

Introduction To Religion

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Definition:

- A particular system of faith, worship & relationship between human being and Divine containing a moral code governing the conduct of human affairs.

Need For Religion:

- To create relation between man & God.
- Give judgements of right & wrong.
- Protect values.
- Create purity & cleanliness.
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- Make a man socialized.

Objectives Of The Religion:

- Socio cultural perspectives.
- Identity & by oppppportunity to practice religious practices.
- Promote the well being of individual & communities.

Fundamental Elements Of Religion:

- 1) Belief
- 2) Emotions (Hope, respect, humbleness, fear etc)
- 3) Ritual (Pray, ceremony etc)
- 4) Organization (With belief, emotion and rituals without organization no religion can exist)
- 5) Sacred Object (Holy books, places etc)
- 6) Symbolism (The use of symbols to represent qualities of a religion).

Impact Of Religion:

- The practice of religion organizes individuals, families, and the community.
- Purposeful life.
- Beliefs influence human behaviour.