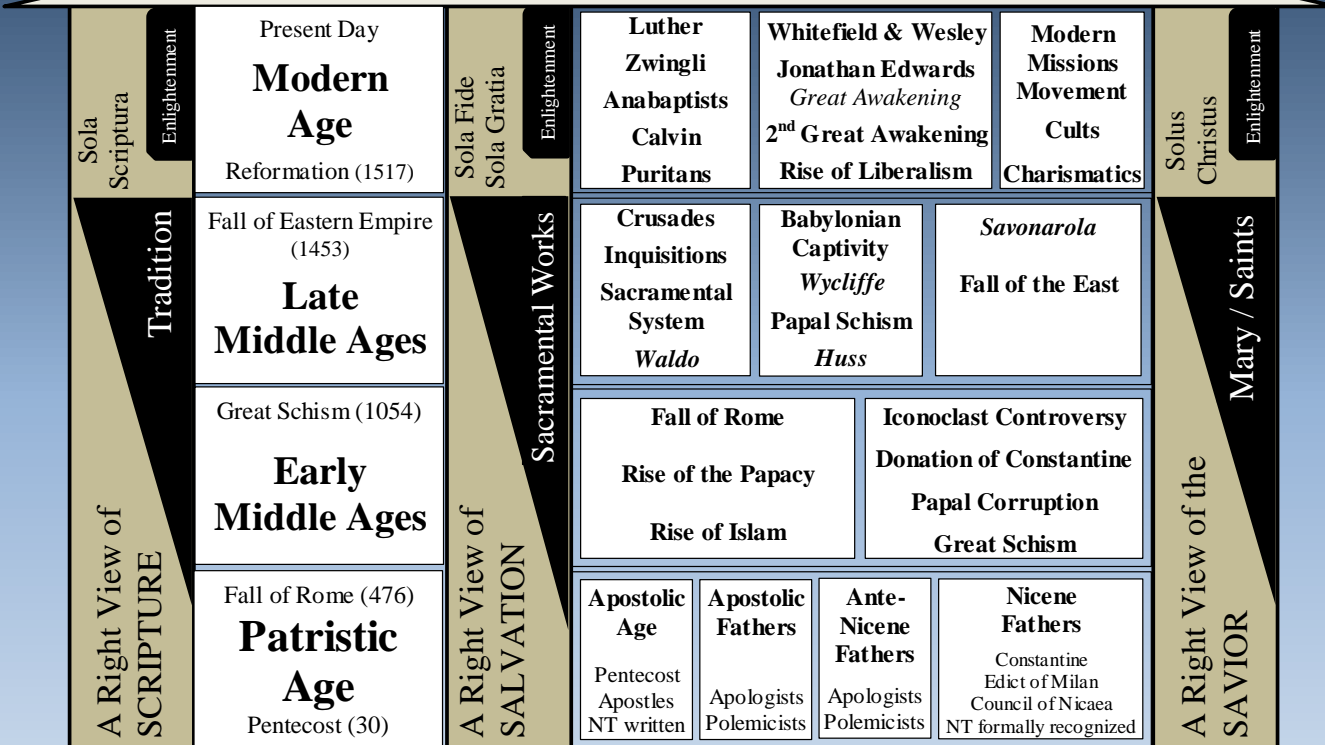


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THE LORD JESUS CHRIST AND THE APOSTOLIC WITNESS TO HIM (NT)

