

Questions	Weight
1) Family values or genetics	
a. My Family is comprised of those who hold the same religious beliefs that I do.	-10
b. My family consists of descendants of the same ancestors or the same households.	10
2) Family composition	
a. The family unit is comprised of a man and a woman.	-10
b. The family unit can be any mix of genders, a man and woman, two men or two women	10
3) Family Leadership	
a. I believe a male needs to be the leader of the family hierarchy.	-10
b. The man and woman are equal partners in a family unit.	10
4) Spiritual Certainty	
a. I am absolutely sure my spiritual beliefs are correct.	-10
b. If what I believe is wrong, I change my beliefs.	20
5) Basis of Law	
a. Laws should be based on divinely inspired texts.	-20
b. Laws should be based on sound reasoning, fairness, and equity, not religion.	20
6) Spiritual or Religious	
a. I am spiritual but not religious. I don't belong to any religion.	10
b. I have always been involved in my religion. It is part of my family's heritage.	-10
7) Affect of Religion	
a. Religion is doing good for the world.	-10
b. Religion is the source of many of the world's problems.	10
8) Information Source Trust	
a. I generally trust the advice given by my spiritual leaders.	-10
b. I am generally skeptical of the advice given by spiritual leaders.	20
9) Fear of Loss of Choice	
a. I fear the loss of religious choice.	-10
b. Government should impose restrictions on the involvement of religion in society.	10
10) Skeptical or Trusting	
a. I get most of my information from trusted spiritual leaders and social media.	-10
b. I am skeptical about the information provided by religions or social media.	20

- 11) Religion and Violence
- a. People have the right to defend their religious beliefs with violence if necessary. -20
  - b. Religious beliefs are not an excuse to commit violence. 20
- 12) What things are Evil
- a. Practices like Meditation, Yoga, and Tai Chi are inherently dangerous and evil. -10
  - b. Practices like Meditation, Yoga, and Tai Chi are healthy for the mind, body, and soul. 10
- 13) Basis of Decision-Making
- a. My decisions are based on scientifically verifiable evidence. 20
  - b. My decisions are based on my religious beliefs. -20
- 14) Mental Tools Vs. Religious Belief
- a. I'm interested in learning spiritual tools like meditating or practicing yoga. 10
  - a. I want to be more devoted and committed to my religion. -10
- 15) The Comfort Zone
- a. I enjoy reading and learning new things outside of my comfort zone. 10
  - b. I am content to study my religious texts. -10
- 16) Finding Value
- a. I'm looking for things to help me get the most out of life. 10
  - b. My religious beliefs teach me what I need to know about life. -10
- 17) Teachers Vs. Tools
- a. I seek spiritual teachers who can provide me with tools to explore my consciousness. 10
  - b. Religion provides me with spiritual leaders to help me understand my religion. -10
- 18) Comfort with Diversity
- a. I enjoy being with people of different ethnic backgrounds and beliefs. 10
  - b. I'm more comfortable with people who look like me and have the same beliefs. -10
- 19) Spiritual Beliefs Vs. Religious Beliefs
- a. I have spiritual beliefs, but I'm not involved with organized religion. 10
  - b. My spiritual beliefs come from organized religion. -10

20) The Afterlife

- a. I have some ideas about the afterlife, but they do not mirror those of religion. 0
- b. My beliefs in the afterlife are a part of my religion. -10

21) Source of Religious Beliefs

- a. My religious beliefs come from family, culture, or because I needed support. -10
- b. I have spiritual beliefs but do not follow a religion. 10

22) Source of Morality

- a. I believe you do not need to join a religion to live a moral life. 20
- b. My religion helps me to live a moral life. -20

23) Openness to Change

- a. I am reasonably sure of my spiritual beliefs but am willing to change them. 20
- b. My beliefs are correct and will hold onto them regardless of any evidence. -20

Highest Possible Score	300
Lowest Possible Score	-300
The typical religious fringe devotee	-20
Hardline religious devotees	-280
Religious Extremist	-300
The typical Freethinker	300