

11. Rambam stands for _____ . He was born in **_Cordova_** in the year **_1135_**. After the **_Almohads_** took over the city his family had to escape. Eventually Rambam settled in **_Cairo_** becoming a **_physician_** to the sultan there. His works achieved worldwide readership and are studied to this day. His work on halacha is called **_Mishnaeh Torah_** and also **_Yad Hachazakah_** because it is divided into **_14_** parts. Moreh Nevuchim or **_Guide to the Perplexed_** is Rambam's book of Jewish philosophy written in arabic. Rambam also a commentary on the **_Mishnah_**, which was written in **_Arabic_**, is important in its own right; it is also significant for its **_introduction_**, in which the Rambam records **_the chain of tradition of Torah from teacher to student from Moses until his own time_**.