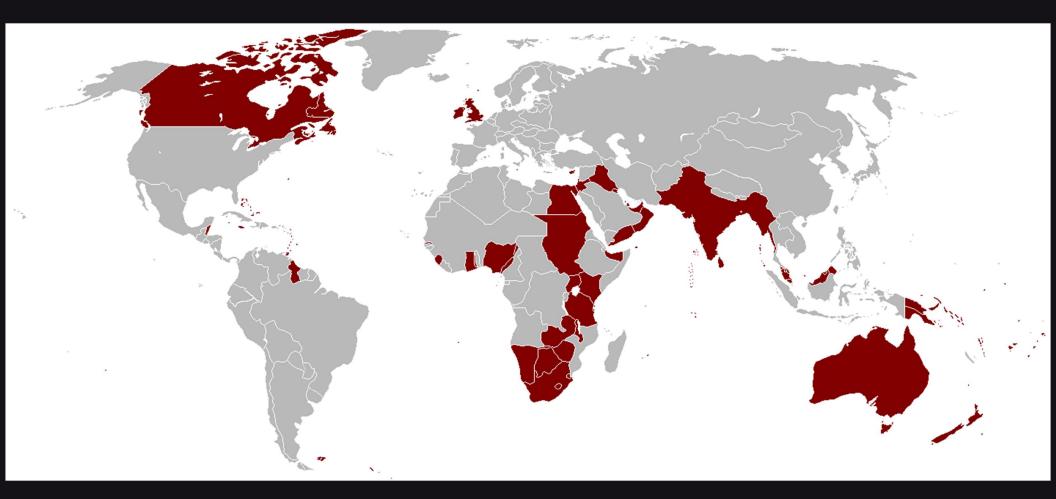
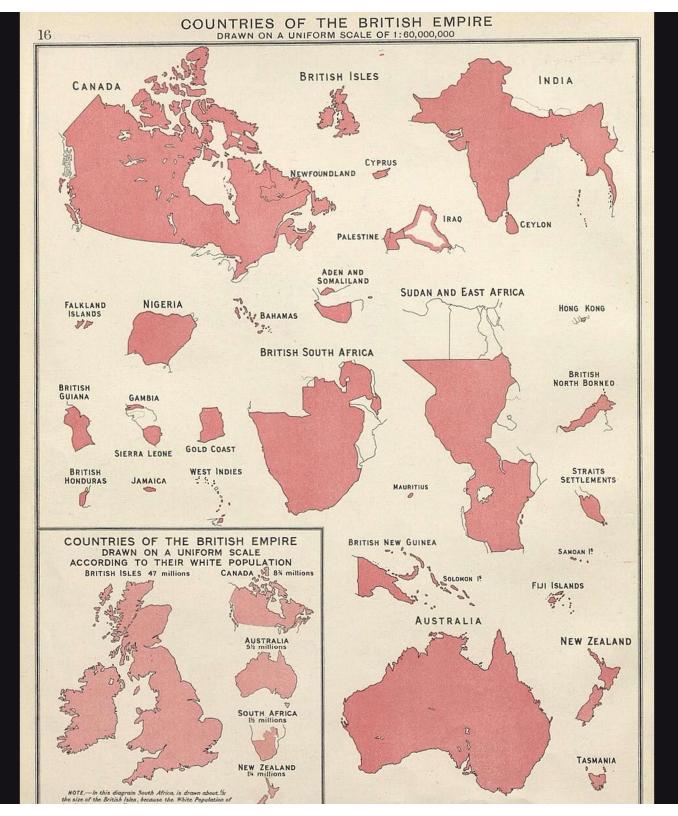
CAVEAT LECTOR: The following slides were shown in the "LGBT Religious History: Queering the Spirit" sessions indicated in the PowerPoint presentation title because they related to the required readings for those days. These can be found on the course syllabus.

The slides do not necessarily reflect the views of the instructor and in some cases were selected <u>precisely because</u> they contain errors of fact or differences of opinion with the authors whose scholarship students were reading. The more controversial graphics were intended to prompt conversations in college classroom settings and lead to engagement and respectful dialogue.

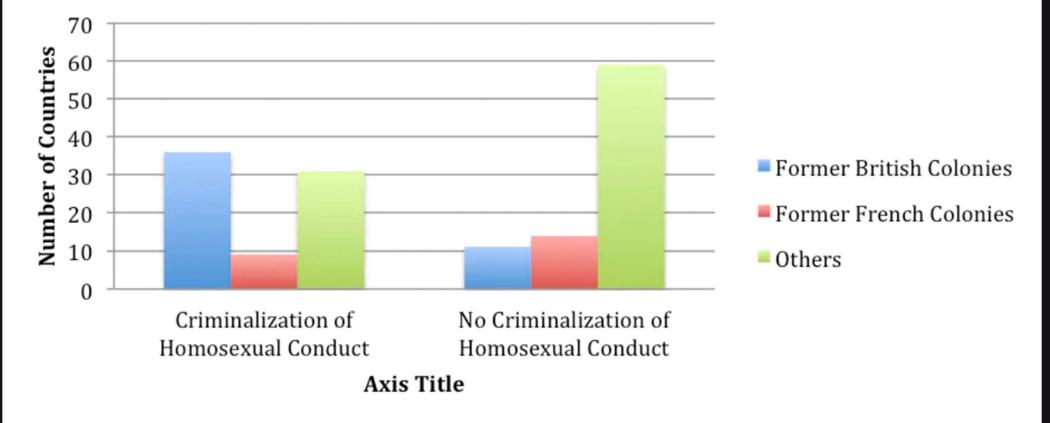
There is no straightforward way to "teach the slides"—nor should there be. It is up to individual teachers to use their judgment as to what materials are age-appropriate and decide whether they fit within existing lesson plans or can form the basis for new ones.







Colonial Legacy and Criminalization of Homosexual Conduct



From Enze Han and Joseph O'Mahoney, "The British Colonial Origins of Anti-Gay Laws," *The Washington Post*, October 30, 2014

Florida

Florida's 'don't say gay' bill inspired a chilling wave of Republican legislation

Anti-LGBTQ+ measures among more than 156 bills targeting issues of identity, says PEN report



Revelers celebrate on the 7th Avenue during the Tampa Pride Parade in the Ybor City neighborhood on 26 March in Tampa, Florida. Photograph: Octavio Jones/Getty Images

Since Florida passed its controversial "don't say gay" bill, conservative states across America have been advancing similar bills as they attempt to ban the discussion of gender identity and sexual orientation in classrooms.

Last month, Florida's Republican governor, Ron DeSantis, signed into law the Parental Rights in Education bill. The law prohibits all discussion of sexuality and gender identity in schools, a move that advocates say will "erase" LGBTQ+ students and history.

Maya Yang

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'If the Good Lord made you a boy, you are a boy': Alabama Gov. Kay Ivey signs bill making it a FELONY for doctors to give children medication to alter their gender just 24 hours after Jen Psaki attacked GOP states for 'cynical' transgender laws





"There are very real challenges facing our young people, especially with today's societal pressures and modern culture. I believe very strongly that if the Good Lord made you a boy, you are a boy, and if he made you a girl, you are a girl. We should especially protect our children from these radical, life-altering drugs and surgeries when they are at such a vulnerable stage in life. Instead, let us all focus on helping them to properly develop into the adults God intended them to be." – Governor Kay Ivey

NEW Alabama's Republican Gov. Kay Ivey signed a bill on Friday making it a felony for doctors to assist minors in gender transition. 'I believe very strongly if the good Lord made you a boy, you are a boy, and if he made you a girl, you are a girl,' Ivey said in a statement on the bill. 'We should especially protect our children from these radical, life-altering drugs and surgeries when they are at such a vulnerable stage in life. Instead, let us focus on helping them to properly develop into the adults God intended them to be.' The Alabama Vulnerable Child Compassion and Protection Act makes it a felony for doctors to perform medical procedures or prescribe medication to minors who want to alter their appearance, gender or delay puberty. The criminal penalty would be up to 10 years in prison.

