

**Thinking Activity**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Think carefully, and answer the following questions in detailed, complete sentences. There's no right and wrong, but I can tell if you've put thought and effort into your answers. That's what I'll be grading.*

1. What is **religion**? What does the word mean?


2. What is the difference between **religion** and **spirituality**?


3. Do you consider yourself religious, spiritual, both, or neither? Explain


4. **Discuss:** Do you believe that life has a purpose, or is it simply the result of a series of events?


5. **Discuss:** Do you believe that there is a life or some kind of existence after death?


6. Do you think that science and religion can coexist? Explain.


7. Why do you think many people in the world practice a religion?


8. In your opinion, what elements are common among most, if not all, religions?


9. Is religion mostly a force for good in the world, or is it a bad thing?
