

# THE VERY IMPORTANT BSCS 'ALL YOU NEED YOU KNOW' SUMMARY OF RELIGIOUS TEACHINGS!

Use these wherever you can! Remember, you cannot get full marks for your answer unless you use key concepts and religious vocabulary. Many of these teachings can be used in almost any answer, so if in doubt, use the ones you know again and again!

Religion	Key Religious Teachings / Practices	Key Vocabulary	Apply to.....
Christianity	<b>Quakers</b> are pacifists and will refuse to take part in war or conflict. They may refer to the example of <b>Jesus</b> , teaching " <b>Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called the Children of God</b> " (Matthew 5:9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Quaker</b></li> <li>• <b>Pacifist</b></li> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> <li>• <b>Gospel of Matthew</b></li> <li>• <b>New Testament</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>PEACEKEEPING</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> </ul>
Islam	Most <b>Muslims</b> greet each other with messages of peace. ' <b>Salaam</b> ', an <b>Arabic</b> greeting, means <b>peace</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Salaam</b></li> <li>• <b>Peace</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> </ul>
Christianity	Some <b>Christians</b> believe that the world is corrupt or ' <b>fallen</b> ' and that every human is <b>flawed</b> and will naturally <b>sin</b> due to the story of Adam & Eve in <i>Genesis</i> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Satan / Devil</b></li> <li>• <b>Fallen</b></li> <li>• <b>Sin</b></li> <li>• <b>Genesis</b></li> <li>• <b>Old Testament</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SUFFERING</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> </ul>
Christianity	Some <b>Christians</b> believe that <b>suffering</b> is caused by the <b>free will</b> of man and can be a test of <b>faith</b> as well	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Free will</b></li> <li>• <b>Morals</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SUFFERING</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> </ul>

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	as encouraging us to grow <b>morally</b>		
<b>Christianity</b>	Most <b>Christians</b> believe that <b>Jesus</b> suffered on the cross to gain <b>forgiveness</b> for the <b>sins</b> of the human race. <b>Suffering</b> themselves gives them an appreciation of what he did for them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> <li>• <b>Crucifixion</b></li> <li>• <b>Suffering</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SUFFERING</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Muslims</b> believe that we are being tested by <b>Allah</b> when we suffer. Most Muslims believe that a sick or needy person is being tested by <b>Allah</b> for their charity and <b>faith</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> <li>• <b>Suffering</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SUFFERING</b></li> <li>• <b>CHARITY</b></li> <li>• <b>JUSTICE FOR OTHERS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	Most <b>Muslims</b> must give 2.5% of their money to benefit the poor ( <b>Zakat</b> ). This is one of the <b>5 pillars</b> of <b>Islam</b> and a <b>religious duty</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Zakat</b></li> <li>• <b>Duty</b></li> <li>• <b>5 Pillars</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>COMPASSION</b></li> <li>• <b>CHARITY</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	<b>Jesus</b> forgave his executioners on the cross as stated in <b>Matthew's gospel</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> <li>• <b>Matthew</b></li> <li>• <b>Crucifixion</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Islam</b> teaches that <b>Allah</b> will forgive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> <li>• <b>Repent</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> </ul>

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	someone who is truly <b>repentant</b> (sorry), and will reward those who forgive others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Forgiveness</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	<p><b>St Thomas Aquinas</b> wrote the first conditions of '<b>Just War</b>', meaning that conditions must be satisfied before fighting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Just cause</b></li> <li>• Controlled by a state ruler</li> <li>• Must be for good and against evil</li> <li>• Last resort</li> <li>• Reasonable chance of success</li> <li>• Only necessary force</li> <li>• Innocent people not harmed</li> <li>• Must follow the law</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Just War</b></li> <li>• <b>Aquinas</b></li> <li>• <b>Authority</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS VS LAW AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<p><b>Jihad</b> means '<b>struggle</b>'</p> <p><b>Greater jihad</b> - the inner daily spiritual struggle to lead their lives for <b>Allah</b>. Striving to live a moral and good life</p> <p><b>Lesser jihad</b> - the military struggle to defend Islam with</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Greater jihad</b></li> <li>• <b>Lesser jihad</b></li> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> <li>• <b>Struggle</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS VS LAW AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>