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Thom Hartmann <a> @Thom_Hartmann < 8m Astonishing. If you live in Florida...

Moms for Liberty @Moms4Liberty · 1d Attention Parents!

A teacher in Palm Beach County, FL shared this template with us. It is being shared among teachers to use for grades K-3. ...

Dear Florida parent/caretaker:

The Florida House of Representatives has recently ruled that "classroom instruction by school personnel or third parties on sexual orientation or gender identity may not occur in kindergarten through grade 3 or in a manner that is not age appropriate or developmentally appropriate for students."

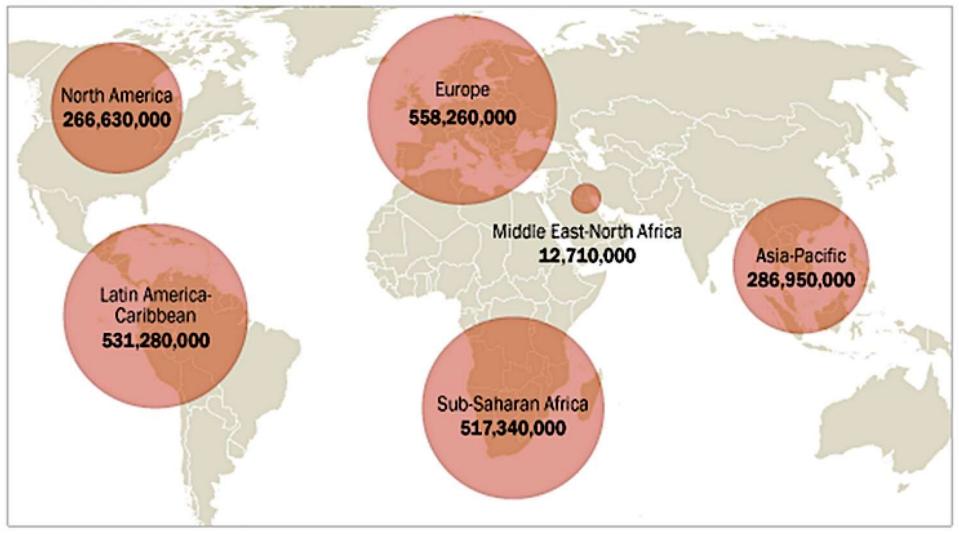
To be in accordance with this policy, I will no longer be referring to your student with gendered pronouns. All students will be referred to as "they" or "them." I will no longer use a gendered title such as "Mr." or "Mrs." or make any references to my husband/wife in the classroom. From now on I will be using the nongendered title "Mx."

Furthermore, I will be removing all books or instruction which refer to a person being a "mother," "father," "husband" or "wife" as these are gender identities that also may allude to sexual orientation. Needless to say, all books which refer to a character as "he" or "she" will also be removed from the classroom. If you have any concerns about this policy, please feel free to contact your local congressperson.

Thank you, Mx. XXXXXXXXXXX

Regional Distribution of Christians

Population by region as of 2010

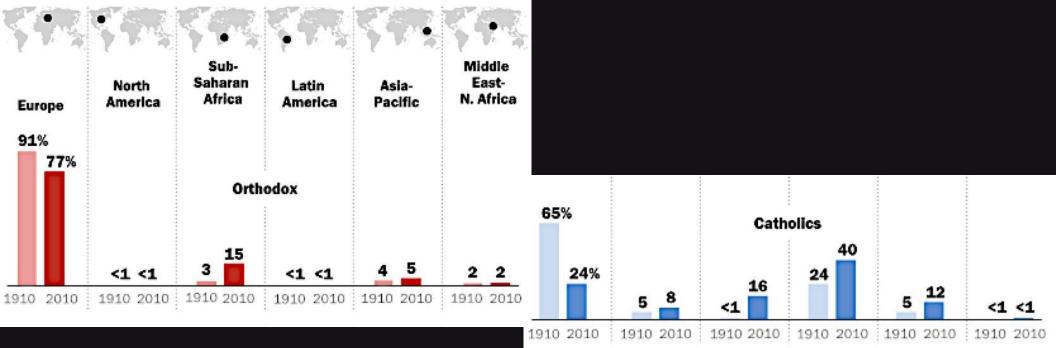


Percentage of world Christian population in each region as of 2010

12.3%	24.4	25.7	23.8	13.2
North America	Latin America-Caribbean	Europe		Asia-Pacific).6 st-North Africa

Population estimates are rounded to the ten thousands. Percentages are calculated from unrounded numbers. Percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding. Pew Research Center's Forum on Religion & Public Life • Global Religious Landscape, December 2012 A century ago, all three major branches of Christianity were concentrated in Europe. That is still the case for Orthodox Christians, but not Protestants and Catholics

% of each group living in each region, 1910 and 2010



Protestants and other Christians

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Note: "Protestants and other Christians" includes Mormons, Jehovah's Witnesses, Christian Scientists and other small Christian groups.

Source: 1910 data from World Religion Database. 2010 data from Pew Research Center analysis of censuses and surveys, originally published in 2011 report "Global Christianity." "Orthodox Christianity in the 21st Century"

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CHRONOLOGY All dates are CE, except where stated

- ca. 4BCE Birth of Jesus of Nazareth ca. 30CE • Crucifixion of Jesus ca. 40-64 . Ministry of Paul ca. 70-100 • New Testament gospels written 313 • Edict of Milan ends persecution of Christians in Roman empire 325 • Council of Nicea asserts doctrine of Trinity; Nicene Creed drafted 392 • Roman empire bans paganism 354-430 • Life of Augustine of Hippo, theologian 451
 Council of Chalcedon ca. 543 • Death of Benedict, founder of Western monasticism 590-604 • Rule of Pope Gregory the Great 638-56 • Arabs conquer Egypt, Palestine, Syria, and Mesopotamia 800 • Charlemagne crowned Holy Roman emperor by Pope Leo III 863 • Conversion of Slavs begun by saints Cyril and Methodius 950-1000 • Conversion of Europe complete
- 1054 Eastern (Orthodox) and Western (Roman Catholic) churches split
- 1095-9 First crusade to the Holy Land

- 1182–1226 Life of Francis of Assisi, founder of Franciscan order
 - 1237 Inquisition established to counter heresy
 - 1225-74 Life of Thomas Aquinas, theologian
 - 1378 "Great Schism" in Western church, with rival popes at Rome and Avignon, France.
 - 1414-17 Council of Constance; schism ends
 - 1453 Constantinople falls to Turks
 - 1492 "Reconquest" of Spain complete
 - 1517 Martin Luther launches reform movement against church abuses
 - 1534 Anglican church established
 - Ignatius de Loyola founds Society of Jesus (Jesuits)
 - 1536 John Calvin publishes Institutes of Christian Religion, founding work of Calvinism

- 1545-63 Council of Trent
- 1542-82 Jesuits launch missions to India, Japan, and China
- 1618-48 Thirty Years War
 - 1647. George Fox begins to organize Society of Friends (Quakers)
 - 1666 Russian Orthodox church splits between reformers and "Old Believers"
 - 1726 Evangelical movement ("Great Awakening") begins in North America
 - 1738 John Wesley, founder of Methodism, begins preaching
 - 1830 Joseph Smith founds Mormonism
- 1869-70 First Vatican Council
 - 1910 Edinburgh missionary conference launches modern ecumenism
 - 1948 World Council of Churches established
- 1963-5 Second Vatican Council

Misleading chronology from Rosemary Drage Hale, "Christianity," in Michael D. Coogan, ed., *The Illustrated Guide to World Religions* (New York, N.Y.: Oxford University Press, 2003).