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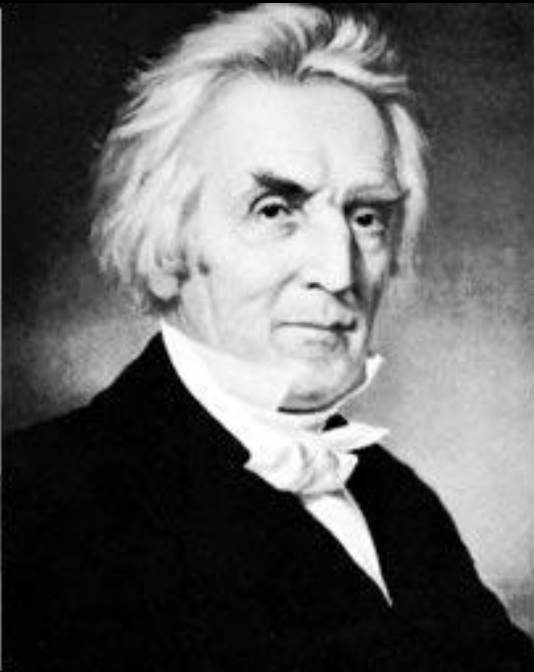
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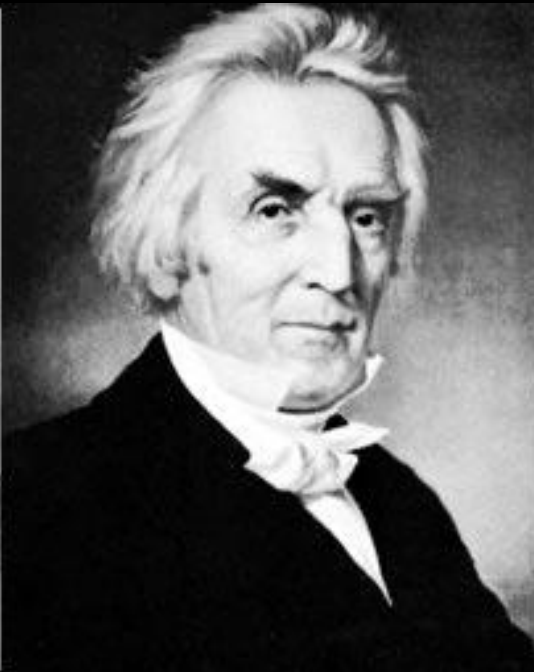


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**THE RESTORATIONIST MOVEMENT
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The Church of Christ • The Christian Church • The Disciples of Christ

CULT

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Narrowly defined, it's an unorthodox sect whose members distort the original doctrines of the religion.

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THE DOCTRINAL PILLARS

A Right View of Scripture

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final authority for
our doctrine
(what we believe)
and practice
(how we live)

A Right View of Salvation

Salvation is
accomplished by
grace alone
thru faith alone
in Christ alone

A Right View of the Savior

The true Savior is
to be worshipped
in spirit
(purity of devotion)
and truth
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THE FOUNDATION

The Lord Jesus Christ and the Apostolic Witness to Him

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The 3 Doctrinal Pillars of Christianity:

A right view of Scripture, Salvation and the Savior

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JOSEPH SMITH

MORMONISM

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

THE MORMON SCRIPTURES

- The Bible
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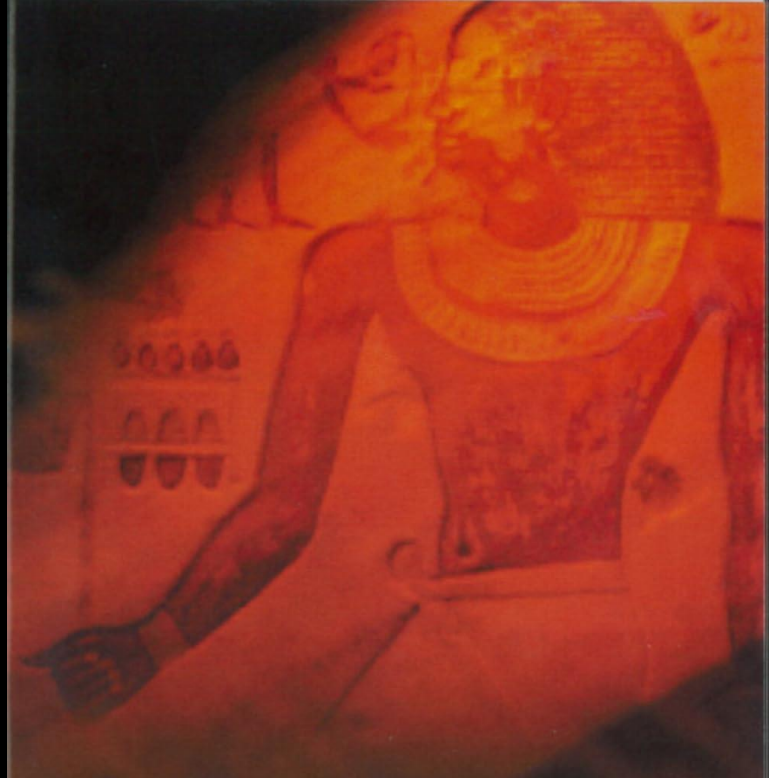
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Authentic ancient Egyptian scrolls
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PROTESTANT CHRISTIANITY
Methodism • Presbyterianism • Baptist