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	<p>rules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last resort</li> <li>• Only in defence</li> <li>• Led by spiritual leader</li> <li>• Protect trees, crops and animals</li> <li>• Stop if the enemy gives up</li> <li>• Aim of war must be to restore peace and freedom</li> <li>• Reasonable chance of success</li> <li>• Enemies must be offered the opportunity to convert to Islam</li> </ul>		
<b>Christianity &amp; Islam</b>	<p><b>Conscientious Objectors</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Refuse to fight in a war on <b>religious, moral or ethical</b> grounds e.g.</li> <li>• Killing another human can never be justified (<b>sanctity of life</b>)</li> <li>• War is a waste of resources (<b>stewardship</b>)</li> <li>• War causes too much suffering</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Morals</b></li> <li>• <b>Ethics</b></li> <li>• <b>Conscience</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>MEDICAL ETHICS</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity &amp; Islam</b>	<p><b>Sanctity of Life</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Humans are</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>God</b></li> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> </ul>

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	<p>created in the image of <b>God / Allah</b> and therefore, life is special and <b>sacred</b>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Some also believe that <b>God / Allah</b> has a plan for every human life and that life should never be taken intentionally</li> <li>• God gives life, so only God should be able to take away</li> <li>• Man has no right to '<b>play God</b>'</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sacred</b></li> <li>• <b>Sanctity of Life</b></li> <li>• <b>Holy</b></li> <li>• <b>Bible</b></li> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>MEDICAL ETHICS (ABORTION, EUTHANASIA, IVF, CLONING)</b></li> <li>• <b>HIPPOCRATIC OATH</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	<p>Most <b>Roman Catholics</b> believe that the <b>soul</b> enters the body at <b>conception</b>, so killing an <b>embryo</b> is the same as killing a person.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Soul</b></li> <li>• <b>Conception</b></li> <li>• <b>Sanctity of life</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ABORTION</b></li> <li>• <b>IVF</b></li> <li>• <b>CLONING</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<p>Muslims regard abortion as <b>haram</b> (forbidden), but many accept that it may be permitted in certain cases, before <b>ensoulment</b>, which most accept takes place at 120 days. For example, rape of the mother or if the mother's life is in</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Haram</b></li> <li>• <b>Ensoulment</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ABORTION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>PERSONAL CONVICTION</b></li> </ul>

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	danger		
<b>Christianity</b>	Many <b>Christian denominations</b> allow the individual to make up her own mind about whether medical decisions are right or wrong, depending on the circumstances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Free Will</b></li> <li>• <b>Conscience</b></li> <li>• <b>Personal Conviction</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ABORTION</b></li> <li>• <b>IVF</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	Organ donation was originally forbidden, but is now allowed and was agreed by a <b>fatwa</b> (ruling of <b>Islamic law / Shari'ah</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Fatwa</b></li> <li>• <b>Shari'ah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ORGAN DONATION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	' <b>Thou shalt not kill</b> '. This teaching is found in the <b>10 commandments</b> and explains that killing of any kind is against <b>God's will</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>10 Commandments</b></li> <li>• <b>Old Testament</b></li> <li>• <b>God</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> <li>• <b>ABORTION</b></li> <li>• <b>EUTHANASIA</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Most <b>Jehovah's Witnesses</b> believe that life is a gift from <b>God</b> and therefore shouldn't mix. They may therefore refuse organ transplants or blood transfusions.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jehovah's Witness</b></li> <li>• <b>Sanctity of Life</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ORGAN TRANSPLANT</b></li> <li>• <b>BLOOD TRANSFUSION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	The <b>Roman Catholic Church</b> says that <b>IVF</b> is wrong and <b>infertility</b> is a call for a couple to adopt children. They also state that <b>God</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>God</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>IVF</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>