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate: he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father [and the Son]. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. AMEN.

GOSPEL COMI	ARISONS
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	Mark	MATTHEW	LUKE	John	
Writer	Mark: A second generation Christian, possibly a follower of Peter; traditionally the John Mark of Acts	Matthew: An unknown Jewish Christian, traditional- ly the Apostle Matthew AD 75-80	Luke: A Gentile Christian, traditional- ly Luke the physician and Paul's traveling companion	John: The beloved disciple, the Apostle John, or his disciple	
Date Written	AD 65-70		AD 80-85	AD 90-110	
Images of Christ	The suffering servant of God, Son of Man, Son of God, Messiah, and Lord	Teacher and prophet like Moses, Son of God, Son of Man, Messiah, and Lord	Great healer, merciful, compassion for the poor, Son of God, Son of Man, Messiah, and Lord	logos, word of God, Son of God, Son of Man, lamb of God, Redeemer, Messiah, and Lord	
The Author's Community	A Gentile Christian community in Rome undergoing persecu- tion	A Jewish Christian community in Antioch, Syria	Written to Theol- philus (meaning "lover of God"), who possibly represents any Christian (Greece)	Community of Jews, Gentiles, and Sumaritans of Ephesus in Turkey	
Theological Themes	Jesus shows that the suffering in our lives can be a source of grace when united to the sufferings of Christ	Jesus teaches what it means to be a mem- ber of the Kingdom of heaven. He prepares his followers to continue his teaching and ministry.	Jesus heals long- standing divisions among people. He calls his followers to have a special compassion for those excluded from wealth and power.	Jesus is the divine Son of God, the image of God in flesh Salvation is available for those who believe in Jesus and commit their lives to him.	
Historical Situation The Romans subdue armed Jewish rebellions. Christians experience persecu- tion in Rome.		Written after Romans had destroyed all of Jerusalem, including the Temple of Herod	Written when the persecution of Jews and Christians was intensifying	Emperor Domitian deified himself and mandated that all people worship him. Jewish leaders banned Christians from the synagogues.	
Caesars	Nero (AD 54-68)	Vespasian and Titus (AD 70–81)	Domitian (AD 81-96)	Domitian (AD 81–96) Nerva (AD 96–98), Trajan (AD 98–117)	

Gospel Best Sellers From Egyptian Garbage Dumps						
• Matthew • <u>P64, 67</u> • <u>P77</u> • <u>P103</u> • <u>P104</u> • <u>0171</u> • Mark • Luke • P4 • P75* (Lk & Jn) • <u>0171</u>		 John P5 <u>P52</u> <u>P66*</u> P75* (Lk & Jn) <u>P90</u> P108 P109 Gospel Harmony <u>0212</u> 	Non-Canonical Gospels • Egerton Gospel • <u>P. Egerton 2 + P. Köln 255</u> • Gospel of Peter • <u>P. Oxy. 4009</u> • P. Oxy. 2949 • Gospel of Thomas • P. Oxy. 1 • P. Oxy. 655			
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From a slide show by Timothy N. Mitchell on the history of the New Testament canon available at https://www.slideshare.net/Athenagorus/who-chose-the-gospels-the-great-gospel-conspiracy



Saint Luke the Apostle as Marian icon painter, 15th century, Recklinghausen Icon Museum

PROTEVANGELIUM OF JAMES

- Also known as the Gospel of James, it was written in the 2nd century AD.
- It contains three parts, each 8 chapters in length.
- Part 1 deals with Mary's birth and childhood.
- Part 2 deals with Mary and Joseph as her guardian.
- Part 3 deals with the Nativity and after.

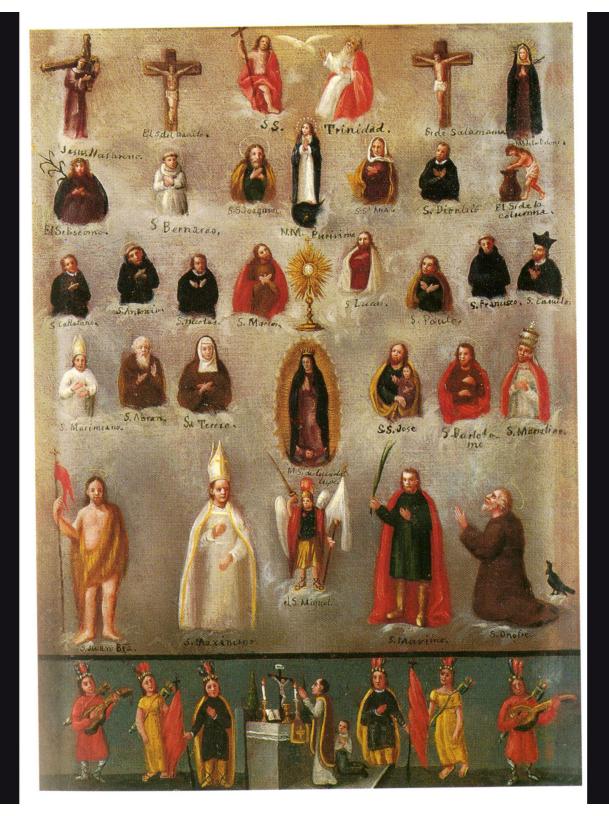
From a slide show by Dr. Edward P. Hahnenberg on the Jewish and Christian writings which did not make the Biblical canon, available at https://www.slideshare.net/ejjhpiano/understanding-thebible-part-two-the-apocrypha

Subsequent apocryphal works draw freely on the story of James, adding their own embellishments. Among these are The Gospel of Pseudo-Matthew which includes legends of the stay in Egypt, The Syriac-Arabic Infancy Gospel, The Armenian Infancy Gospel, and the Liber de Infantia Salvatoris. The Infancy Story of Thomas recounts numerous bizarre miracles worked by the child Jesus. The resulting composite story has Joseph as a carpenter who makes plows, yokes, other wooden tools for cultivation, and also wooden beds. At the age of 40 he marries Melcha or Escha, and during their 49 years of marriage he has four sons and two daughters, whose names are given. It is after he has been widowed for a year that the episode occurs with his staff blossoming and the dove flying out of it, thus indicating that he is divinely chosen for the twelve year old Mary. The annunciation takes place two years later. At Bethlehem, Joseph is out searching for a midwife when the baby is born miraculously without Mary losing her virginity.

From "St. Joseph in Apocrypha," by the Oblates of St. Joseph, Holy Spouses Province, https://osjusa.org/st-joseph/apocrypha/



Image depicting St. Joachim; his daughter, the Blessed Virgin Mary (not Jesus!); and her mother, St. Anne



Transubstantiation

Transubstantiation means the change of the whole substance of bread into the substance of the Body of Christ and of the whole substance of wine into the substance of his Blood.

This change is brought about in the Eucharistic prayer through the efficacy of the word of Christ and by the action of the Holy Spirit. However, the outward characteristics of bread and wine, that is the "eucharistic species", remain unaltered.

> source: Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church Further reading: CCC 1376—1377, 1413

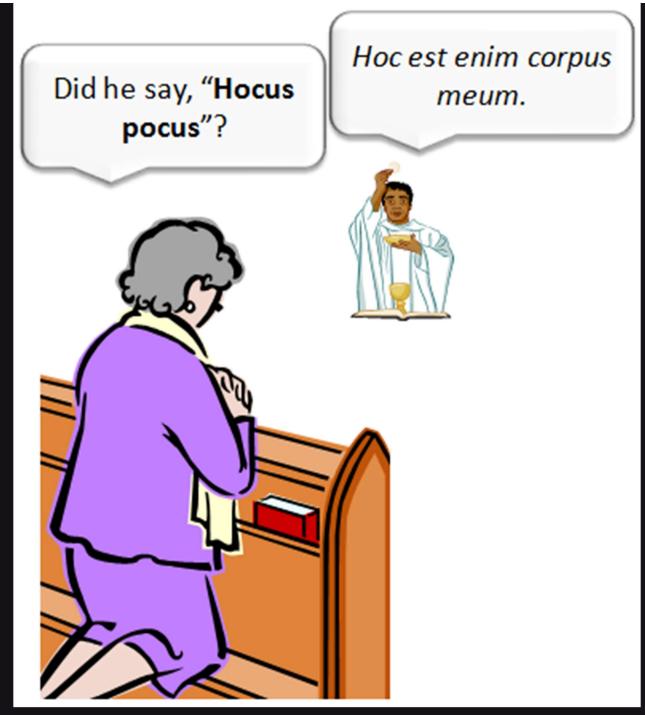
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Going back to scripture

What does the Bible say about the Eucharist?

