

# Salient features of Islam

## 1. Monotheism

To believe in One God. King of the Universe. Creator of the whole Universe who made everything whether it is a drop of water or a small leaf. He is the only One who has authority to do anything.

## 2. Comparison of Islam with other religions.

Islam is simple. There are no myths in Islam. Islam never bound people to do anything against One's own will. Islam gave choices to muslims. God says offer namaz, fasting is a obligation for muslims. but it never said if you are ill still you have to offer namaz. Islam is a free religion. When a person is traveling he have choice to whether fast or not. Islam never says worship Allah the whole. it says worship whenever you want.

In Hinduism. myth is women have to walk on feet without wearing shoes from home till their holy places so their wish come true.  
There is cast system in other religions. but In Islam Everyone is Equal.

What is Islam?

Islam is an arabic word which is pronounced as SALM and read as Salim which means to resign yourself

to Allah (SWT). Islam is the religion which bring peace to the hearts. man commit himself to God and submit himself to his will. we muslims believe that we are lucky to be a muslim. that Allah chose us. we were born in a muslim family. Islam teaches us how to act towards other human beings. Islam is the religion which

is taught by prophets from Hazrat Adam to Hazrat Muhammad (PBOH) last prophet of Muslim Ummah. muslim is one who resigns himself to God and that is why the faith in Islam professes. Muslims therefore believe in all prophets and make no distinction between them. God sent all the prophets to preach Islam.

## EXTREMISM

Muslims are extremist. Islam is a free religion

but people are making it hard for themselves -

People are killed in Pakistan in blasphemy cases -

Even those who were killed innocent.

Marhal Khan Case took place, a University student very young and kind soul.

Salman Rastodi was killed, Priyanka Kumara and many other case of this type.

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In Islam no distinction is made between people.

Matter and Spoil

Islam says fulfill your bodily needs. there are

no restrictions on real eating while worshipping God.

Islam is also a Moldable religion.

# CONTEMPORARY ISSUES FACED BY

## MUSLIM UMMAH

Muslims are facing a lot of challenges day by day. People living in foreign countries most of them are settled and others went for job purpose. They are living in a country where law is according to non-muslims.

Their life style is change. Nothing is common. E.g. there are less no. of mosques in foreign countries. When foreigners see any muslim in shalwar kameez they say a lot about them.

Clashes between Pak & India. On social media a lot of TV actors comment on muslims they think muslims are terrorists.

### Major Issues

Blasphemy: In US and Europe many blasphemous acts took place and it was not acceptable by muslims in any case. In Islam it is said who did such act if muslims didn't do anything about that sin then one who is only watching and doing nothing about it is also a sinner.