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	intended <b>conception</b> to be the result of sexual intercourse		
<b>Christianity</b>	<i>The Church of England</i> states that the use of <b>embryos</b> until they are 14 days old is acceptable. They believe that bringing happiness to a couple unable to <b>conceive</b> is a good thing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Soul</b></li> <li>• <b>Embryo</b></li> <li>• <b>Conceive</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>IVF</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	Some <b>Muslims</b> believe the <b>Qur'an</b> shows that <b>Allah</b> has given humankind the intellectual gifts to understand nature, so they should be used if it will help someone's survival	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>IVF</b></li> <li>• <b>ORGAN DONATION</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Surrogacy</b> is not allowed as the <b>Qur'an</b> states that 'No-one can be their mothers except those who gave their birth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> <li>• <b>Surrogacy</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SURROGACY</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>PERSONAL CONVICTION</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity &amp; Islam</b>	Wearing something that reflects their faith e.g. <b>cross</b> or <b>hijab</b> reminds them of its importance in their daily life and allows them to express their identity. They may also feel that it is their <b>religious duty</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Cross</b></li> <li>• <b>Hijab</b></li> <li>• <b>Identity</b></li> <li>• <b>Duty</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS DRESS</b></li> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>EVANGELISM</b></li> </ul>

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	and may also see it as a way of spreading their <b>faith</b> .		
<b>Christianity</b>	<p>A <b>cross</b> or a <b>crucifix</b> expresses belief about <b>Jesus Christ</b>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Protestants use the <b>cross</b> as a <b>symbol</b> of the death of <b>Jesus</b>, but the <b>cross</b> is empty to show that <b>Jesus</b> has been <b>resurrected</b></li> <li>• <b>Roman Catholics</b> focus more on the death and <b>suffering</b> of <b>Jesus</b>, so a <b>crucifix</b> (a <b>cross</b> with a figure of <b>Jesus</b>) is more common</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Crucifix</b></li> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> <li>• <b>Resurrection</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SYMBOLS</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS DRESS</b></li> <li>• <b>BELIEFS DRIVING ACTION</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<p>Islamic art is always made up of <b>symbols</b> and geometric designs because it is disrespectful to draw <b>Muhammad</b>, <b>Allah</b> or any other living thing</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Muhammad</b></li> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SYMBOLS</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION</b></li> <li>• <b>PLACES OF WORSHIP</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<p>The main <b>symbol</b> of <b>Islam</b> is the <b>crescent moon</b> and <b>star</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This is often found on the top of <b>Mosques</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Symbol</b></li> <li>• <b>Mosque</b></li> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> <li>• <b>5 Pillars</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SYMBOLS</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION</b></li> <li>• <b>PLACES OF WORSHIP</b></li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The <b>moon</b> symbolises the guiding hand of <b>Allah</b></li> <li>• The <b>five pointed star</b> represents the <b>5 pillars of Islam</b></li> </ul>		
<b>Christianity</b>	There are no formal requirements to go on <b>pilgrimage</b> as life is seen as a <b>constant spiritual journey</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Pilgrimage</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>PILGRIMAGE</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Some <b>Christians</b> go on <b>pilgrimage</b> to <b>Lourdes</b> , many hoping to be <b>healed</b> . This may deepen their <b>faith</b> and they may use the time for <b>reflection</b> and <b>prayer</b> with their <b>religious community (ummah)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Lourdes</b></li> <li>• <b>Pilgrimage</b></li> <li>• <b>Community</b></li> <li>• <b>Prayer</b></li> <li>• <b>Miracle</b></li> <li>• <b>Ummah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>PILGRIMAGE</b></li> <li>• <b>COMMUNITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	All <b>Muslims</b> are required to go on <b>Hajj (pilgrimage to Mecca)</b> once in their lifetime if they are physically and financially able. This is stated in the <b>Qur'an</b> and is one of the <b>5 pillars of Islam</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hajj</b></li> <li>• <b>Mecca</b></li> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> <li>• <b>5 Pillars</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>PILGRIMAGE</b></li> <li>• <b>COMMUNITY</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Some <b>Christians</b> believe they should share their <b>faith</b> with other people, following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Evangelism</b></li> <li>• <b>Disciples</b></li> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EVANGELISM</b></li> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>

