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BK A11 003 C1	Cragg, Kenneth ARAB CHRISTIAN: A HISTORY IN THE MIDDLE EAST. 1991. The author helps explain the complexities of Christian-Muslim relations in the Middle East, and the struggles of Christians to establish an Arab identity.	Adult Book
KT A11 001 C1	Kerr, Ronn CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM - LEADER'S GUIDE. 2003. This is a unique new study for a unique time. Each session covers a major area of the world's two largest religions, comparing and contrasting them in a way that brings greater understanding of each. This popular 13 week study focuses on the similarities and differences between Jesus and Muhammad, the importance of the New Testament and the Koran, the historical development of Christianity and Islam, primary beliefs and practices, fundamentalism, radicalism, sectarianism, and Christian/Islamic relations.	Adult Kits
BK A11 032 C1	Kerr, Ronn CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM - STUDENT BOOK. 2003. This is a unique new study for a unique time. Each session covers a major area of the world's two largest religions, comparing and contrasting them in a way that brings greater understanding of each. This popular 13 week study focuses on the similarities and differences between Jesus and Muhammad, the importance of the New Testament and the Koran, the historical development of Christianity and Islam, primary beliefs and practices, fundamentalism, radicalism, sectarianism, and Christian/Islamic relations.	Youth Book
KT A11 3453 C1	Hamilton, Adam CHRISTIANITY AND WORLD RELIGIONS. 2005. This six week study deals openly and honestly with questions people ask about other religions, including why we should believe the claims of Christianity over those of other faiths. In the sessions on Hinduism, Buddhism, Islam, and Judaism, Hamilton interviews a religious leader from that tradition and includes the taped comments in his remarks. He treats the world religions with great respect, recognizing the unique contributions of each and then comparing and contrasting them with Christianity. In the final session, he attempts to distill the essential beliefs of Christianity, in light of the other religious beliefs that have been presented. The kit includes a VHS and DVD, a student book, a leader's guide, and a pastor's guide. (Cokesbury website)	Adult Kits
BK A11 006 C1	CHRISTIANS AND MUSLIMS IN DIALOGUE. 1991. The purpose of this resource is to offer encouragement and assistance to Christians seeking to engage with Muslim neighbors in open two-way relationships.	Adult Book
BK A11 001 C1	Speight, R. Marston GOD IS ONE: THE WAY OF ISLAM. 2002. This reprint has more than 50 pages of new materials that have been added to the 1989 edition, with an afterword and a study guide. The book presents who Muslims are, what they believe, and how their faith not only unites them, but shapes every aspect of their lives.	Adult Book

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VT A11 003 C1	INTERFAITH LISTENING PILOT PROGRAM. 2003. After September 11, 2001, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) approved a program in Christian-Muslim relations, the Interfaith Listening Pilot Project. Overseas partners were invited to send two-person teams, consisting of one Christian and one Muslim, to the United States to meet with Presbyterians and talk about Muslim-Christian relations in their countries. This video recounts that event and is intended to serve PC(USA) congregations as a model of Christian-Muslim dialogue, with the hope that it will inspire congregations to organize interfaith events in their own communities.	Adult videocassettes
BK M01 033 C1	INTERFAITH MARRIAGE. 1991. A basic resource including Christian, Jewish, and Muslim understanding of marriage; as well as pastoral issues, case studies, sample service, and sample contracts.	Adult Book
BK A11 033 C1	Olitzky, Kerry M. INTRODUCING MY FAITH AND COMMUNITY. 2004. This book provides an introduction to both the basics and the complexities of Judaism and Jewish life through the lens of an interfaith relationship. Rather than providing stock answers to questions about Jewish rituals or values, or giving a broad overview of Jewish history and theology, the author addresses topics that will encourage understanding and stimulate discussion between the reader and their Jewish partner, relative, or friend.	Adult Book
BK A11 016 C1	Neusner, Jacob INTRODUCTION TO JUDAISM. 1992. The author describes how Judaism is practiced in a particular time and place--America today--and surveys how Judaism took shape as people responded to political and religious crises.	Adult Book
BK A11 014 C1	Brown, Stuart NEAREST IN AFFECTION. 1994. Offers a wide-ranging overview of what Muslims believe and where their beliefs and practices reveal points of contact or divergence with Christianity.	Adult Book
BK A11 027 C1	Ariarajah, S. Wesley NOT WITHOUT MY NEIGHBOUR. 2000. More and more encounters with people of other faiths are a fact of life for churches in all parts of the world. While interfaith dialogue has been on the agenda of the churches and the ecumenical movement for several decades, in many quarters it still raises spiritual, social, political, practical, and theological concerns. Chapters include issues of interfaith worship, marriage, search for a global ethic, and education for life in a multi-faith society.	Adult Book
BK A11 012 C1	Klos, Sarah ONE GOD, TWO FAITHS. 1990. This book offers an array of activities for adults and older youth, as it informs about the faith and faithful of Islam, while coming to clearer terms with their own Christian faith and witness.	Adult Book

