A. Terms, People, and Places

Fill in the blank in each sentence with the letter of a word, name, or phrase from the box. Not all the choices in the box will be used. Each answer can be used only once.

1. Israelites believed that God made a _____ with Abraham.
2. In a _____ society, men hold the legal and moral authority.
3. The first five books of the Hebrew Bible are called the _____.
4. Spiritual leaders called _____ interpreted God’s will to the Israelites.
5. The Israelites’ _____ religion made them unique in the ancient Middle East.

B. Main Ideas

Write the letter of the correct answer in the blank provided.

_____  6. Israeli ethics stressed
   a. the duty of the poor to serve the rich.
   b. the teachings of the book of Psalms.
   c. their leaders’ god-like status.
   d. personal morality and social justice.

_____  7. Who united the twelve tribes of Israel into one kingdom?
   a. David          c. Solomon
   b. Cyrus the Great d. Abraham

_____  8. Who led the Israelites in their exodus from Egypt?
   a. Moses          c. Solomon
   b. David          d. Abraham

_____  9. How are Judaism, Christianity, and Islam similar?
   a. They are all monotheistic religions.
   b. They all began in Egypt.
   c. They were all founded by Abraham.
   d. They all follow the Judeo-Christian tradition.

_____ 10. Jews left their homeland and spread out to different parts of the world during the
    a. exodus.
    b. Diaspora.
    c. building of Jerusalem.
    d. journey to the promised land.