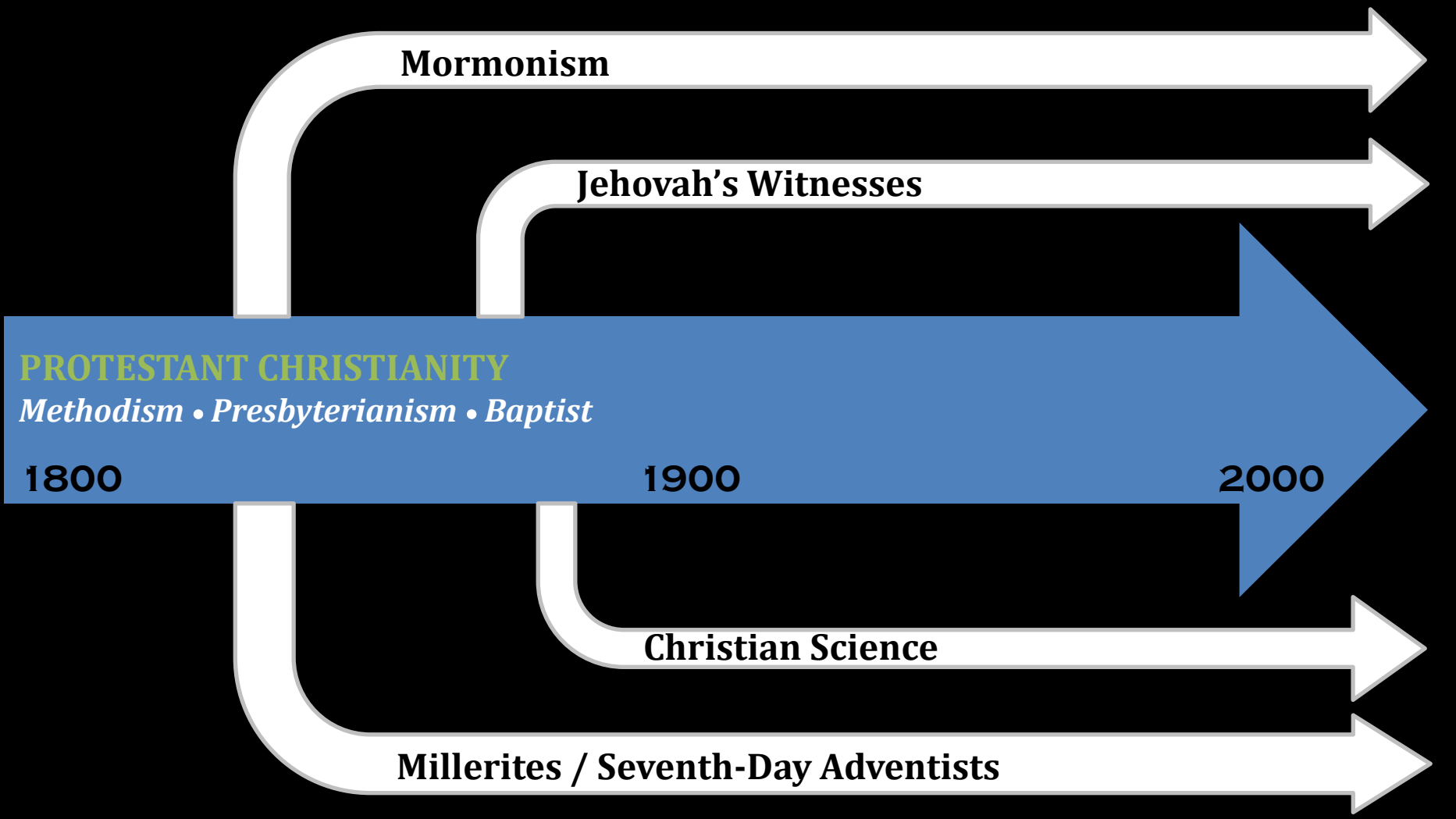
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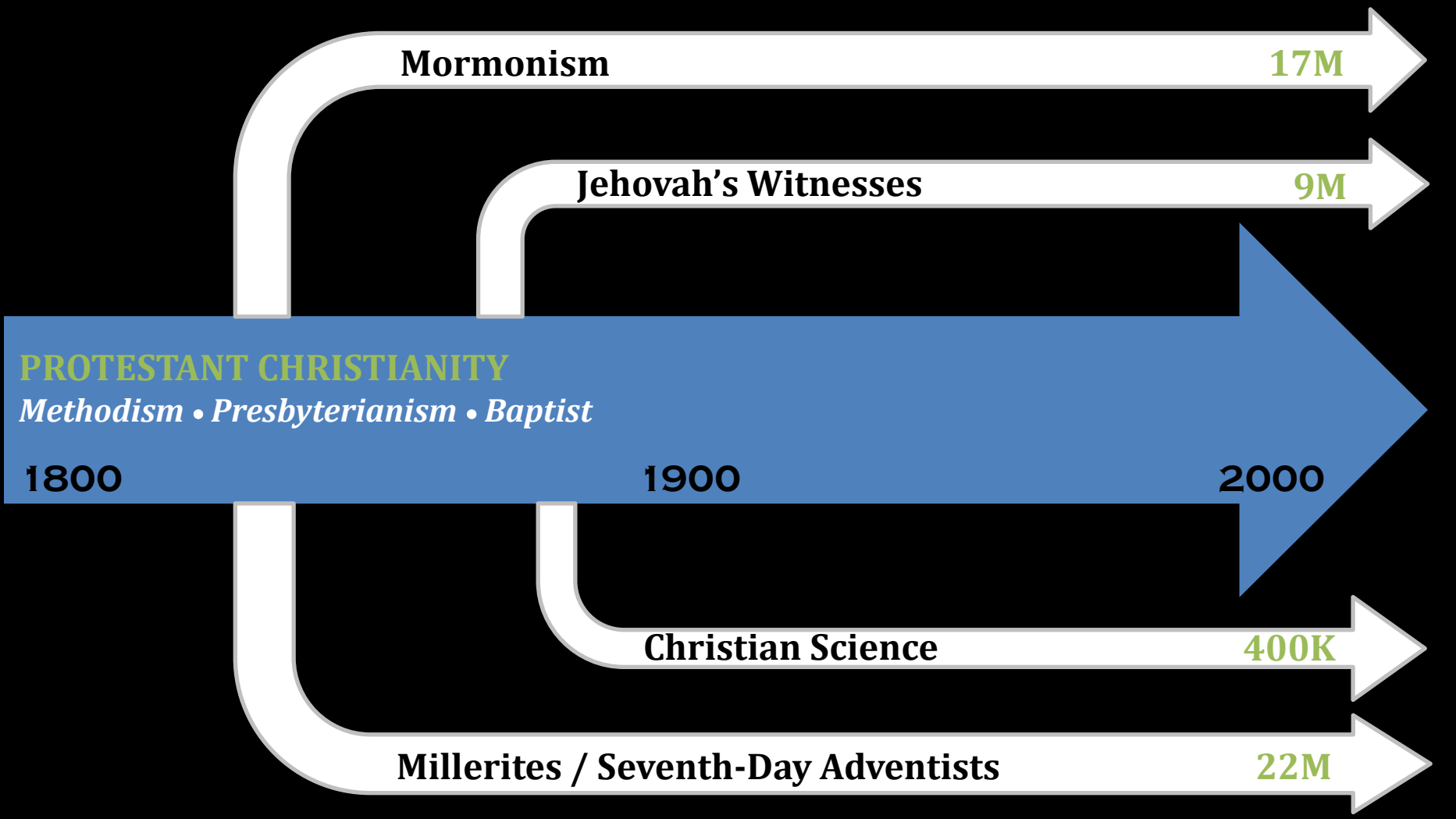
