Religions of the World Test

1. What is the religion of Muslims?
   a. Hinduism
   b. Buddhism
   c. Christianity
   d. Islam

2. What is the name of the laws given by God to Moses at Mount Sinai?
   a. Dharma
   b. Code of Law
   c. Books of Knowledge
   d. Ten Commandments

*Use this picture to answer questions 3 & 4.*

3. What is the name for the black, cube shaped temple in the picture above?
   a. Kaaba
   b. Quran
   c. Torah
   d. Synagogue

4. Followers of which religion make a pilgrimage to the location shown in the picture?
   a. Judaism
   b. Buddhism
   c. Islam
   d. Hinduism
5. On the chart above, Religion A would represent what religion?
   a. Hinduism
   b. Christianity
   c. Islam
   d. Buddhism

6. On the chart above, Religion B would represent what religion?
   a. Hinduism
   b. Judaism
   c. Islam
   d. Buddhism

7. What was the Jewish Diaspora?
   a. A religious celebration
   b. Scattering of the Jewish people
   c. Population increase
   d. Escape from Egypt

8. What is a journey for religious purposes called?
   a. Exodus
   b. Voyage
   c. Expedition
   d. Pilgrimage

9. Buddha believed in a force caused by a person's good and bad acts that affects future lives. What is the name of that force?
   a. Karma
   b. Reincarnation
   c. Dharma
   d. Vedas
10. What is a Muslim place of worship?
   a. Cathedral  
   b. Shrine  
   c. Mosque  
   d. Synagogue

11. What is the name for the Jewish holy book (first 5 books of the Bible in Hebrew)?
   a. Five Commandments  
   b. Tripitaka/Tipitaka  
   c. Torah  
   d. Quran

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**Use this diagram to answer questions 12 & 13.**

12. In the diagram above, what description best fits letter A?
   a. Belief that life should not be too hard or too easy  
   b. Belief in only one God  
   c. Belief that life is filled with suffering  
   d. Belief that life moves in a constant cycle of birth, death, & rebirth

13. In the diagram above, what description best fits letter B?
   a. Belief that life should not be too hard or too easy  
   b. Belief in only one God  
   c. Belief that life is filled with suffering  
   d. Belief that life moves in a constant cycle of birth, death, & rebirth
14. What is the sacred (holy) book of Islam?
   a. Torah
   b. Bible
   c. Vedas
   d. Quran

15. In the Hindu faith, what is the only way a person's place in society can be changed?
   a. Labor
   b. Reincarnation
   c. Marriage
   d. Education

16. What word means the belief in many gods and goddesses?
   a. Polytheism
   b. Monotheism
   c. Pantheism
   d. Catechism

17. What country is considered to be mostly Hindu?
   a. Saudi Arabia
   b. India
   c. Israel
   d. China

18. What is the belief found in the Vedas which tells that people move in a constant cycle of birth, death, and rebirth?
   a. Dharma
   b. Reincarnation
   c. Eightfold Path
   d. Karma

19. What word means a man who gives up everything for his religion?
   a. Bishop
   b. Muslim
   c. Monk
   d. Buddha
20. What group moved into India, bringing the songs that became the foundation for Hinduism?
   a. Aryans
   b. Harappans
   c. Indians
   d. Egyptians

21. Which country or region is considered to be mostly Muslim?
   a. Israel
   b. United States
   c. Middle East
   d. Western Europe

22. What is the religion of the Jewish people?
   a. Islam
   b. Christianity
   c. Judaism
   d. Hinduism

23. Which religion best completes the title of the map shown above?
   a. Buddhism
   b. Christianity
   c. Judaism
   d. Islam

Use this map to answer question 23.
24. What did Buddha believe was the key to finding peace?
   a. Ending suffering
   b. Traveling and teaching
   c. Following the rules of the caste system
   d. Reincarnation

*Use this diagram to answer question 25.*

![Diagram showing relationships between Islam, Christianity, and Judaism]

25. What characteristic best replaces the "?" to complete the web shown above?
   a. Monotheistic religions
   b. Polytheistic religions
   c. Jesus as founder and Messiah
   d. Holy city is Mecca

26. Which of the following is *not* a characteristic of Judaism?
   a. Yom Kippur is a sacred holiday.
   b. Religious services take place in a synagogue.
   c. Sabbath begins at sunset on Friday and continues until sunset on Saturday.
   d. Muhammad was the founder of this religion.

27. All of the following are divisions of Christianity except which answer?
   a. Protestant
   b. Sunni
   c. Catholic (Roman Catholic)
   d. Orthodox (Eastern Orthodox, Greek Orthodox)

28. Which country or region is mostly Jewish?
   a. United States
   b. China
   c. Middle East
   d. Israel
29. Which of the following is not a title for a Christian leader?
   a. Priest
   b. Minister
   c. Rabbi
   d. Pastor

*Use this diagram to answer questions 30 & 31.*

30. The diagram above represents what system of social classes?
   a. Mesopotamia society according to the Code of Hammurabi
   b. Caste system in India
   c. Muhammad's organization of his army in Mecca
   d. Levels of Egyptian society

31. The system in the diagram above is most closely connected to what religion?
   a. Hinduism
   b. Buddhism
   c. Islam
   d. Christianity
32. Which of the following statements is **not** true of Christianity?
   a. People who practice this religion believe in reincarnation and Nirvana.
   b. Easter is an important religious holiday.
   c. This religion is based on the life and teachings of Jesus.
   d. The holy book of this religion is the Bible.

33. Which of the religions has no single founder?
   a. Buddhism
   b. Christianity
   c. Hinduism
   d. Islam

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**Use this map to answer questions 34 & 35.**

34. On the map above, identify the number that shows the area of the world where three of the religions were founded.
   a. 1
   b. 2
   c. 3
   d. 4

35. Which 3 religions began in the area described in question 34?
   a. Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism
   b. Judaism, Christianity, Islam
   c. Hinduism, Islam, Judaism
   d. Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism
Use these pictures to answer questions 36 & 37.

36. The two gods shown in the picture above are usually connected to what religion?
   a. Hinduism
   b. Islam
   c. Christianity
   d. Buddhism

37. Where did the religion connected to the picture above begin?
   a. Middle East
   b. Israel
   c. Indian subcontinent
   d. China
38. Describe at least 4 of the responsibilities of all Muslims found in the Five Pillars of Islam. (4 points)

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39. Use your knowledge of when each religion was founded to write the religions in chronological order on the timeline. Names of religions below are NOT given in order! (2 points)
   Islam, Judaism, Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism

40. Draw the symbols that represent 4 of the religions in the correct box below. (4 points)

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