

CHRISTIANITY Creation

We are created in the image of personal God

CHRISTIANITY The Fall

 Sin entered the world through the first humans CHRISTIANITY
Redemption

 We can only be redeemed by the death and resurrection of Jesus

CHRISTIANITY Source for Belief

 Bible; general and special revelation

CHRISTIANITY Truth

• It is absolute; can be found in the Bible and is written on our hearts

CHRISTIANITY Jesus

Son of God; redeemed us

ISLAM Creation Created by Allah, slaves of God and His vice-regents on earth

ISLAM The Fall

Human beings are in rebellion to Allah

ISLAM Redemption Submit to Allah and practice the 5 Pillars Source for Belief

Quran, Hadith, Sunnah

ISLAM Truth

 Truth comes from the Quran ISLAM Jesus He was a prophet, sinless, did not die on the cross NEW AGE
Creation

I have always been; an expression of conciousness

NEW AGE
The Fall

 Humans fail to understand true conciousness NEW AGE Redemption Have indifference to suffering; live a cycle of karma NEW AGE
Source for
Belief

Deepak Chopra,
 Rhonda Byrnes; your
 own feelings

NEW AGE Truth

You claim your truth; it is your desires

NEW AGE Jesus

Achieved Nirvana and enlightenment

BUDDHISM Creation

• I have always been; the world is an illusion

BUDDHISM The Fall

Desire is the root of all suffering

BUDDHISM Redemption

 Follow the eightfold path; realize all is an illusion BUDDHISM
Source for
Belief

Teachings of
 Siddhartha Guatama

BUDDHISM Truth

The Four Noble Truths

BUDDHISM Jesus

 Followed the eightfold path perfectly

HINDUISM Creation

I have always been;
 the world is an illusion

HINDUISM The Fall

Caused by ignorance of Oneness

HINDUISM Redemption

 Detach oneself from passion in action HINDUISM
Source for
Belief

Puranas

HINDUISM Truth

 Truth looks different for all, but must live a good life

HINDUISM Jesus



SECULARISM Creation

 Evolved through molecules to man evolution

SECULARISM The Fall

Religion and belief in sinful man

SECULARISM Redemption No god will save us;
 we must save
 ourselves

SECULARISM
Source for
Belief

Humanist Manifesto,
 Age of Reason, Why
 I'm Not a Christian

SECULARISM Truth

 Subjective; can change with culture and time

SECULARISM Jesus

A good moral teacher;
 not God

MARXISM Creation Evolution; specifically punctuated equilibrium

MARXISM
The Fall

The rich have ruled over the poor; economics

MARXISM
Redemption

 Working class rise up in rebellion; abolishment of property MARXISM
Source for
Belief

 Communist Manifesto by Karl Marx

MARXISM Truth

 Found in actions and beliefs of the proletariat MARXISM Jesus Ultimate Marxist;
 came to liberate the poor

POSTMODERN
ISM
Creation

 We can't know; we are a collage of social constructs

POSTMODERN
ISM
The Fall

 Adherence to metanarratives

POSTMODERN ISM Redemption

Abandon the search for objective truth; generate a theory of living

POSTMODERN
ISM
Source for
Belief

 Nietzsche, Foucault;
 yet there is really no definitive source

POSTMODERN ISM Truth

 Does not exist; there are only metanarratives

POSTMODERN ISM Jesus

Simply a human (if he existed at all)