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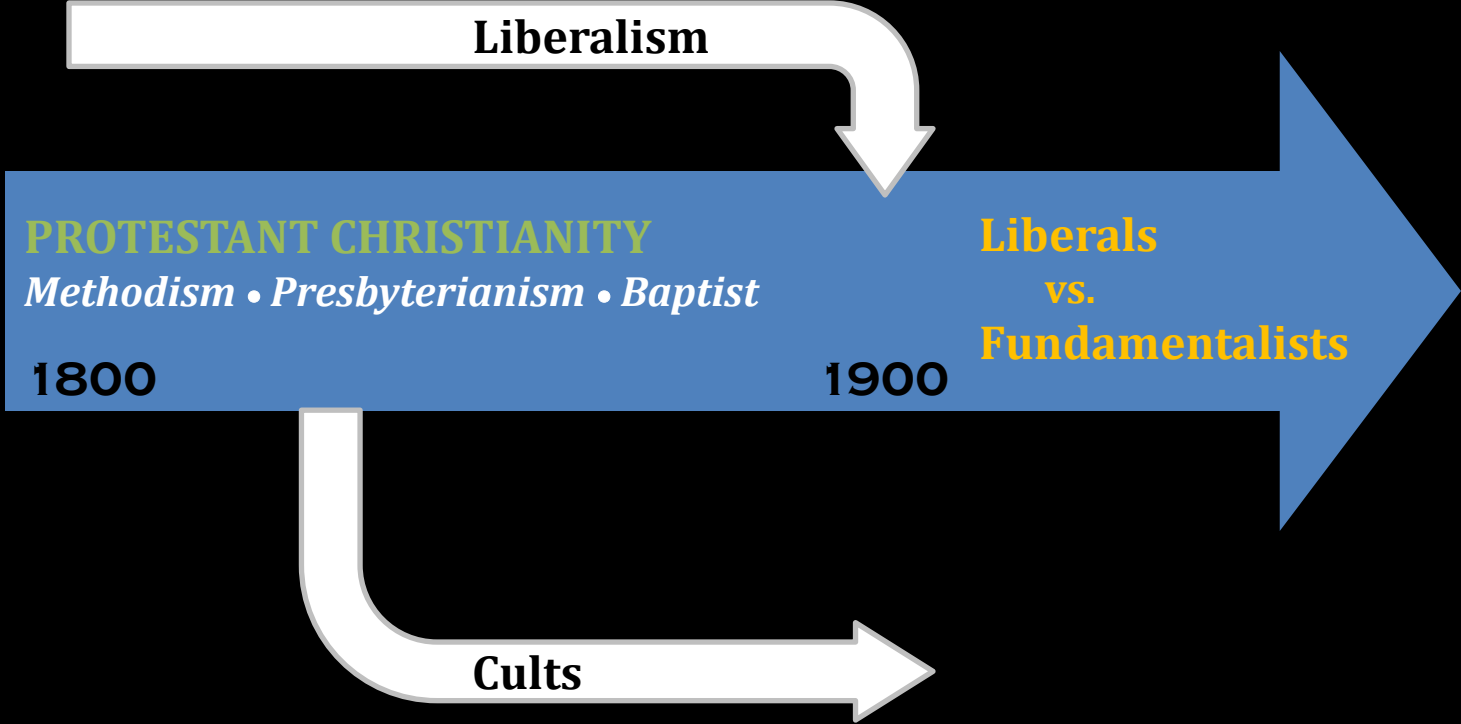
