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What Religious Idea can you challenge?

All Religious Beliefs SHOULD be open to intellectual challenge

Supernatural ideas explained in a logical way

Rejected giving HUMAN characteristic given to GOD

Religious rationalist

**Main Ideas attributed to Maimonides**

Rejected the LITERAL understanding of Biblical texts

Religion and Philosophy agree

seek to UNDERSTAND not blind FAITH

Torah should NOT be interpreted LITERALLY

**13 Principles**

What are the characteristics of a fulfilled life?



What is it that makes us human?

What is the SOUL?

What is it that would make life worthwhile?



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What do we AIM at in life?

How can we find OUT what makes us human?



Influence by Aristotle died 322 BCE

Jewish Intellectual Medieval period

Outline key features of the Medieval period - When? Happens? World views?



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