

## Comparison of World Religions

		<b>Sanatan Dharma</b> (The Eternal Religion)	Christianity	Islam
1	Age of Religion	Eternal  At least 155.522 trillion years old in the current cycle. Each cycle is 311.040 trillion years.	2000 years	1400 years
2	How old is the planet/universe	This planet and universe is 155.522 trillion years old.	This planet is around 6000 years old, absolutely no idea on the age of the universe.	This planet is around 6000 years old, absolutely no idea on the age of the universe.
3	When will this planet/universe end?	This planet and universe will end in 155.518 trillion years time.	For 2000 years, they have been saying the end of the World is any day soon.	For 1400 years, they have been saying the end of the World is any day soon.
4	Who was the first living being created by God and when?	Brahma was the first living being created by Lord Krishna, 155.522 trillion years ago.	Absolutely no idea who the first living was and when he was created.	Absolutely no idea who the first living was and when he was created.
5	Who were the first humans created and when?	Svayambuva Manu was the first man and Satarupa was the first women created. This was shortly after the first living being, Brahma was created, some 155.522 trillion years ago.	Adam was the first man and Eve was the first woman created, 6000 years ago.	Adam was the first man and Eve was the first woman created, 6000 years ago.
6	Main scripture, age and history	Bhagavad-Gita  Last spoken 5000 years, prior to that spoken 2 million years ago, prior to that spoken 120 million years ago, prior to that spoken at least once in every 8.64 billion years on this planet. Has also been spoken in millions of universes. The Bhagavad-Gita is eternal.	Bible  One off scripture, only spoken once around 2000 years ago.	Koran  One off scripture, only spoken once around 1400 years ago.

7	Who are we?	<p>We are the soul and not the body</p> <p>God doesn't waste his time creating dust. We are the soul covered in dust (the body). Based on free will, we occupy a particular dust (body) due to our desires. The soul is not destroyed when the body is destroyed. Any weapon can't cut the soul, fire cannot burn it, water cannot wet it, and the wind cannot dry it. The souls are unchangeable, eternal, and present everywhere.</p>	We are the body (dust)	We are the body (dust)
8	Are we eternal?	<p>Yes</p> <p>This is not the only life. The body is temporary, but we (the soul) are eternal. Just as we exist now in this body, before this body we existed in another body and after this body we (the soul) will continue to exist in another body. If God is eternal, then living beings must also be eternal. There can only be a king if there are citizens, otherwise there is no point in having a king. In a similar way, if God is present then his creatures (living beings) must also be present. Since God is eternal, all souls also eternally exist in different bodies, life after life.</p>	<p>No</p> <p>This is the only life. The body was created just for this one and only life.</p>	<p>No</p> <p>This is the only life. The body was created just for this one and only life.</p>
9	What happens after death?	<p>The soul transmigrates to another body. We get another body.</p> <p>Based on scientific logic, energy can change forms but it cannot be destroyed.</p> <p>We (the soul) are the energy and our body is the current form. When this body is destroyed (death), we (the soul) will change our form, thus get a new body, reincarnation.</p>	This is the only life.	This is the only life.
10	When is the day of judgment?	Immediately at death.	Absolutely no idea.	Absolutely no idea.
11	Why do we suffer?	<p>For every action there will be a reaction, this is one of the fundamental laws of physics. This applies to matter and non-matter. For every thought there will be a particular reactive thought and action, for every physical action, there will be a particular thought and reactive action. This is the law of karma. Life is an intelligent design, nothing happens by chance.</p>	<p>Absolutely no idea.</p> <p>The Pope was asked this question and his reply was "We can't say" Which basically means absolutely no idea.</p>	<p>Absolutely no idea.</p> <p>They say it's the will of God that some suffer more than others, but this doesn't answer the question (why?).</p>

12	What are the animals?	The animals are living beings with a soul. They are also the children of God, and were created for the same reason as humans. To live and let others live. They have the same rights as human beings, those who hurt or kill them will be punished. Life for a life, an eye for an eye, this is the law of nature, karma. The law of God.	Animals have no soul and are food for humans.  Their scriptures don't mention animals having a soul and so they assume animals have no soul. They say one animal is food for another animal.	Animals have no soul and are food for humans.  Their scriptures don't mention animals having a soul and so they assume animals have no soul. They say one animal is food for another animal.
13	Why is there variety of living beings?	Due to the variety of mentalities/desires/consciousness and actions taken (karma) by humans, there is variety of bodies so the 'free will' can be satisfied. Humans, who eat flesh, will have their desire satisfied by getting the body of a flesh-eating animal like a lion, at the end of this life. Who are these souls in animal bodies, being killed and eaten? They are ex-humans who killed and eat. Now it's their turn, this is the law of nature, life for a life, eye for an eye. In the eyes of God, there is justice for all living beings.	Absolutely no idea.  The animals see other animals as food, they also see animals as food.	Absolutely no idea.  The animals see other animals as food, they also see animals as food.
14	How many species of living beings are there?	8.4 million  900,000 species of aquatic 2,000,000 species of plants 1,100,000 species of insects 1,000,000 species of birds 3,000,000 species of beasts 400,000 species of human beings	Absolutely no idea.	Absolutely no idea.
15	Does God have a form?	Yes  God has a spiritual form and not a material form. The form of Lord Krishna is spiritual, full of bliss, completely beautiful, and eternally youthful.	Yes  Man is made in the image and likeness of God. This means we have a form, because God has a form.	No  God is invisible, formless.
16	Is God everywhere?	Yes  Lord Krishna is present in the heart of all living beings as the super soul and he is also present in every atom. This is how great Krishna (God) is.	No  God is present somewhere up in the heavens.	No  God is an invisible force and only present somewhere up in the heavens.

17	Has God been seen?	<p>Yes</p> <p>Millions of people have seen God (Lord Krishna), with their own eyes right here on this planet and on millions of other planets, in millions of universes.</p>	<p>No</p> <p>Nobody has seen God.</p>	<p>Impossible to see, he is formless.</p>
18	Can you describe God?	<p>Lord Krishna has a complexion, which is dark-blue, like that of a rain filled cloud. His eyes are like lotus petals; ever youthful looking; full of bliss; his beauty excels that of thousands of cupids; likes to play the flute; wears a peacock feather in his crown; wears yellow garments. - He is complete with six opulence's; wisdom, most beautiful, most famous, most powerful, wealthiest, and fully renounced.</p> <p>He is most merciful to all living beings. We get unlimited chances (reincarnation) and there is justice for all living beings, the law of karma.</p>	<p>Absolutely no idea.</p> <p>The Bible states man is made in the image and likeness of God, thus God has a form, which is human like, but the Bible gives no description.</p>	<p>Absolutely no idea</p> <p>He is not described.</p>

References: The time calculations for Sanatan Dharma are from the Srimad Bhagvatam (3.11.34-35) and Bhagavad-Gita (4.1-4). For Abrahamic religions from Genesis, Koran, Bible, and Hadith.

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