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Western religions refers to religions that originated within Western culture, and are thus historically, culturally, and theologically distinct from the Eastern religions. The Eastern religions are the religions that originated in East, South and Southeast Asia and thus have dissimilarities with Western religions. This includes the East Asian religions (Shintoism, Sindoism, Taoism and Confucianism), Indian religions (Hinduism, Buddhism, Sikhism and Jainism) as well as animistic indigenous religions. Rather than go into too much detail, this video will give a very brief history about the Western religions, and then will touch on the major ideas of each. SUGGESTED NAME: How/why is this name appropriate? How/why is this name problematic? "Western Religions" In the past and today, most Jews, Christians, Muslims have lived further "West" than most Buddhists, Hindus, adherents of other so-called "Eastern" religions.