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Islam and Christianity Clash with Judaism in the Sephardic World: Maimonides' Letter on Apostasy and Nachmanides' Disputation at Barcelona (October 2013)

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Mishnah - Talmud rabbinic work. written 200 CE. commonly
Mishnah. introduction = read!
Sanhedrin, part of mishnah. 13 articles of faith. yefadal - modeled
on 13 articles.

wrote mostly in arabic

period of wandering age 13-25. state of chaos.

1160 family settled in Fez, morocco. went israel - too unsettled.
then to Egypt

became a physician. son named abraham

Mishnah Torah - wrote. repetition of Torah = code of jewish
law. 14 volumes of Jewish legal precedents

8 levels of charity

Guide for the perplexed - wrote at age 40

Kanites
grave in Tiberias.