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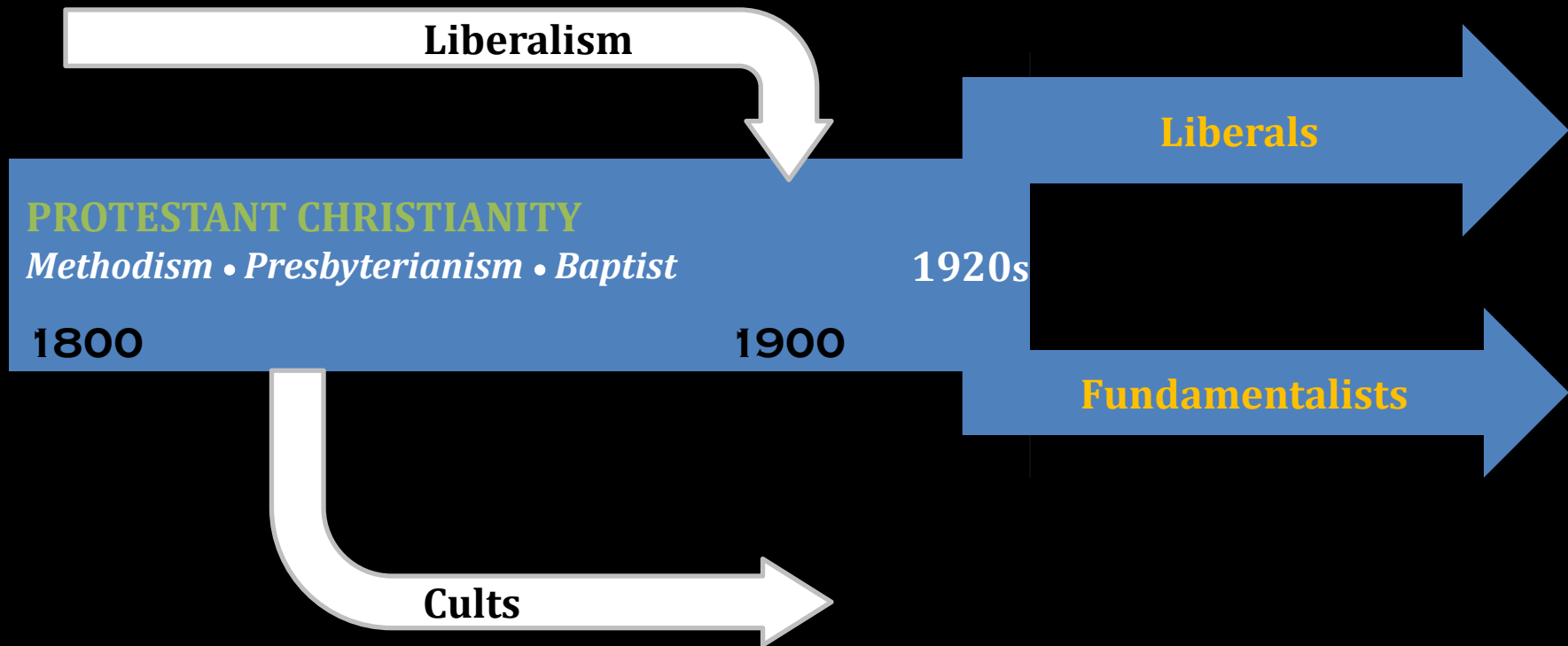
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