

5 Steps to Become Muslim

The word 'Muslim', means, one who submit to God regardless of race, nationality or ethnic background.

Becoming a Muslim is a simple and easy process that requires no complex ritual or ceremonies.

You may convert alone, in privacy or you may do so in the presence of others.

The actual act of accepting Islam is between you and your Creator

If anyone has a genuine desire to be a Muslim and has full conviction and strong belief that Islam is the true religion of God,

then, all one needs to do is pronounce the "Shahada", the testimony of faith, without delay.

With the pronounciation of this testimony, or "Shahada", with sincere belief and conviction, one enters the fold of Islam.

Upon entering the fold of Islam solely for the pleasure of God, all your previous sins are forgiven, and you start a new life.

Your record is clean and it is as if he was just born from your mother's womb.

You should try as much as possible to maintain the clean record and strive to do as many good deeds as possible

Here are the steps: 1. Make sure you know what it means to be a Muslim and that you are prepared to change your life for the better.

2. Every action begins with intention. Make the intention in your heart to accept Islam as your faith.

3. Say the 'Testimony of Faith' (Shahada). You say: I testify "La ila-ha il-Allah, Muhammad Ra-soolul-la".

The Arabic words mean, "There is no true god (no one is worthy of worship) except God, and Muhammad is the (true) Messenger (and Prophet) of God".

Once you say these words with conviction and understanding, you become a Muslim in the sight of God.

4. Take a shower if you can. It symbolically cleanses you of your past life.