

knowledge, mental power, and reference books available. For the sake of definiteness, conclusions should be written out. It is not supposed that the average leader will be able to answer all these questions satisfactorily; otherwise, there would be little left for the class session. The main purpose of the session is to compare imperfect results and arrive at greater completeness by comparison and discussion.

It is not supposed that the entire list of questions will be used in any one case, especially when the sessions last only an hour. The length of the session, the maturity of the class, and the taste of the leader will all influence the selection that will be made. In many cases the greatest value of these questions will be to suggest others that will be better.

There has been no attempt to follow the order of paragraphs in the text-book in more than a general way.

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## QUESTIONS ON CHAPTER I

**AIM: TO ESTIMATE THE PERSONAL FOUNDATION ON WHICH ISLAM IS BASED**

1. Has any other religion ever had the spread in its first century that Islam had?
2. Mention all the reasons you can to account for this unique phenomenon.
3. If the state of the times accounts for it, why did not other great religions spring up then?