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## Galileo Galilei: Pioneering the Science of the Stars

### Multiple Choice Questions

1. When was Galileo Galilei born?
  - a) 1464
  - b) 1564
  - c) 1664
  - d) 1764
  
2. What was one of Galileo's most significant inventions?
  - a) The microscope
  - b) The telescope
  - c) The compass
  - d) The clock
  
3. How did Galileo's observations of Jupiter support the heliocentric model?
  - a) He observed that Jupiter had its own moons.
  - b) He observed that Jupiter had rings.
  - c) He discovered a new planet near Jupiter.
  - d) He proved that Jupiter orbited Earth.
  
4. Why did Galileo face a trial by the Catholic Church?
  - a) For inventing the telescope
  - b) For heresy due to his support for heliocentrism
  - c) For refusing to share his discoveries
  - d) For his mathematical theories
  
5. What is Galileo Galilei often referred to as in the history of science?
  - a) The father of medicine
  - b) The father of modern science
  - c) The father of poetry
  - d) The father of architecture