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	the example of the <b>disciples and Jesus' teaching.</b>		
<b>Christianity</b>	Most Christians feel that have a <b>duty</b> to <b>God</b> 'to love thy <b>God</b> with all of your heart, soul, mind and strength' ( <b>Mark's Gospel</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Duty</b></li> <li>• <b>God</b></li> <li>• <b>Gospel</b></li> <li>• <b>Bible</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Most Christians feel you have a <b>duty</b> to love your neighbour as yourself, as <b>Jesus</b> taught in the parable of the <b>Good Samaritan</b> . This means they should treat others as they would want to be treated themselves.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Good Samaritan</b></li> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>CHARITY</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>MEDICAL ETHICS (IVF, ABORTION, EUTHANASIA)</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	Most <b>Muslims</b> feel it is their duty to help others and follow <b>Muhammad's</b> example ( <b>Sunnah</b> ) of helping others. Through the pillars of <b>Zakat</b> (charity) and <b>Sawm</b> (fasting to sympathise with the poor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Muhammad</b></li> <li>• <b>Sunnah</b></li> <li>• <b>Zakat</b></li> <li>• <b>Sawm</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>CHARITY</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>MEDICAL ETHICS (IVF, ABORTION, EUTHANASIA)</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Most <b>Christians</b> believe you have a <b>duty</b> to obey the laws of the country in which you live in	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Duty</b></li> <li>• <b>Law</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS VS LEGAL AUTHORITY</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Muslims</b> believe they	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Allah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> </ul>

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	have a duty to <b>submit</b> themselves completely to <b>Allah</b> and to maintain the <b>5 Pillars (Prayer, Pilgrimage, Fasting, Charity &amp; Faith)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>5 Pillars</b></li> <li>• <b>Salat</b></li> <li>• <b>Hajj</b></li> <li>• <b>Saum</b></li> <li>• <b>Zakat</b></li> <li>• <b>Shahadah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	The <b>Hadith</b> tells <b>Muslims</b> to protect their neighbour when they are in need (even if they are <b>non-Muslims</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hadith</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>COMPASSION</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR</b></li> <li>• <b>EUTHANASIA</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	<b>Jesus</b> taught <b>Christians</b> to forgive, but this is an ideal and may not always be possible. Therefore many <b>Christians</b> believe in the idea or reforming a <b>criminal</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Reform</b></li> <li>• <b>Forgive</b></li> <li>• <b>Jesus</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>DUTY</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Shari'ah Law (Islamic Law)</b> teaches that no-one is ever above the law of the land. Many <b>Muslims</b> turn to <b>Shari'ah</b> for guidance and it is the main law in some <b>Muslim</b> countries e.g Saudi Arabia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Shari'ah</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> </ul>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>Justice</b> should be conducted in a public court, so there is no opportunity for judges to be corrupt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Shari'ah</b></li> <li>• <b>Justice</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>JUSTICE</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity</b>	Many believe that	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Revenge</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CAPITAL</b></li> </ul>