 "While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, "Take and eat; <u>this is my body</u>." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you, for <u>this is my blood</u> of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins." (Matthew 26:26-30)

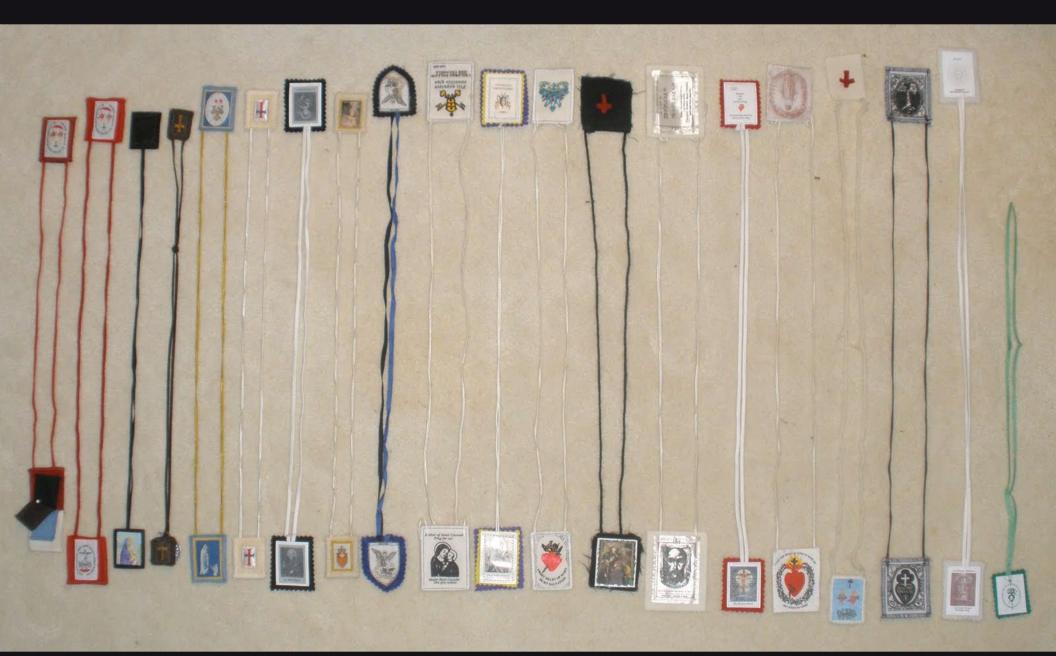
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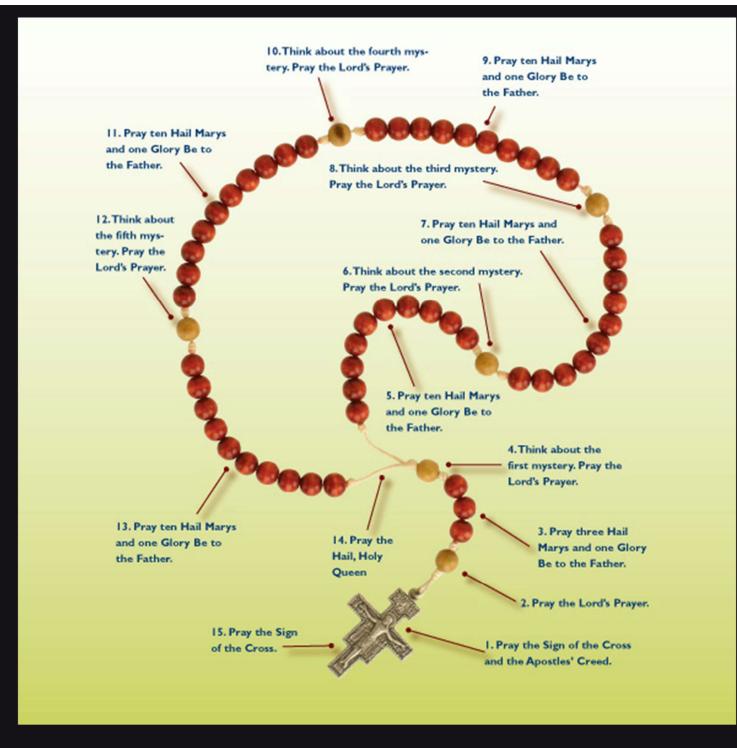
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Reliquary and close-up of relic

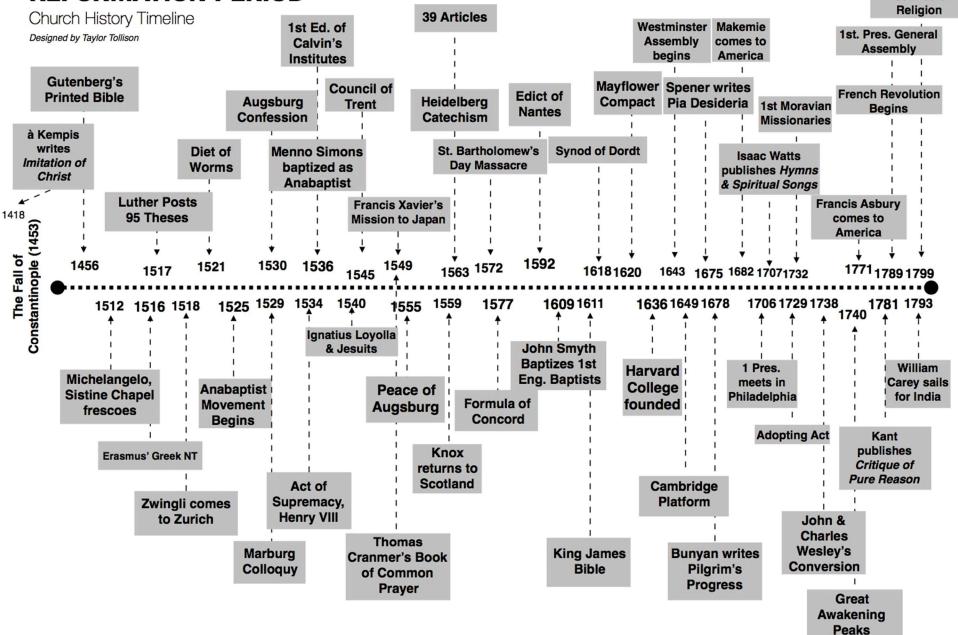


Roman Catholic scapulars



Steps to praying the rosary

REFORMATION PERIOD



Schleiermacher's Lectures on

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PROTESTANTISM AND CATHOLICISM

