

BIG STORY	RELIGIOUS	SECULAR	SCIENTISM	EARTHFOBK
<b>What is the communal emotion?</b>	dreadful fear live in Exile life on Earth is miserable ~a Vale of Tears await Apocalypse - Final Solution = God's War all are sinners & worthless must be Saved by Messiah Crucifix is icon	dreadful fear skeptical mistrust icons of fear: Nuclear holocaust Starship Earth Meaninglessness Munch's "Scream"	dreadful fear skeptical mistrust icons of fear: Nuclear holocaust Starship Earth Objectivity trusted more than subjectivity Humans = machines	comfortable on Earth immortal Forever-Family at-home on Living Earth icons of comfort: Starship Earth as Living Earth humans are Earth's heart its consciousness and conscience
<b>How is the Other identified and named?</b>	not-Chosen Enemy Serpent Devil Her, Goddess, Feminine, Mother God	Alien Outsider tribal enemy Intimate Enemy feminine as "not Lone Male"	Other is unknown Humans are one biologically What is "other" can be probed via objectivity	Precious Beloved Everyone is Parent Everyone is Child in Forever-Family
<b>Is there a presence of the goddess or the feminine?</b>	Only Lone Male God and Adam The Rib - feminine comes from maleness No Mother Goddess Feminine is known through submission to Lone Male Dominion	Gods/goddesses are not an issue not relevant; no "supernature" or sacred patriarchy is foundation women are booty & sex-toys Materialism	Creative force is material Humans are one species among numerous others No god/goddesses	Humans are Earth's consciousness & soul Female/Male presence creates all human life Goddesses & gods are way of talking about human Beloveds
<b>What is the basis for heartfelt actions?</b>	Warrior's Quest vision & imagination To express Dominion Slay the Intimate Enemy Bring on the Apocalypse	At best meaning is given to life by humanistic actions Warrior's Quest vision & imagination	Objectivity Value-free Nothing is sacred Anything/one can be probed Warrior's Quest vision & imagination	In Human Sense Everything and everyone is related & relational Making present the Other as Beloved Preciousness Every act of everyone counts
<b>How is sexuality defined and valued?</b>	Human sexuality is cursed childbirth in pain Sexual intimacy caused the Fall Obliterated Womb Mutual Masturbation is Lone Male sacred sexuality ritual	No sacred sexuality Sex is biological and social act Playboy & Playmates Everyone is sex-toy Mutual Masturbation is "sacred secular" sexuality ritual	No sacred sexuality Sex is biological and social act "biological is destiny"	Beloved is ritual instrument of intimacy Intimacy is zone of sacred sexuality Nurturing Embrace makes present Preciousness which transforms individuals and society Coupling makes present immortal Forever-Family Beloveds in Embrace & Forever-Family are icons
<b>Where do humans come from?</b>	Garden of Eden humans are souls body is dust "Creationism" - "creatio ex nihilo" Creation from nothing	Evolution matter & psyche but not soul materialism nothing "supernatural"	Evolution materialism nothing "supernatural"	Living Earth humans are eternal presences Forever-family

<b>How did humans get here?</b>	Created by Abrahamic God <i>Genesis' The Rib</i>	Evolutionary process Randomness & Mutation	Evolutionary Process Randomness & Mutation	Human Life always "here" -not "creatio ex nihilo" Evolutionary process matter-spirit mobius Mind-Surge Heart-Preciousness
<b>Where are humans going?</b>	Heaven	Evolutionary Process -human species not special -may evolve, may not	Entropy extinction of species	Conscious Evolution fuller presence Alpha/Omega - Push/Pull
<b>Why are humans here on Earth?</b>	Serve God	Unknown -Evolution's Secret	Unknown -"here" is all there is	Imagine & Create -every action counts
<b>When did humans first appear?</b>	Supernatural God's Will & Plan	Scientific finding	Evolutionary timeline	Evolutionary timeline
<b>How are humans to act?</b>	Follow Revealed Truth & Laws Obey patriarchs	Enlightened Humanism common good pleasure utilitarian self-actualization	Guided by Reason empirical scientific method inductive rational theory Occam's Razor Enlightened Humanism	Intimately Sensual Holiness Sacred Sexuality practices Embracing the Beloved
	War as ritual	Master their own history War as bedrock institution	War as State of Nature	War is imagining Intimate Enemy
<b>Why is there Evil in the world?</b>	God is Good. Humans are Evil. Humans brought Evil into the world. Eve seduced Adam with The Apple. Evil due to Sin, which is almost always linked to Lust.	Evil is often result of human stupidity. Tools of reasoning, reasonability, negotiating, compromise, etc. can prevent many Evils. Evil is many things to many people. Evil is the "absence of Good." If Good don't act, then Evil people will. Evil can be greatly subdued by Reason.	Evil is a perception. Evolution knows only survival and human concerns are matter a matter of human choices. Evil is often a lack of consciousness.	Evil is the direct result of beholding the Other as Intimate Enemy. Humans are creative artists. "Reality" is imagined and chosen. Evil is the breakdown of human relationship & imagination.
<b>Dominant Emotions</b>	Fear living in Exile must be Saved Fear of the Apocalypse	Fear Anxiety Annihilation Entropy Skeptical hope based upon morality as choice	Fear Extinction of species Self-annihilation	Comfortable At home as presence of the Living Earth Creative Tension Joyful & ecstatic intimacy Sensually precious Beloved