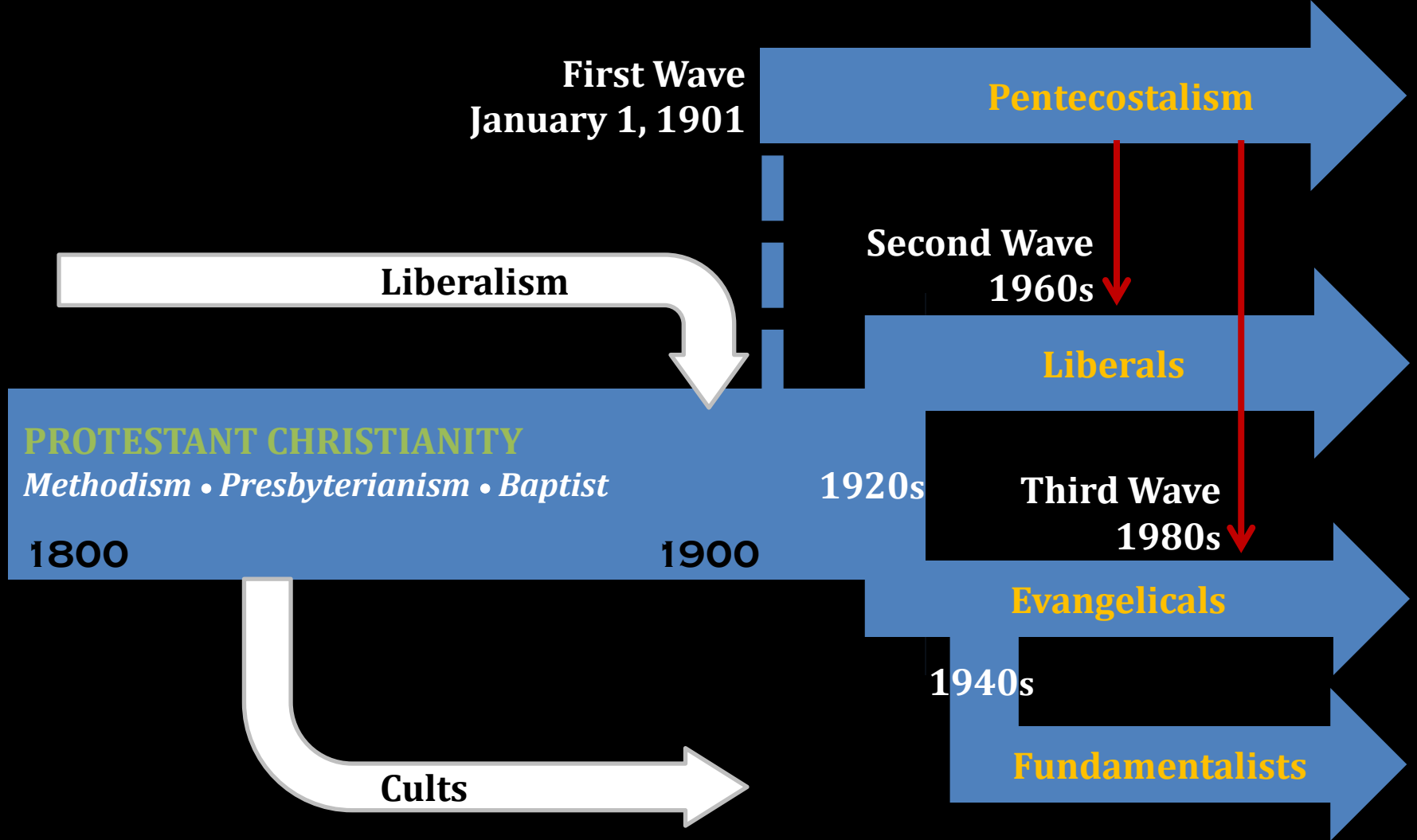
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First Wave
January 1, 1901