The Five Solas: The Five "Only"s

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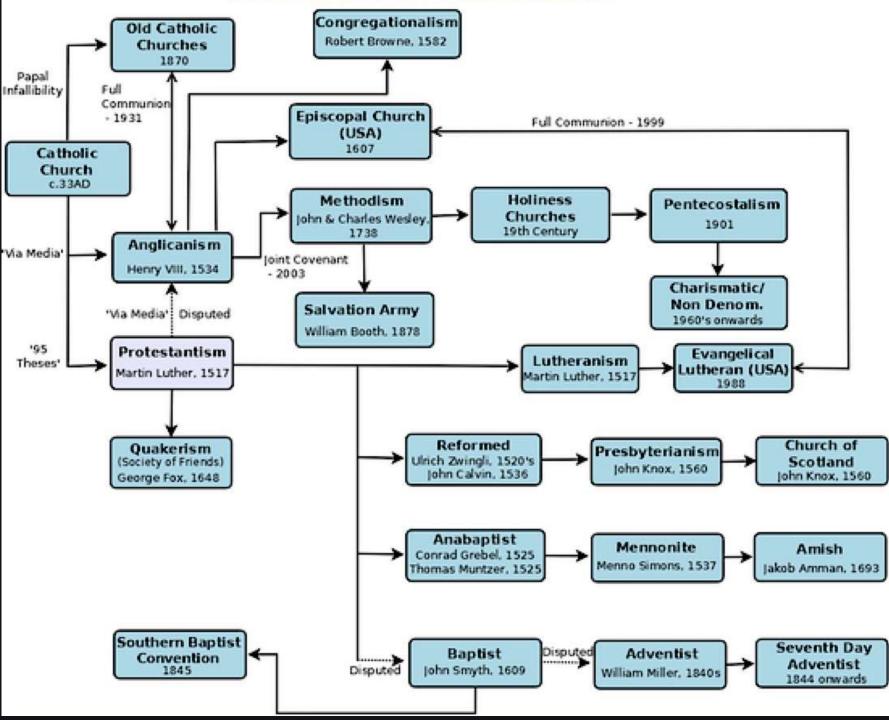
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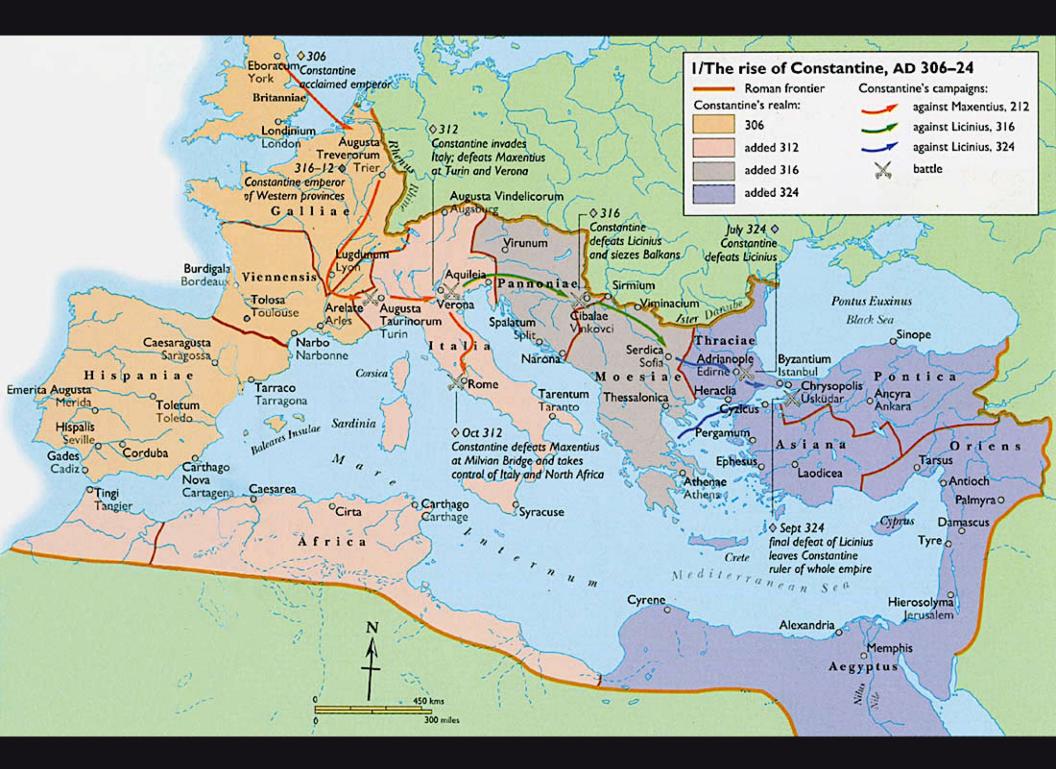
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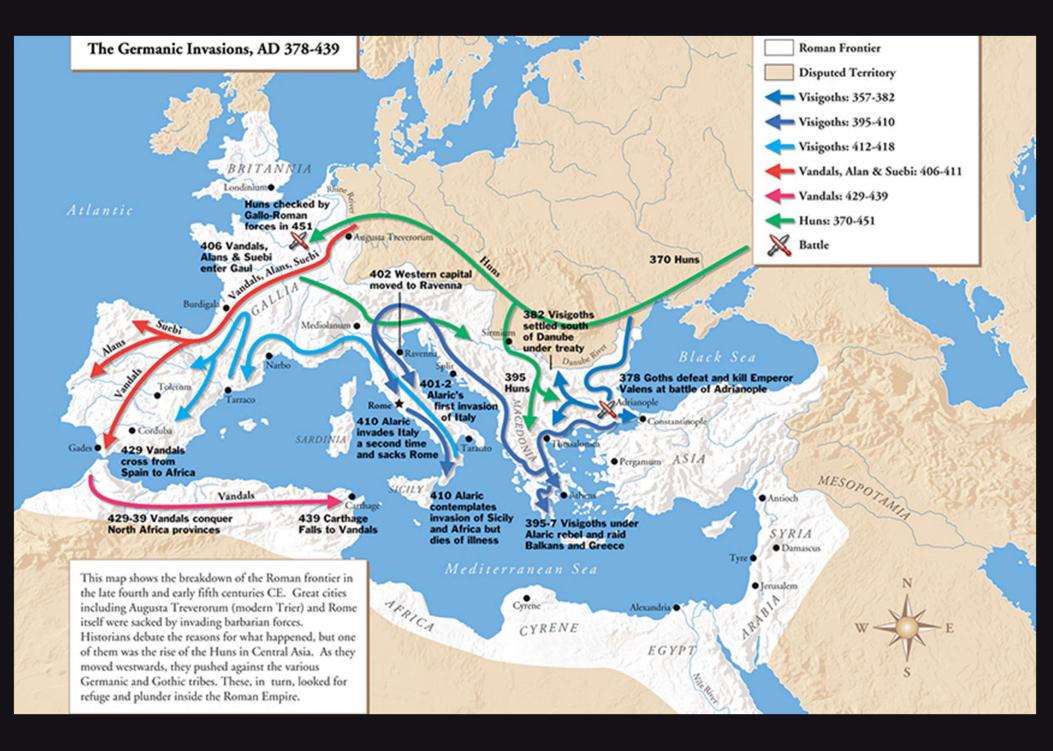
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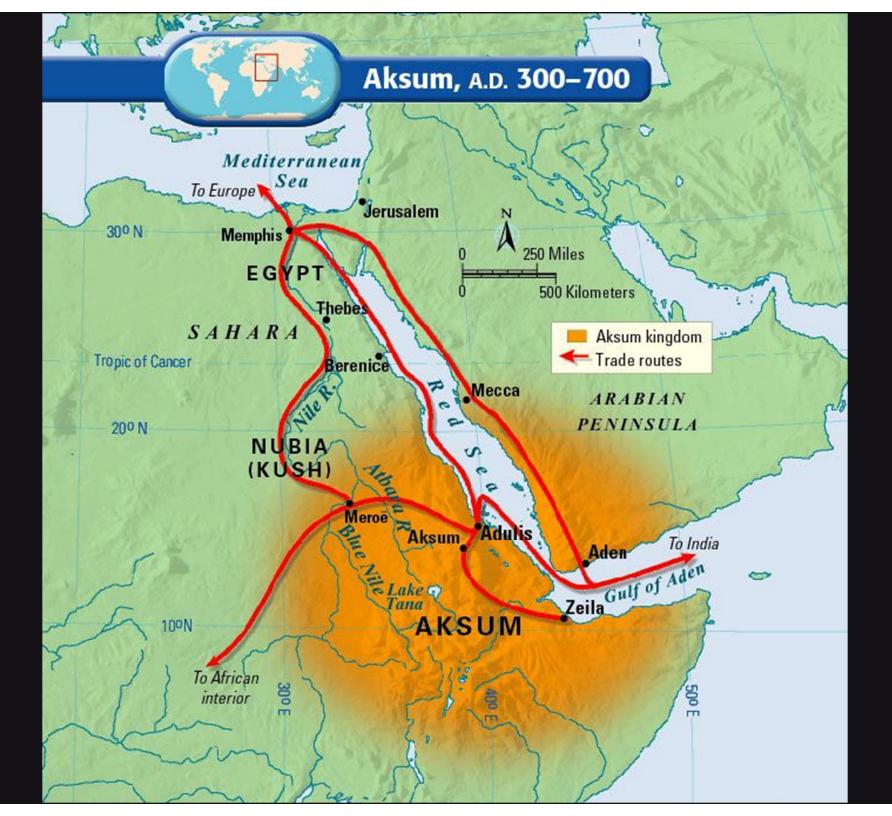
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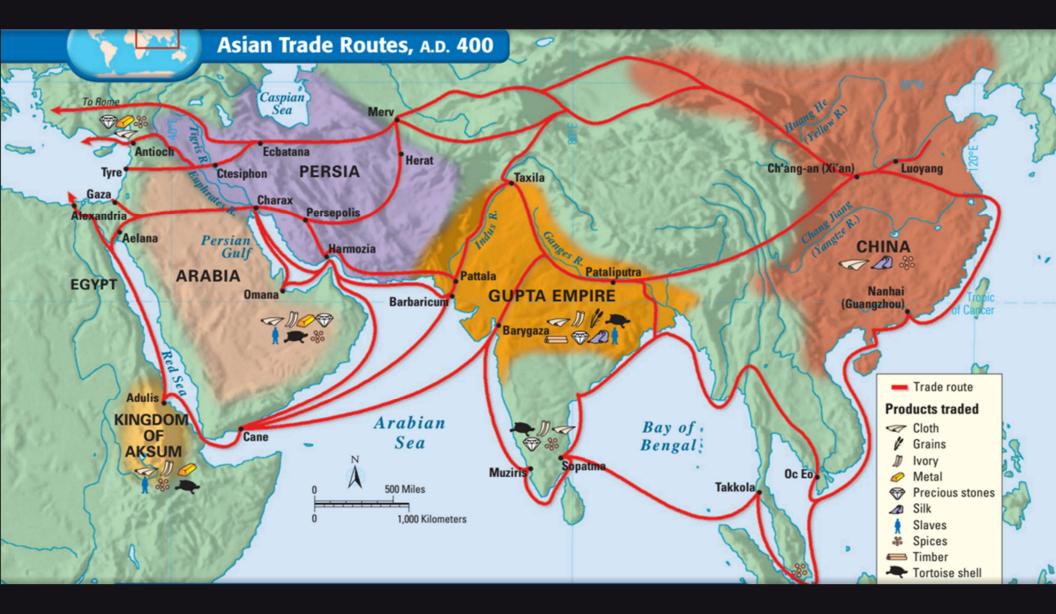
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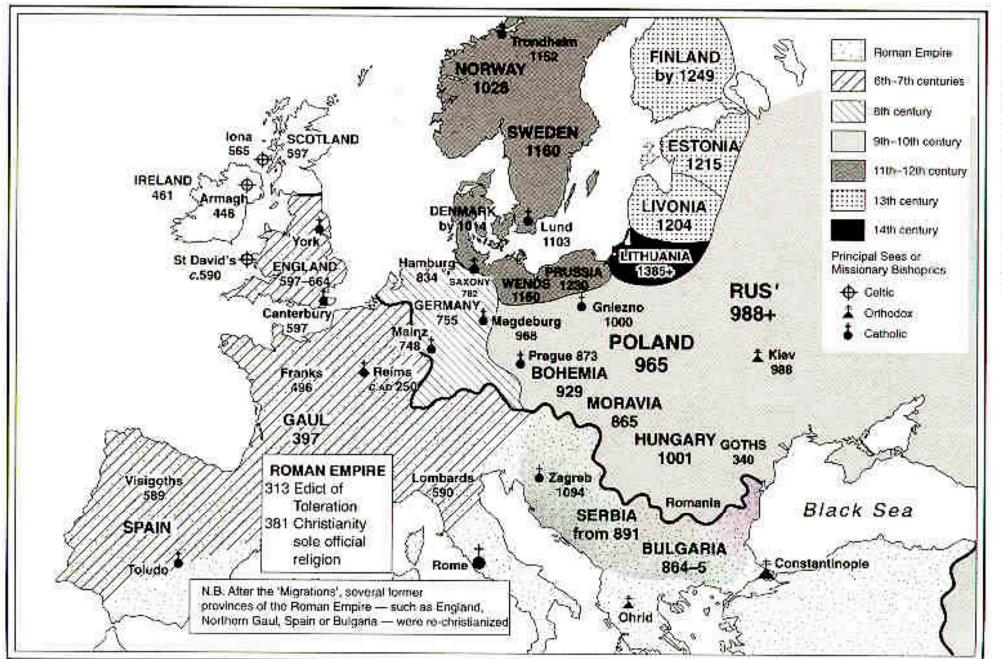