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	<p><b>revenge</b> is a primitive form of behaviour, not worth of <b>Christians</b> who teach '<b>Love your enemy</b>'. <b>Jesus</b> taught <b>compassion</b> not revenge</p>		<p><b>PUNISHMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Christianity</b></p>	<p>In the <b>Old Testament</b>, it states '<b>an eye for an eye</b>'. Some <b>Christians</b> take this to mean that <b>retribution</b> is OK and that <b>Capital Punishment</b> could be acceptable</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Old Testament</b></li> <li>• <b>Retribution</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Islam</b></p>	<p><b>Islam</b> on the whole accepts <b>Capital Punishment</b>, but the victim's family has the right to <b>pardon</b> the offender. <b>Forgiveness</b> is always preferable however, as taught in the <b>Qur'an</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> <li>• <b>Forgiveness</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CAPITAL PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>PUNISHMENT</b></li> <li>• <b>FORGIVENESS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY OF SACRED TEXTS</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Christianity</b></p>	<p>The <b>10 Commandments</b> for part of a <b>moral code</b> to follow and base their actions on</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>10 Commandments</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SACRED TEXTS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Christianity</b></p>	<p>Some <b>Christians</b> believe the <b>Bible</b> is literally true, while others think it needs to be reinterpreted for modern times and doesn't give good advice on modern issues</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bible</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SACRED TEXTS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</b></li> <li>• <b>MEDICAL ETHICS</b></li> <li>• <b>WAR &amp; CONFLICT</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS DRESS</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PUNISHMENT</li> <li>•</li> </ul>
Christianity	The <b>Bible</b> is used in <b>Church services</b> when <b>priests</b> usually give a <b>sermon</b> , relating <b>Bible</b> teachings to modern day life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bible</li> <li>• Sermon</li> <li>• Church</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SACRED TEXTS</li> <li>• AUTHORITY</li> <li>• BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</li> </ul>
Islam	Most <b>Muslims</b> read part of the <b>Qur'an</b> every day. Reading the words of <b>Allah</b> makes <b>Muslims</b> feel closer to him,  The <b>Qur'an</b> also contains guidance and advice for <b>Muslims</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Qur'an</li> <li>• Allah</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SACRED TEXTS</li> <li>• AUTHORITY</li> <li>• BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</li> </ul>
Islam	The <b>Qur'an</b> means 'recitation' (reading aloud) and was received by <b>Muhammad</b> as a message from <b>Allah</b> .  Most <b>Muslims</b> turn to the <b>Hadith</b> (the sayings and actions of <b>Muhammad</b> ) if the <b>Qur'an</b> doesn't provide clear advice on an issue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Qur'an</li> <li>• Recitation</li> <li>• Muhammad</li> <li>• Allah</li> <li>• Hadith</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SACRED TEXTS</li> <li>• AUTHORITY</li> <li>• BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</li> <li>• MAKING MORAL DECISIONS</li> </ul>
Christianity	<b>Roman Catholics</b> believe that the <b>Pope</b> is the representative of <b>Jesus</b> on earth. He is <b>infallible</b> (never wrong).  Other forms of	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roman Catholic</li> <li>• Jesus</li> <li>• Pope</li> <li>• Infallible</li> <li>• Priest</li> <li>• Vicar</li> <li>• Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SACRED TEXTS</li> <li>• AUTHORITY</li> <li>• BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</li> <li>• RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</li> <li>• MAKING MORAL DECISIONS</li> </ul>

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	<p><b>Christianity</b> have <b>religious leaders</b> (e.g. <b>priests, vicars, ministers</b> who they may turn to for advice)</p>		
<b>Islam</b>	<p><b>Imams</b> are like <b>Muslim</b> priests. They advise Muslims on the <b>Qur'an</b> and how to follow the example of <b>Muhammad</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Imam</b></li> <li>• <b>Muhammad</b></li> <li>• <b>Qur'an</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SACRED TEXTS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>MAKING MORAL DECISIONS</b></li> </ul>
<b>Christianity &amp; Islam</b>	<p><b>Personal Convictions</b> are the individual beliefs of people. If they are different to what their religion tells them, people will usually follow their <b>conscience</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Personal Conviction</b></li> <li>• <b>Conscience</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SACRED TEXTS</b></li> <li>• <b>AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>BELIEF DRIVING ACTION</b></li> <li>• <b>RELIGIOUS AUTHORITY</b></li> <li>• <b>MAKING MORAL DECISIONS</b></li> <li>• <b>PERSONAL CONVICTIONS</b></li> </ul>