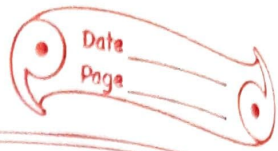


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Q2) What was the origin of the Sufis?

Ans) Middle east was the origin of the Sufis.

Q3) Write a short note on Shankaracharya.

Ans) The earliest of the Bhakti Saints was Shankaracharya. Born in 8th century CE in Kerala travelled throughout India to spread the importance of jnana (knowledge) as a means as a means to reach god. To him the world was an illusion or maya.

Q4) Name any four Bhakti saints of the medieval period.

Ans) Shankaracharya, Ramanuja, Ramanda, Kabir.

Q5) Write a short note on Muinuddin Chisti.

Ans) Muinuddin Chisti (1141-1238 CE) was one of the most revered of the Sufi Pirs. He came from Lahore and made Ajmer his home. All his life he worked for the poor. He felt that service of god meant service to ~~god~~ humanity.

Q6) Write a short note on Nizamuddin Auliya.

Nizamuddin Auliya was a famous Sufi Pir of the 14th century CE. He set up his Khanaqah (order or monastery) in Delhi. He asked his followers to lead simple austere lives and spend their time seeking god.