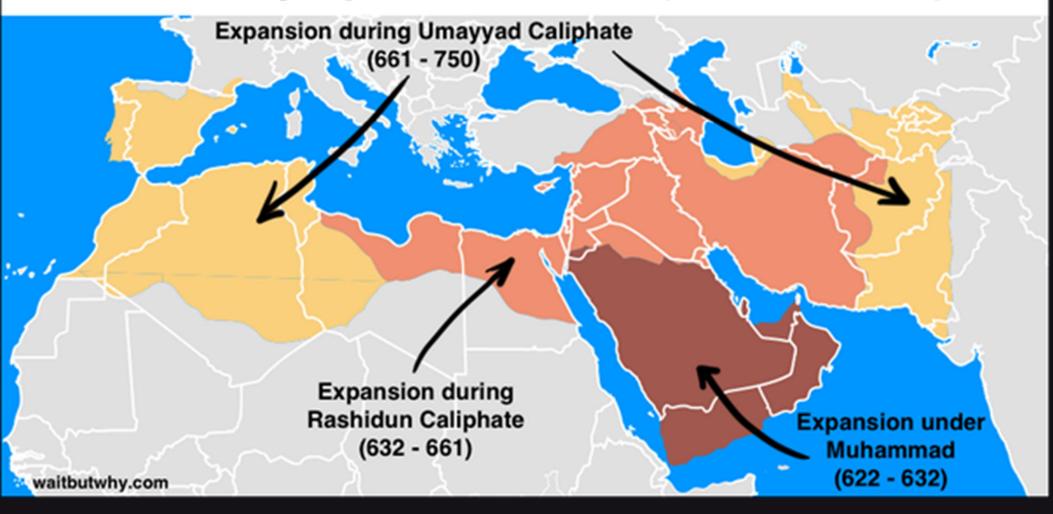






The Christianization of Europe

The Early Spread of Islam (632 - 750 AD)



The Moorish conquest of Spain from 711 to 732.

Between 409-20, the Visigoths invaded Roman Spain across the Pyrenees. After their defeat at the hands of the Merovingians at the battle of Vouillé in 507, the Visigoths were pushed into the Spanish peninsula.