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VT A11 003 C1	RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD-ISLAM. 1998. Islam is one of the great monolithic world religions practiced today. Discover the Islamic culture through the daily life and rituals of Muslim around the world. Viewers will learn about Islam's history - from its inception in the seventh century, when Muhammad led his fellow Arabs to Islam's way of life, to the rise of the Ottoman Empire between the ninth and 12th centuries and to the present, where customs of dress, dietary laws and holidays still exist. Explore the wealth of Islamic art, architecture, calligraphy and other contributions that have made Islam a vital influence in the 20th century.	Youth /ideocassettes
VT A11 002 C1	RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD-JUDAISM. 1998. One of the world's oldest surviving religions, Judaism is both a theology and a way of life for over 12 million followers in the world today. The first religion to be founded upon the principle of monotheism, Judaism has survived despite persecution against its people throughout the ages. Trace the history of Jewish culture from Abraham's covenant with God to the Exile of the Jews from the Holy Land by Roman conquerors. Examine the sacred texts and various holidays while exploring the two centers of Jewish life - the synagogue and the home.	Youth /ideocassettes
BK A11 008 C1	Neusner, Jacob STUDYING CLASSICAL JUDAISM, A PRIMER. 1991. Outlines what we now know about ancient Judaism and demonstrates that religion is social and political, and the single most powerful force in the shaping of human history and civilization.	Adult Book
BK P07 027 C1	Rollins, Eugene C. SYNAGOGA ECCLESIA & MOSQUE: 3 GREAT MONOTHEISTIC RELIGIONS OF OUR WORLD. 2001. To co-exist, we must understand and respect the births, beliefs, and behaviors of the three great monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. This study guide for Adult Bible Study seeks to do this.	Adult Book
BK A11 019 C1	UNDERSTANDING ARAB-AMERICANS AND MUSLIMS. 1991. This paper grew out of the great concerns of folk in the PCUSA over the violence and harassment perpetrated against Arab-Americans and Muslims as a result of the Gulf Crisis.	Adult Book
BK P01 2043 C1	Perkins, Mitali WE BELIEVE - ISLAM AND CHRISTIANITY. 2003. This is part of a series of topic-based Bible studies for young adults. The four to six week session discussion guides look at biblical texts that are pertinent to issues that confront young adults in the twenty-first century. In this six session study, you will begin to understand some of the basic tenets of Islam as well as shed light on the core of your own faith in Christ	Adult Book
BK A11 3378 C1	Stroble, Paul WHAT DO OTHER FAITHS BELIEVE?: A STUDY OF WORLD RELIGIONS. 2003. In this 7 session study, "the author interviews leaders in Judaism, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, and other faiths to explore how the beliefs and practices of these religions are similar to and different from basic Christian beliefs. Religious tolerance will be promoted by the understanding of other religions' beliefs about sin, forgiveness, salvation, future beyond death, ethics, etc." (Cokesbury website)	Adult Book

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BK A11 017 C1	Smith, Huston WORLD'S RELIGIONS. 1991. Chapters on Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism, Islam, Judaism, Christianity. Sections on Tibetan Buddhism, Sufism, teachings of Jesus. A chapter on the primary religions of America, Australia, Africa, and Oceania.	Adult Book