

World Religions



	Symbol	Holy Book	Founder	Major Beliefs	Location 1500 AD/CE	Location Today
Judaism	✡	Torah	Abraham	Monotheistic; Jesus is just a man; worship in synagogue	Middle East, Europe	Israel, United States
Christianity	✝	Bible (OT & NT)	Jesus Christ	Monotheistic; Jesus is messiah and son of God; life after death	Europe, Middle East	Europe, Americas
Islam	☾	Qur'an	Prophet Muhammed	Monotheistic; Jesus is a prophet, not God, Muhammed is last and greatest prophet; 5 Pillars: faith, prayer, alms, fasting, pilgrimage (Hajj)	Middle East, North Africa, S. Europe	Middle East, North Africa, Asia
Hinduism	ॐ	Vedas Upanishads	No single founder	Monism (SOL test currently says polytheistic); caste system; reincarnation; karma; dharma	India	India
Buddhism	☸	3 Baskets	Siddhartha Gautama (Buddha)	Non-theistic; 4 Noble Truths; 8 Fold Path; reincarnation	East & SE Asia	East & SE Asia

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