> ATLANTIC OCEAN

Land conquered by Visigoths, 409-420 Frankish conquests to 507

Land conquered by Moors from Visigoths and Franks, 711-732 ASTURIAS

FRANKISH KINGDOM

Tours

732 Second Moorish wave defeated at Tours

778-814 Frankish invasions held off by Moors

721 Moors cross

Toulouse

Nimes

Pyrenees, turned back at Toulouse

Narbonne

Seville 711 Moors take Jerez

Tangiers

AFRICA

Cordoba

711 Moors take Gibraltar Gibraltar

Ceuta

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EMIRATE OF CORDOBA

(FORMERLY VISIGOTHIC KINGDOM)

714 Moors take

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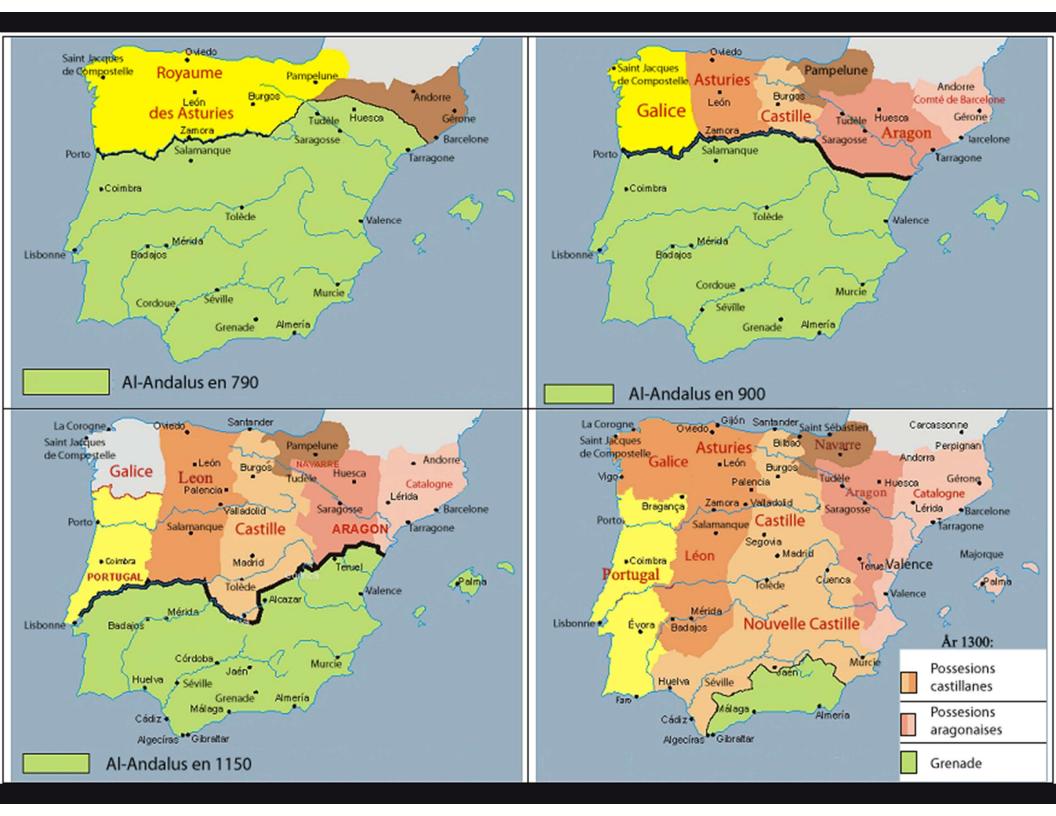
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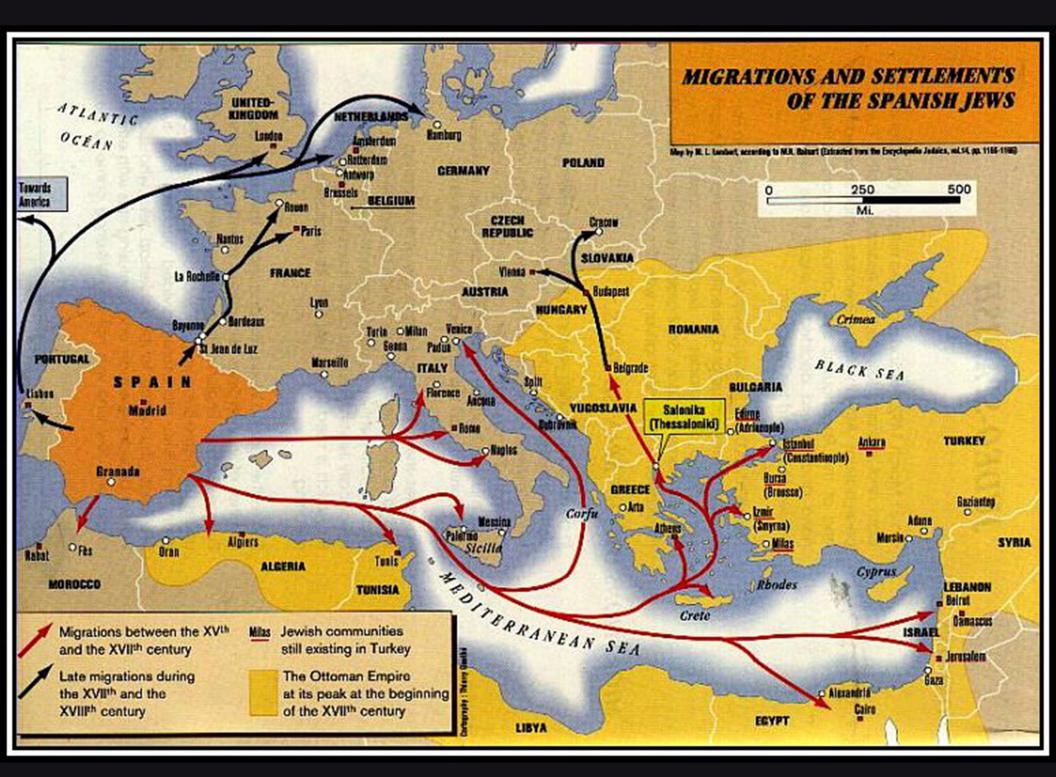
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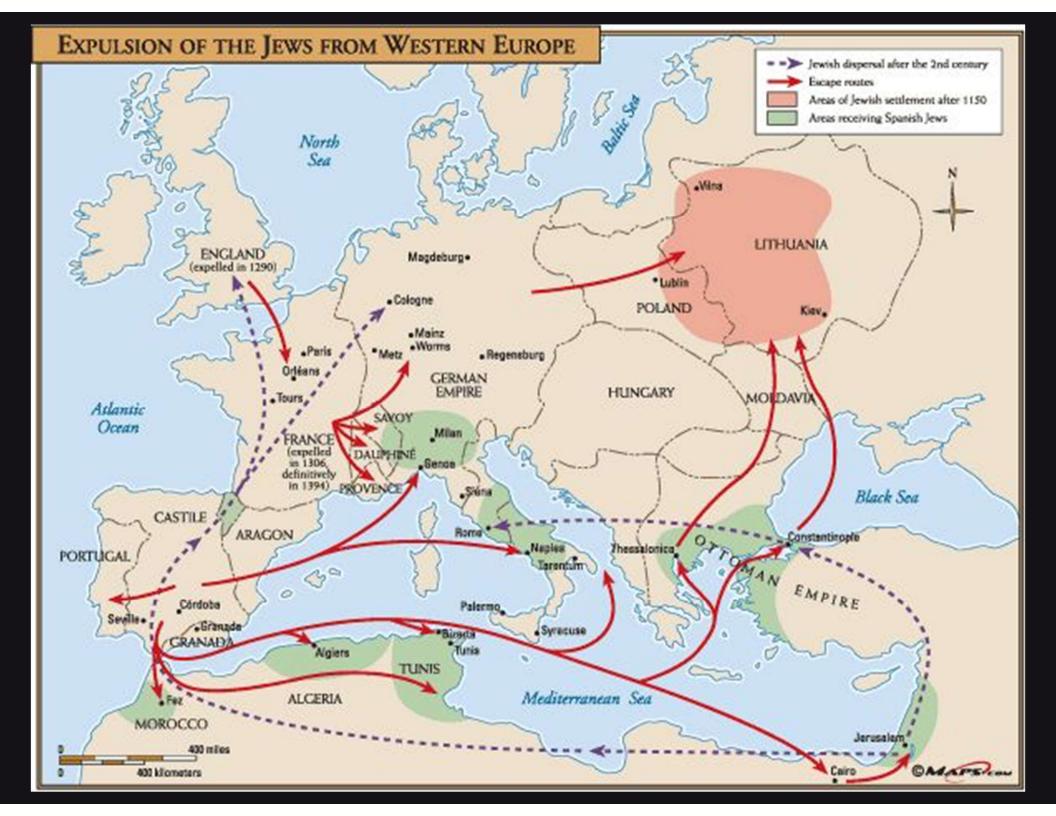
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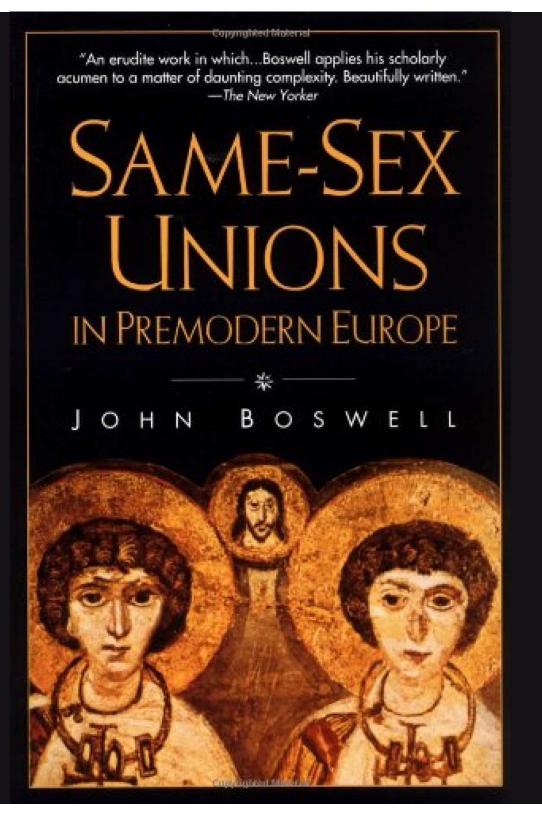
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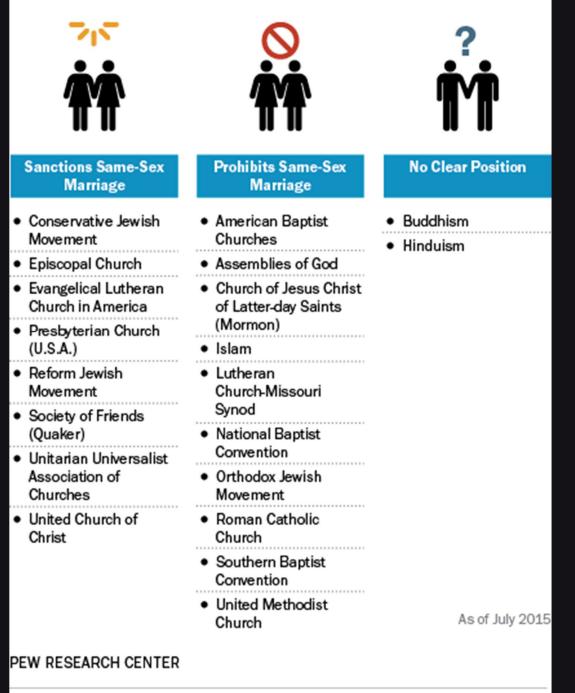




