 6. The concept of Nirvana is central to which religion?

- A) Hinduism
- B) Buddhism**
- C) Sikhism
- D) Shinto

**7. What is the term for the divine or supernatural substance or power that is the ultimate reality or creator in many religions?**

- A) Philosophy
- B) Mythology
- C) Theology

**D) Deity**

**8. Which of these terms refers to the study of God or gods?**

- A) Anthropology
- B) Sociology
- C) Psychology

**D) Theology**

**9. In Hinduism, what is the cycle of birth, death, and rebirth called?**

- A) Karma
- B) Moksha

**C) Samsara**

D) Dharma

**10. Who is considered the founder of Buddhism?**

**A) Siddhartha Gautama**

B) Confucius

C) Lao Tzu

D) Guru Nanak

**11. What is the term for a belief system that acknowledges the existence of spirits in the natural world?**

- A) Atheism
- B) Monotheism

**C) Animism**

D) Deism

**12. In Islam, what is the pilgrimage to Mecca called?**

- A) Salat
- B) Zakat
- C) Sawm

**D) Hajj**

**13. The Ten Commandments are a foundational set of laws in which religion?**

- A) Christianity
- B) Islam
- C) Judaism**
- D) Buddhism

**14. What is the belief in God or gods without strict adherence to a particular organized religion called?**

- A) Agnosticism
- B) Theism**
- C) Pantheism
- D) Atheism

**15. Which of these is considered a fundamental concept in Sikhism, referring to divine intervention and grace?**

- A) Moksha
- B) Nirvana
- C) Kirpa**
- D) Samsara

**16. What is the primary religious text of Zoroastrianism?**

- A) The Avesta**
- B) The Gathas
- C) The Zend-Avesta
- D) The Vedas

**17. What is the concept of divine omniscience?**

- A) God is all-powerful
- B) God knows everything**
- C) God is everywhere
- D) God is eternal

**18. Which of the following best describes the concept of 'atonement' in Christian theology?**

- A) The act of worshipping God
- B) The reconciliation of humanity and God**
- C) The practice of fasting
- D) The study of religious texts

**19. In Judaism, what is the period of mourning for a deceased family member called?**

- A) Shiva**
- B) Bar Mitzvah
- C) Yom Kippur
- D) Passover

**20. What is the term for a divine revelation or inspiration?**

- A) Doubt
- B) Faith
- C) Prophecy**
- D) Ritual