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***Study and compare William James religious experience  
and Ibn Arabi's mystical experience***

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***Abstract***

Review and comparison of Religious Experience, William James and mystical experience Ibn Arabic.. Religious experience, as is widespread in the West, in the philosophy of religion has been proposed. However, one of the most important examples of religious experience in Islamic mysticism, intuition is known mystical experience. This article, causes of religious experience in the Christian world, including the failure of natural theology and conflict between science and religion evaluates. And the underlying look of James knows the emotional gamut And fallible and indescribable feature introduces it. Following the revelation as an admission that the mystical experience of looking at it is realized that Ibn Arabic As well as a degree of imagination to explore and learn Scripture and tradition as a criterion for separating the real mystical experience and revelation are considered misleading. And revelation excellent example of mystical experience that can not fault it knows. James also through comparison of religious experience and mystical experience Ibn Arabic and difference. In areas such as substrates for the formation and recognition criteria of accuracy downloads; Mystical experience - especially the revelation that its distinctive shape – As a way to integrate with and enhance the knowledge of the original source of truth counts.

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