

Religion: A Solution or Itself An Issue

Introduction:

2. An overview of major religions and their injunctions:

3. Some issues apparently created by religion:

- Inter-religious hatred.
- Sectarianism.
- Fanaticism and Intolerance.
- Traditionalism and Conservatism.
- Gender Discrimination.
- Fatalism.

4. Do religion really cause a problems or is it merely an allegation?

5. Causes of misunderstanding about religion:

- Negative role of religious leaders and so called icons.
- Ineffective contribution by the media.
- Insufficient focus on religious education in modern educational institutions.
- Pursuit of political motives in the guise of religion.
- Lack of civilization.

6. Actual causes of the problems faced by world:

- Political power games.
- Economic motives of the nations.
- Lack of civilization in human beings.
- Missing element of character building in educational institutes.
- Poor control over and monitoring of scientific advancement.
- Deleterious impacts of electronic and social media.

7. Do religion provide a solution to the issues the present world is confronted with?

Yes all religions:

- Propagate Humanism and provide mechanism for the creation of a terror free world.
- Inculcate moral values and provide solutions to the issues of moral degradation.
- Encourage generosity and benevolence to resolve poverty and privation issues.
- Spread patience and restrain and thus develop a society free of atrocities and injustices.
- Inculcate sense of accountability and responsibility in society and address the issue of flouting of laws, rules and principles.
- Teach self-restraint and self control and resolve all issues created by rapacity and avarice.

8. Recommendations for the dissemination of true message of the religion:

- Positive role of religious icons.
- Government's patronizing the dissemination of religion in its pure form.
- Introduction of religion as integral part of curricula.

- Positive role of media.
- Focus on similarities in different religions.

9. Recommendations for the solutions of world issues:

- Effective role of UNO.
- End of power game.
- Effective role of media in sensitization of brains.
- Devising modus operandi for countering the detrimental effects of scientific advancement.
- Diverting energies towards the achievement of SDGs.
- Compassionate, considerate and solicitous attitude of the superpowers.

10. Conclusion: