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Mandaeanism from mandaeen mandayya having knowledge ancient middle eastern religion still surviving in iraq and khuzistan southwest iran the religion is usually treated as a gnostic sect it resembles manichaeism in some respects whereas most scholars date the beginnings of mandaeenism somewhere in the first three

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always refers to christian gnostics beliefs vary widely but essentially they value personal revelation and mysticism over dogma gnostics believe absolute religious truth can be known but it is only revealed towards enlightened humans and .

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All investigations of detail over the last half century have proved divergent rather than convergent and leave us with a portrait of gnosticism in which the absence of a unifying character seems to be the salient feature hans jonas preface 1958 no modern writer that i am aware of has brought life

The gnostic world view a brief summary of gnosticism gnosticism is the teaching based on gnosis the knowledge of transcendence arrived at by way of interior intuitive means although gnosticism thus rests on personal religious experie, gnostic religion in antiquity gnostic religion is the expression of a religious worldview which is dominated by the concept of gnosis an esoteric knowledge of god and the human being which grants salvation to those who pos s, gnosticism founder unknown overview gnosticism is a philosophical and religious movement which started in pre christian times the term is derived from the greek word gnosis which means knowledge gnostics claimed to have secret knowledge about god humanity and the rest of the unive.