

## The History Channel: Inside Islam

**Directions:** Answer the following questions while watching the documentary on Islam. The questions go in chronological order. You do not need to use complete sentences in your answers.

1. What does the word *Muslim* mean?
2. What phrase do Islamic people use to greet one another?
3. Why is terrorism often associated with Islam?
4. How many Muslims are estimated to live and practice Islam in the United States?
5. What percentage of Muslims are Sunni?
6. What percentage of Muslims are Shiite? (Shia)
7. Explain how Christian and Muslim beliefs about Jesus differ?
8. Why did Muhammad forbid his followers to make representations of him?
9. Who appeared to Muhammad on the third day in the cave?
10. The declaration of faith says ...
11. What are the *Five Pillars of Islam*?
12. What must one do to convert to Islam?

13. Why are Muslim prayers always spoken in Arabic?
14. What marks the year 0 in the Islamic Lunar calendar?
15. The charity collected by modern day mosques must be donated directly to whom?
16. What is the purpose of fasting during the month of Ramadan?
17. What is the difference between the Shia and the Sunni?
18. What disciplines flourished in 8th century Baghdad?
19. What is the only miracle claimed by Mohammed?
20. Why is the Hajj important?
21. According to the narrator, why were many important Greek and Roman writings able to survive the Dark Ages?
22. In what country were Muslims, Jews, and Christians able to live in relative peace and harmony?
23. What was the Reconquista?
24. Who were the Moghuls descendants of?
25. Which Muslim group conquered the Christian city of Constantinople?
26. What did they rename the city of Constantinople?

27. What right did the Quran give to women?
28. Does the Quran require women to cover their heads?
  
29. Why are some women in the world required to cover themselves from head to toe?
  
  
  
30. What did many European do to many Islamic countries in the Middle East?
  
  
  
31. What was found in Saudi Arabia that made the royal family extremely wealthy?
  
  
  
32. What is jihad?
  
  
  
33. What are many Islamic terrorists interpretation of jihad?
  
  
  
34. What happened to the civil rights leader Malcolm X? Why was he assassinated?
  
  
  
35. What happened in 1979 in Iran?
  
  
  
36. How do Islamic terrorists violate the Quran?