Finding Books
You can find books in the UT Library catalog or the OhioLINK Central Catalog by using keywords for your topic or use the subject headings and related topics such as those listed below. More help is available from the UT Library Catalog Guide.

Some examples of subject headings are:
- Islam
- Islam and Philosophy
- Muhammad, Prophet, d. 632
- Sunni
- Islam and Art
- Women in the Hadith
- Shi’ism
- Islam and Politics
- Ramadam
- Imams
- Hijab

Finding Sacred Texts and Primary Sources
Sacred Texts and Primary Sources are also cataloged in the UT Library catalog. Search by Title or by Subject.

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Finding Articles
- Academic Search Complete (PDF backfiles to 1975 or further for over 100 journals) OhioLINK Research Database
- Contains full text for nearly 4,500 multi-disciplinary journals, including more than 3,600 peer-reviewed titles. In addition to the full text, this database offers indexing and abstracts for all 8,144 journals in the collection.

- Religion and Philosophy Collection (1975-present) OhioLINK Research Database
- Indexes, abstracts, and provides full text of more than 300 full text journals including 250 peer-reviewed titles, covering such topics as world religions, moral philosophy and the history of philosophy. Includes or has links to full text.

General Religious Reference Sources
- The Encyclopedia of Religion
- Reference BL 31 .E46 1986
- Encyclopedia of American Religions
- Reference BL 2525 .M449 2003
- Encyclopedia of African American Religions
- Reference BR 563.N4 E53 1993
- Encyclopedia of Women and World Religion
- Reference BL 458 .E53 1999

Specific Reference Sources about Islam
- The Encyclopaedia of Islam
- Reference DS 37 .E523
- The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Modern Islamic World
- The Encyclopedia of Islam in the United States
- Islam and the Muslim World
- Reference BP 42 .G46 2006
- The Qur'an: an Encyclopedia
- Reference BP 133 .Q87 2006
- Encyclopaedia of the Qur'an
- Encyclopedia of Women & Islamic Cultures
- Medieval Islamic Civilization: an Encyclopedia

Concordances, Commentaries and Definitions
- A Concordance of the Qur’an
- Reference BP 133.K37 1983
- Interpretation of the Meanings of the Noble Qur’an in the English Language
- Reference BP 130.4 .K84 1998
- The Oxford Dictionary of Islam
- Reference BP 40 .O95 2003
- Historical Dictionary of Islam
- Reference BP 50 .A33 2001
- Historical Dictionary of Sufism
- Reference BP 188.48 .R46 2005
- Abingdon Dictionary of Living Religions
- Reference BL 31 .A24
- A Dictionary of Comparative Religion
- Reference BL 31 .D54 1970
**Atlases**

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**Internet Resources**

- It is important to remember when searching for information on the 'free web' that there is no 'quality control' or editor. The information you find may be biased, neither accurate nor dependable.

- The following is a list of sites that have been reviewed in terms of their authority, objectivity, and accuracy. They can provide you with objective and reliable information.

  - **The Internet Sacred Text Archive**  
    [www.sacred-texts.com/index.htm](http://www.sacred-texts.com/index.htm)  
    Contains an archive of electronic texts about religion, mythology, legends and folklore in English translation and, in some cases, in the original language. The Qur’an, Hadith, Sufi Texts and others are included.

  - **The Koran**  
    [http://quod.lib.umich.edu/k/koran/](http://quod.lib.umich.edu/k/koran/)  
    Provides a searchable electronic version of The Holy Qur’an, translated by M.H. Shakir and published by Tahrike Tarsile Qur’an, Inc.

  - **Holy Qur’an Resources on the Internet**  
    [www.quran.org.uk/](http://www.quran.org.uk/)  
    Provides comprehensive resources about the Koran such as essays, commentaries, and recitations, as well as numerous translations of the Koran: 4 in English and 29 other languages, including Spanish, French and German.

  - **Wabash Center**  
    [www.wabashcenter.wabash.edu/resources/guide_headings.aspx](http://www.wabashcenter.wabash.edu/resources/guide_headings.aspx)  
    Contains a selective, annotated guide to a wide variety of electronic resources of interest to those who are involved in the study and practice of religion: syllabi, electronic texts, electronic journals, web sites, bibliographies, reference resources, software, etc. The purpose of the Guide is to encourage the incorporation of electronic resources into teaching.

  - **Virtual Religion Index**  
    [http://virtualreligion.net/vri/](http://virtualreligion.net/vri/)  
    Designed as a global forum to advance research in matters of religion by providing extensive links about all religions.

  - **Adherents.com**  
    Collects over 43,870 adherent statistics and religious geography citations with references to published membership and adherent statistics and congregation statistics for over 4,200 religions, churches, denominations, religious bodies, faith groups, tribes, cultures, movements, ultimate concerns, etc.

  - **The Association of Religion Data Archives (ARDA)**  
    [www.thearda.com/](http://www.thearda.com/)  
    Collects and preserves statistical information in addition to reports on a host of religious organizations and issues. The American Religion Data Archive is an essential resource for students and academics researching or exploring religious trends and developments in the United States.

  - **Intute: Arts and Humanities**  
    [www.intute.ac.uk/artsandhumanities/](http://www.intute.ac.uk/artsandhumanities/)  
    Provides free access to the very best Web resources for lecturers, researchers and students. Browse the Religion and Theology section for resources which have been selected, evaluated and described by subject specialists.

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