Pentecostalism

Second Wave
1960s

Liberals

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Third Wave
1980s

Evangelicals

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1940s

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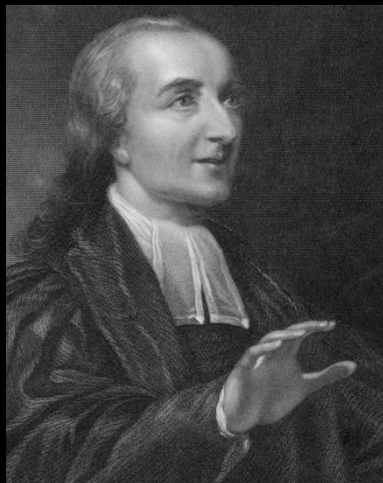


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WESLEY**
(1703-1791)

**“SECOND
BLESSING”**



**JOHN
FLETCHER**
(1729-1785)

**“BAPTISM
OF THE
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**CHURCH OF THE
NAZARENE**
(EST. 1895)

**CHRISTIAN
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Envoys to the Heathen Should Have Gift of Tongues.

TOPEKA, May 20.—Rev. Charles F. Parham, of the "College of Bethel," at Topeka, and his followers are preparing to give the people of the churches some new work along the line of missionary endeavor.

His plan is to send among the heathen, persons who have been blessed with the "gift of tongues"—a gift which, he says, no others have ever had conferred upon them since apostolic times. His missionaries, as he points out, will have the great advantages of having the languages of the various peoples among whom they work miraculously conferred upon them, and will not be put to the trouble of learning them in the laborious way by which they are acquired by other prospective missionaries.

"Our summer Bible school will begin in Topeka June 10," said Rev. Mr. Parham last night. "It will be held on the campus of the college. We are expecting thousands of ministers, evangelists and other people from all parts of the United States who desire to become missionaries to attend. There is no doubt that at this time they will have conferred on them the 'gift of tongues,' if they are worthy and seek it in faith, believing. They will thus be made able to talk to the people whom they choose to work among in their own language, which will, of course, be an inestimable advantage.

"The students of Bethel College do not need to study in the old way to learn the languages. They have them conferred upon them miraculously. Different ones have already been enabled to converse with Spaniards, Italians, Bohemians, Hungarians, Germans, and French in their own language. I have no doubt that knowledge of Chinese, Japanese, the various dialects of the people of India

A REPORTED PICTURE OF AGNES OZMAN'S WRITING IN "CHINESE"





