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Film: The Buddha.

The similarities that I see with Buddhism and the other "Salvation Religions" is that they put great emphasis on moral values. They all deal with universal problems, they are disciplined in carrying out their religious beliefs.

The primary difference for christianity in comparison to Buddhism is, Christianity is a monotheistic religion; that there is only one God. The belief that Jesus Christ is the son of God is the primary belief. Buddhism is a nontheistic religion, and does not believe in a supreme creator or God.

Three words I would use to describe the Buddah as a man is; (1) compassionate (2) wise (3) mortal. He was concerned with the suffering of the people, he exercised wisdom in his overall observations and dealings with the sufferings of the people, he was also mortal. In spite of his hierarchical standard, he suffered pain and he died at the age of 80.