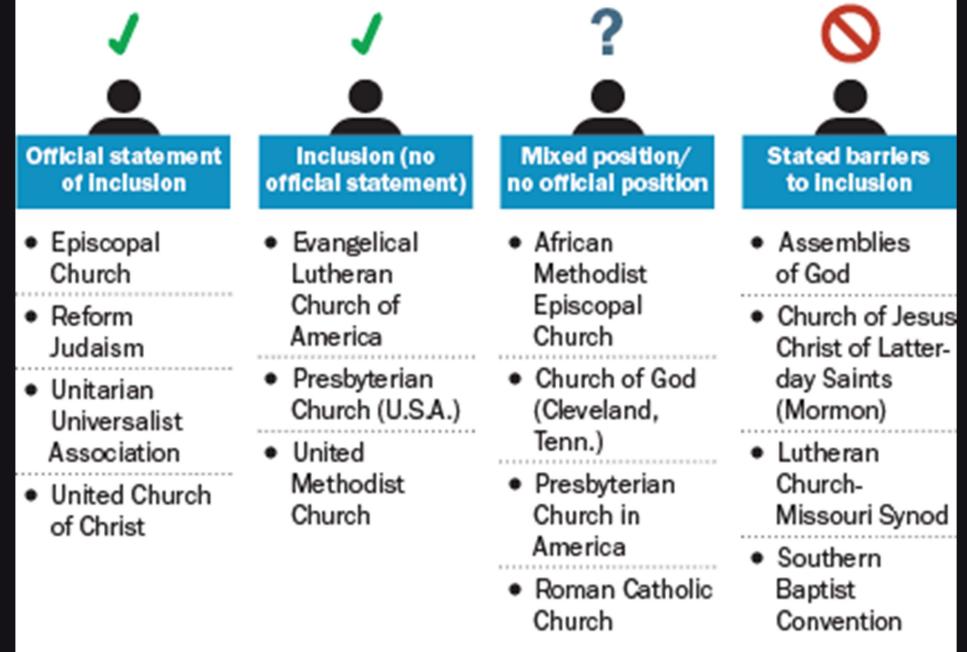




Where Major Religions Stand on Same-Sex Marriage



Where some religious groups stand on transgender inclusion



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For there are eunuchs who have been so from birth, and there are eunuchs who have been made eunuchs by men, and there are eunuchs who have made themselves eunuchs for the sake of the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 19:12

Graphic from Jack Wellman, "What is the Biblical Definition of a Eunuch?" *Patheos*, May 21, 2015, https://www.patheos.com/blogs/christiancrier/2015/05/21/what-is-the-biblical-definition-of-a-eunuch/



Good People Can Be Saved!

- The Eunuch, a case in point, Acts 8:26-31.
- Regarding the Eunuch:
 - Had traveled to Jerusalem to worship, v. 27.
 - Returning home, he read his Bible, v. 28.
 - When Philip asked, do you understand what you are reading, he said "<u>how can I except some man guide me,</u>" vs. 30-31.
 - He obeyed the gospel that very day! Vs. 35-39.
- It is evident that the Eunuch was a good man; he was saved!

Slide show by Suzanna Beasley, "Who Then Can Be Saved? Matthew 19:25..." available at https://slideplayer.com/slide/9404550/

AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION

- 1952, Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders I: homosexuality "Sociopathic Personality Disorder"
- 1968, Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders II: "Sexual Orientation Disorder"
- Mid-1980s, Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders III: Homosexuality: if they are comfortable with sexual orientation, not mentally ill
- Homosexuality: if "in conflict with" their sexual orientation: "Ego-Dystonic Homosexuality"
- 1987, Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders III-R: Removed "Ego-Dystonic Homosexuality"

From a slide show by Warren J. Blumenfeld, "On the Social Construction of Homosexuality and Trans Identities as Deviancy & Disease," available at tinyurl.com/38b3ms9p