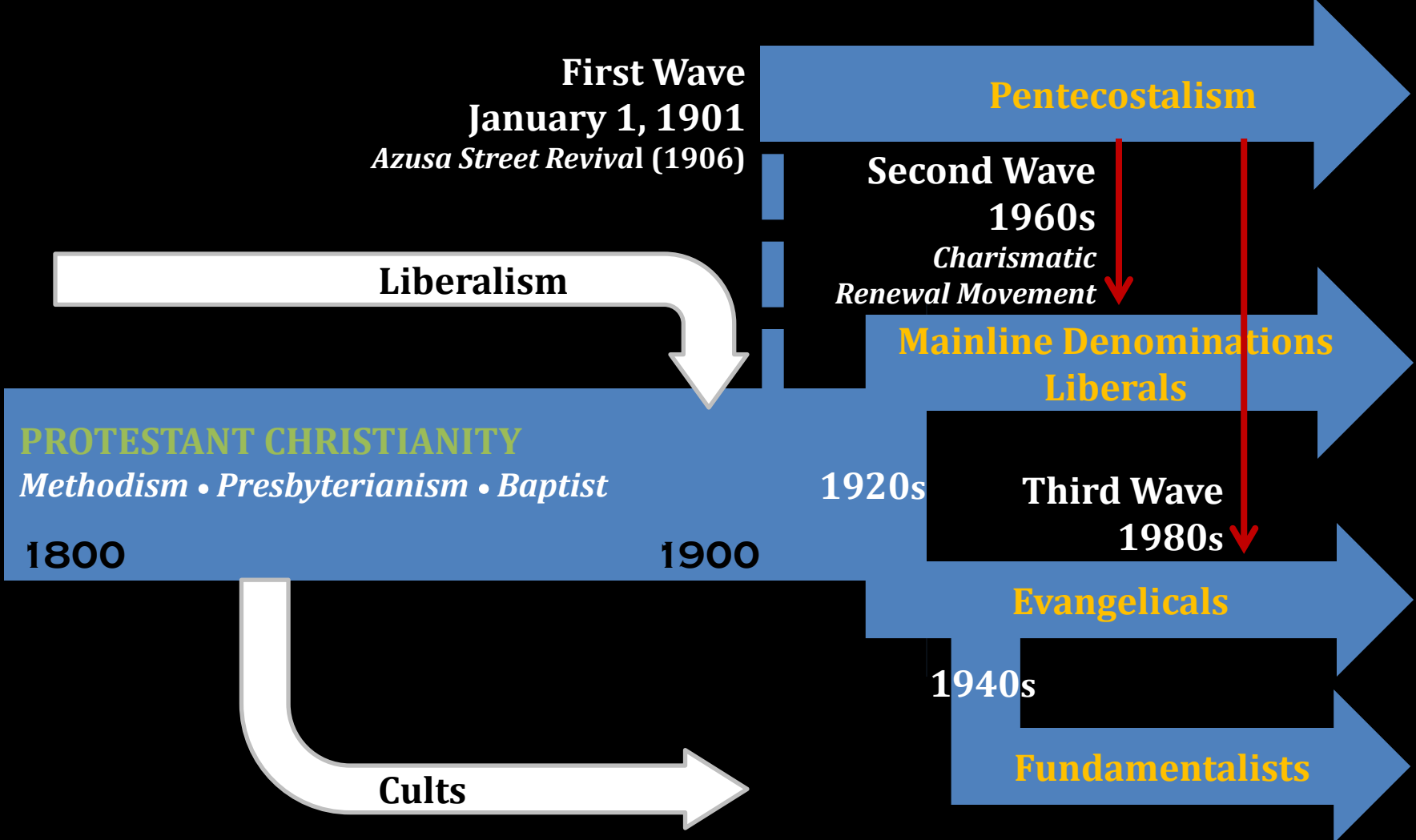
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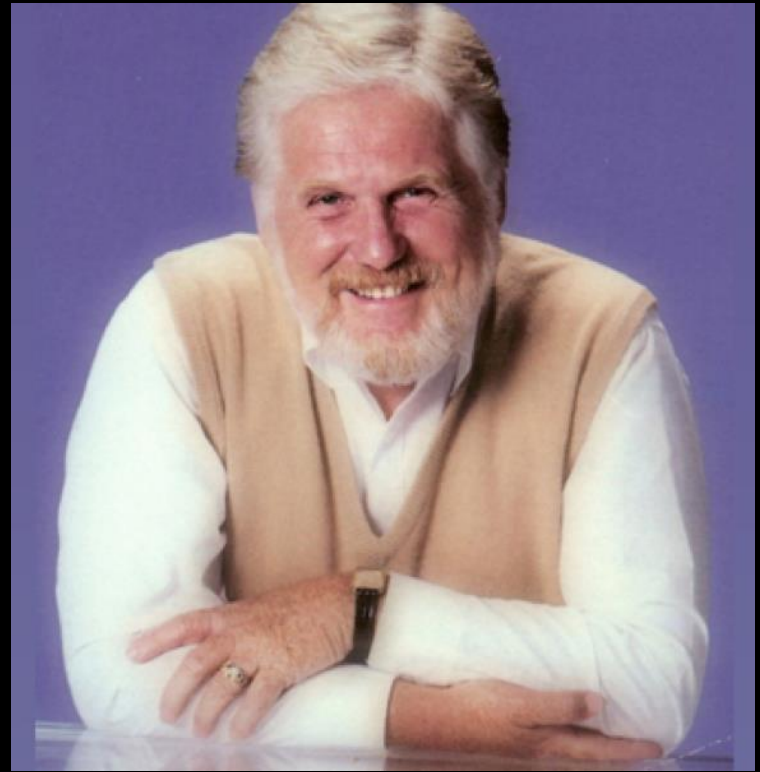


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