

Key figures

**Christians**

- To Christians, Jesus is the Son of God.
- Jesus had 12 original disciples, also known as the apostles.
- Some of the disciples wrote parts of the Bible.
- Simon Peter (known as Peter) was the first disciple to accept Jesus as the Son of God. However, he denied being a follower of Jesus just before Jesus's death.
- Judas Iscariot betrayed Jesus to the Romans for 30 pieces of silver.
- Most of the disciples died as martyrs for being followers of Jesus.
- Many of them have since been canonised and become saints.
- Within Christianity, there are a huge number of "subsets", with varying beliefs and ways of worship.
- These include: Baptist, Pentecostal, Methodist and Quaker.



The Last Supper  
Jesus and all 12 disciples



Quaker worship

**Hindus**

- Hindus believe in an original three gods – Brahma, Shiva and Vishnu. They are three parts of one Supreme Being called Para brahman.
- Brahma is the creator, who made Earth, Vishnu is the preserver of life and Shiva is the destroyer.
- All other Hindu deities are parts of the three main ones – they reflect different personalities of the one main god.
- There are 33 million different Hindu gods and goddesses
- To Hindus, God does not live in heaven but is all around us and also inside us. That is why there are so many different aspects of the one God.



Shiva



Vishnu

**Disciples**



Judas

**Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva – 3 parts of one being**



Simon Peter

Key Vocabulary

disciple	A dedicated follower of Jesus
martyr	A person killed for their religious (or other) beliefs
canonised	Recognised officially by the church as a saint
saint	A person exceptionally holy or close to God
deity	A god or goddess
Deva/devi	A male/female Hindu god
Baptist / Pentecostal / Quaker / Methodist	Subsets of Christianity, with differing beliefs and methods of worship.