

Worksheet 2 – The Gurus and the Khalsa

The Gurus

1. How was the next Guru selected?
2. When the soul or light was passed on, did the previous Guru cease to have it?
3. Sikhs claim that all the Gurus were actually the same, 'person'. So apart from an official title of 'Guru', was there something else passed on from one Guru to the next, such as a soul or a light?
4. What are the names of the 10 Gurus in order?
5. The Mool Mantra describes God. What is the difference between God and Guru? Can a human have the characteristics as defined in the Mool Mantra? [see additional material]

Guru Gobind Singh and the Khalsa

6. Who are the Panj Pyare and where do they fit into the concept of Guru?
7. Some people claim to be Guru Nanak Dev Ji's Sikhs *ONLY*. They say that all Guru Gobind Singh Ji ever did, was fight. Is this true?
8. Guru Gobind Singh Ji said, *'I am the servant of God. Those who call me God, shall go straight to hell'*? If so then why do some people still call him God? What does the SGGS Ji say? [see additional material]

Other Religions

9. Christian believe that Jesus Christ was the only son of God who died for the sins of humanity. What do Sikhs believe?
10. What is the differences between Avatars, Gurus and Prophets?

Other Questions about the Gurus

11. Why were all the human Gurus male, if Sikhism believes in 'Equality'?
12. Is it correct to say that our Gurus were teachers?
13. If God and Guru came down to meet you who would you bow to first?
14. Any other questions on the Gurus?