

What's Islam

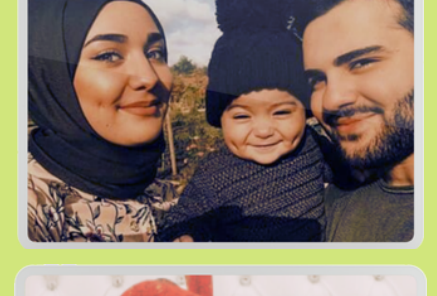
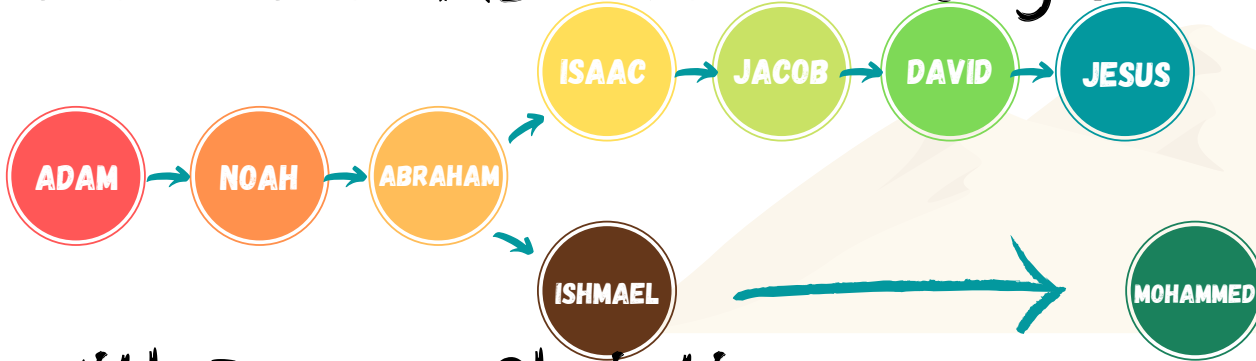
The most misunderstood religion of the modern time.



- Islam means submission • Allah means God in Arabic language •
- Muslim means anyone or anything that submits his/her/itself to the will of God •
- Allah or God is the same God of Abraham, Moses or Jesus • Islam is a religion of peace • Majority of Muslims worldwide are peaceful • Quran is the Holy Book • Quran means Recitation • Quran speaks about tolerance between Muslims and non-Muslims • Jihad simply means 'to struggle' • Islam teaches respect and sanctity of human life • Muslim community does not support the extremism • Islam against killing innocent people • Islam against women oppression • Islam is a religion for everyone • Only 15% of Muslims are Arabs • Second largest religion in the world • Currently the fastest growing religion •



Islam Is an Abrahamic Religion



Islam with Jews & Christian

JEW	CHRISTIAN	MUSLIM
✓ Believe in One God ¹	✓ Believe in One God ¹	✓ Believe in One God ¹
✓ God of Abraham ²	✓ God of Abraham ²	✓ God of Abraham ²
✓ Believe in Old Testament ^{3*}	✓ Believe in Old Testament ³	✓ Believe in Old Testament ^{3*}
✗ Believe in New Testament	✓ Believe in New Testament ⁴	✓ Believe in New Testament ^{4*}
✗ Believe in Last Testament	✗ Believe in Last Testament	✓ Believe in Last Testament ^{5*}
✓ Do no eat pork ⁴	✓ Do no eat pork ^{5*}	✓ Do no eat pork ⁶
✓ Do circumcision ⁵	✓ Do circumcision ^{6*}	✓ Do circumcision ⁷
✓ Do Fasting ⁶	✓ Do Fasting ^{7*}	✓ Do Fasting ⁸
✓ Do Prayer ⁷	✓ Do Prayer ^{8*}	✓ Do Prayer ⁹
✓ Women dress modestly & headscarf ⁸	✓ Women dress modestly & headscarf ^{9*}	✓ Women dress modestly & headscarf ¹⁰
✓ Say greeting with peace ⁹	✓ Say greeting with peace ^{10*}	✓ Say greeting with peace ¹¹
✓ Say 'God Willing' in reference future event ¹⁰	✓ Say 'God Willing' in reference future event ^{11*}	✓ Say 'God Willing' in reference future event ¹²
✓ Believe in David ¹¹	✓ Believe in David ¹²	✓ Believe in David ¹³
✗ Believe in Jesus	✓ Believe in Jesus ¹³	✓ Believe in Jesus ¹⁴
✗ Believe in Mohammed	✗ Believe in Mohammed	✓ Believe in Mohammed ¹⁵
JUDAISM	CHRISTIANITY	ISLAM
¹ Deuteronomy 4:39 ⁸ Genesis 24:65 ² Genesis 17:9 ⁹ Psalm 122:8 ³ Exodus 24:3 ¹⁰ wiki Jewish greetings ⁴ Leviticus 11:7-8 ¹¹ 1 Chronicles 29:10 ⁵ Genesis 17:11 ⁶ Jeremiah 36:9 ⁷ Joshua 7:6 * also called Hebrew Scriptures or Hebrew Bible	¹ Mark 12:29 ⁸ Matthew 26:39 ² Matthew 22:32 ⁹ First Timothy 2:9-10 ³ Matthew 5:17-18 ¹⁰ John 20:19-21 ⁴ Timothy 3:10 ¹¹ James 4:14-15 ⁵ Deuteronomy 14:8 ¹² Matthew 1:1 ⁶ Luke 2:21 ¹³ John 8:12 ⁷ Matthew 6:16-18 * according to references in the Bible, the life of Jesus and Mary	¹ Quran 112:1-4 ⁹ Quran 98:5 ² Quran 14:35-39 ¹⁰ Quran 24:31 ³ Quran 3:3 ¹¹ Quran 4:86 ⁴ Quran 3:3 ¹² Quran 18:23-24 ⁵ Quran 3:3 ¹³ Quran 2:251 ⁶ Quran 2:173 ¹⁴ Quran 19:16-34 ⁷ Bukhari 6298, Quran 16:123 ¹⁵ Quran 33:40 ⁸ Quran 2:183 * muslim believe in the original revelation to Moses (Torah), Jesus (Gospel) and consider Quran as the final revelation



Basics of Muslim Beliefs

- 1 Believe in God
- 2 Believe in Angels
- 3 Believe in Scriptures
- 4 Believe in Prophets
- 5 Believe in Resurrection
- 6 Believe in God's Predestination



Five Pillars of Islam

1. Testimony of Faith
2. Prayer
3. Charity
4. Fasting
5. Pilgrimage

I BEAR WITNESS THAT THERE IS NO DEITY BUT GOD, AND I BEAR WITNESS THAT MUHAMMAD IS THE MESSENGER OF GOD.



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