

A Timeline of the World Religions



^ Hinduism (ca. 1500 BC)
 ^ Sikhism (ca AD 1469)

^ Christianity (ca. AD 30)

^ Shinto (ca. 660 BC)

^ Islam (ca. AD

622)

^ Judaism (ca. 1440 BC)

^ Zoroastrianism (ca. 630 BC)

^ Baha'i (ca. AD 1863)

^ Taoism (ca. 600 BC)

<i>Religion Worldwide</i>	<i>Founder</i>	<i>Region of Origin</i>	<i>Structure</i>	<i>Adherents</i>
Hinduism	No historic founder	India	Pantheistic	750 Million
Judaism	Abraham	Palestine	Monotheistic	13 Million
Shinto	No historic founder	Japan	Polytheistic	3 Million
Zoroastrianism	Zoroaster	India	Polytheistic	.2 Million
Taoism	Lao-Tzu (??)	China	Polytheistic	20 Million
Buddhism	Sidhartha Gautama	Nepal (then India)	Atheistic	330 Million
Confucianism	K'ung Fu Tzu	China	Philosophical	6 Million
Christianity	Jesus Christ	Palestine	Monotheistic	1.2 Billion
Islam	Muhammad	Saudi Arabia	Monotheistic	1 Billion
Sikhism	Guru Nanak	Pakistan	Monotheistic (broadly)	16 Million