

1. Which of the following is a violent method of protest? [1 mark]
A) a sit-in B) marching C) a riot D) a speech
2. Name two religious people who have protested. [2 marks]
Martin Luther King Jr, Mahatma Gandhi, Rosa Parks, Malcolm X, William Wilberforce, Daniel, Meshach-Shadrach& Abednego, Guru Gobind Singh
3. Explain two religious beliefs about people who commit terrorist acts. [4 marks]
They should be brought to justice and punished: The Christian God is a God of justice
“I, The Lord, love justice” Isaiah 61:8
They are people with a grievance and should be listened to and helped “love your neighbour” “pray for those who persecute you”
4. Explain two aspects of the Civil Rights movement. [5 marks]
Led by Martin Luther King Jr> A Baptist Minister> inspired by Jesus
Non violent> “turn the other cheek”> e.g. marches, speeches, sit-ins
Against racism, for civil rights> “there is neither Jew nor Greek...” Galatians 3:28
For Justice> “let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like an ever flowing stream”
Amos 5:24

5. 'Terrorism can never be justified.'

[12 marks]

Some Christians agree:

Often involves killing innocent civilians> creating a climate of fear> goes against "do not kill" and "love your neighbour"

People should be free from fear of terrorist attacks "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free" Galatians 5:1

People should use democratic, diplomatic process to achieve lasting change not terror

Christians should follow the example of Gandhi and MLK> non violence> bring change

Examples of terrorist attacks also appropriate, e.g. 9/11 7/7 Manchester concert bombing etc

Some Christians disagree:

Terrorism is often done because of a grievance> corrupt government> suppression of religious expression

If just the threat of violence and not actual violence

When Jesus protested he made a whip and drove people out of the temple, turning over tables etc> this could be considered a small-scale terrorist act