



COME ONE

COME ALL

**FAMILY
CIRCUS**

-A SERMON SERIES ON MARRIAGE AND FAMILY-

**How is a circus similar to
a marriage and family?**

Perhaps like this....



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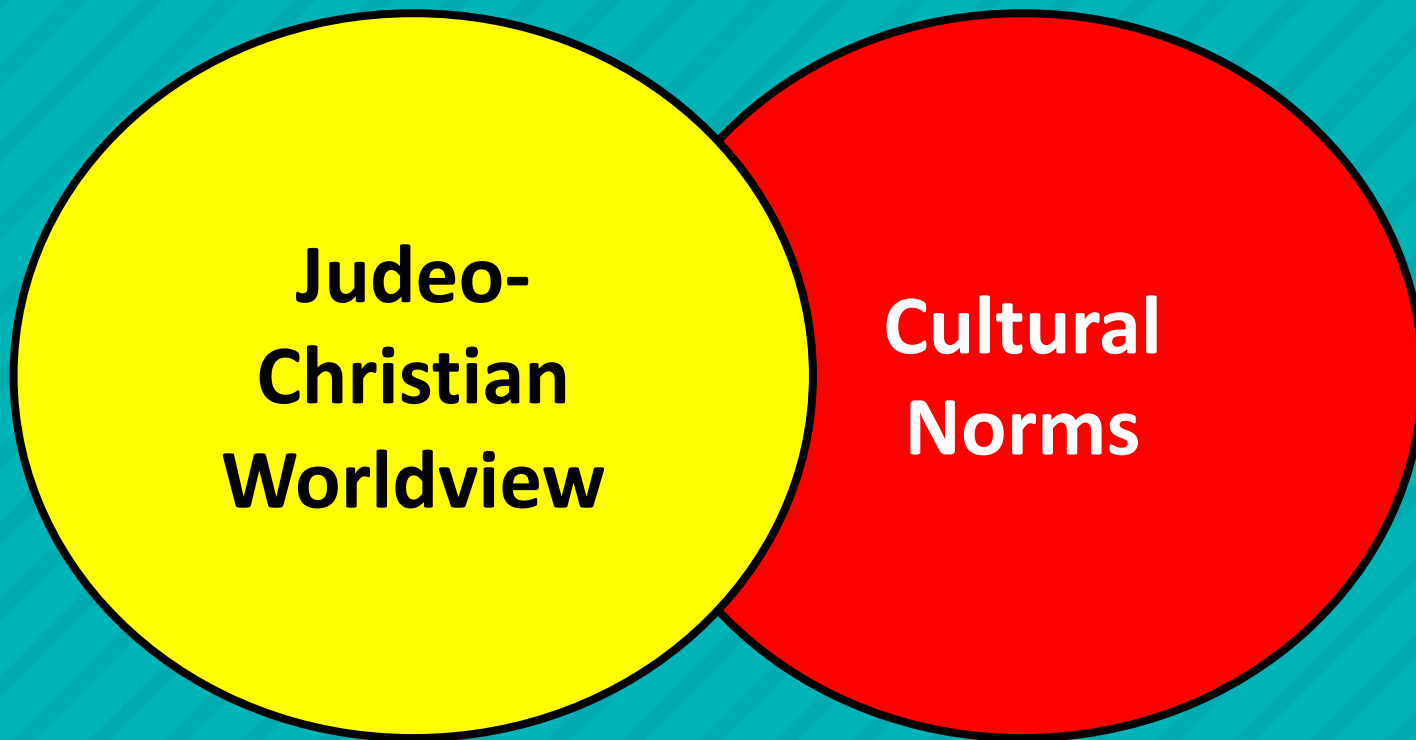
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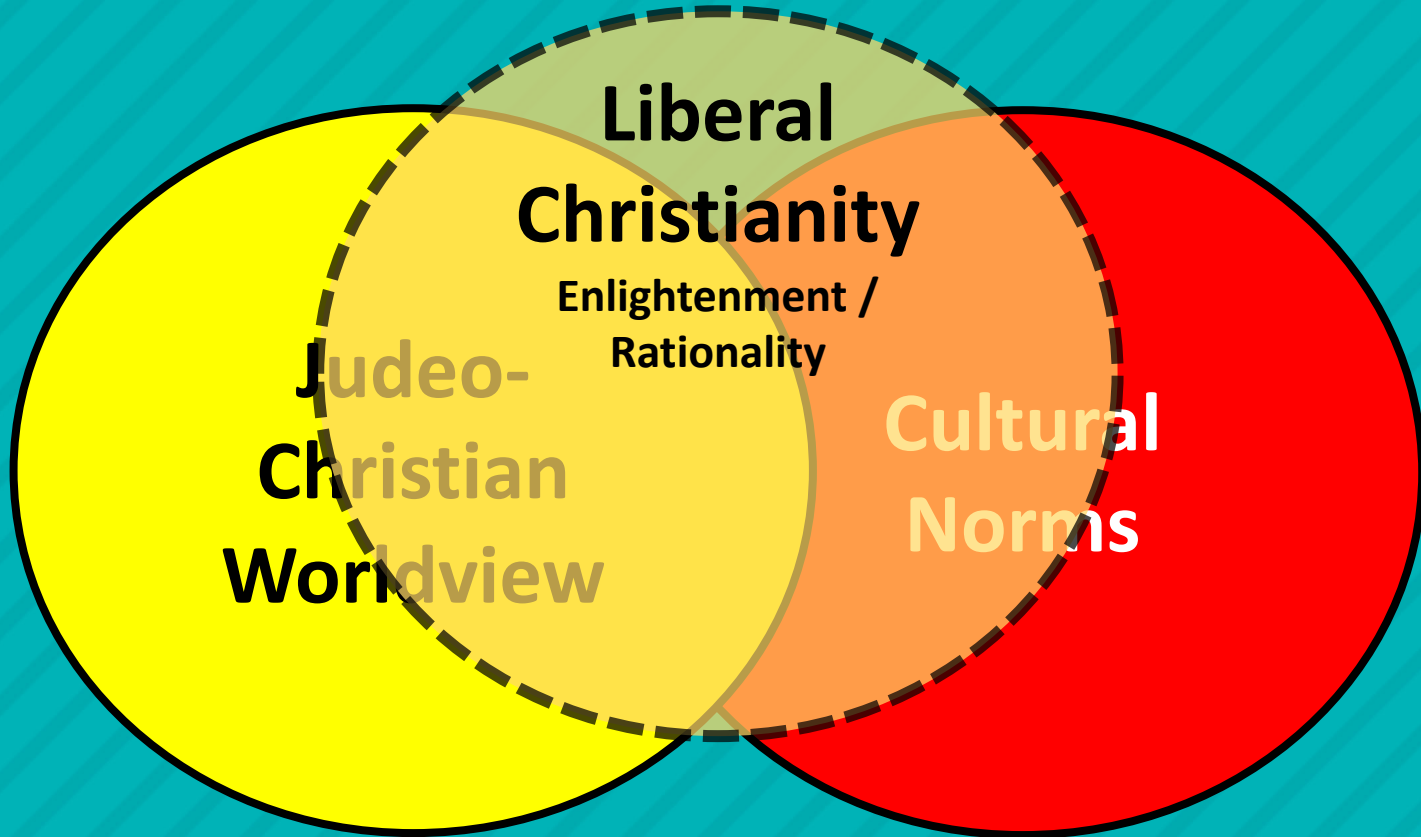


**Judeo-
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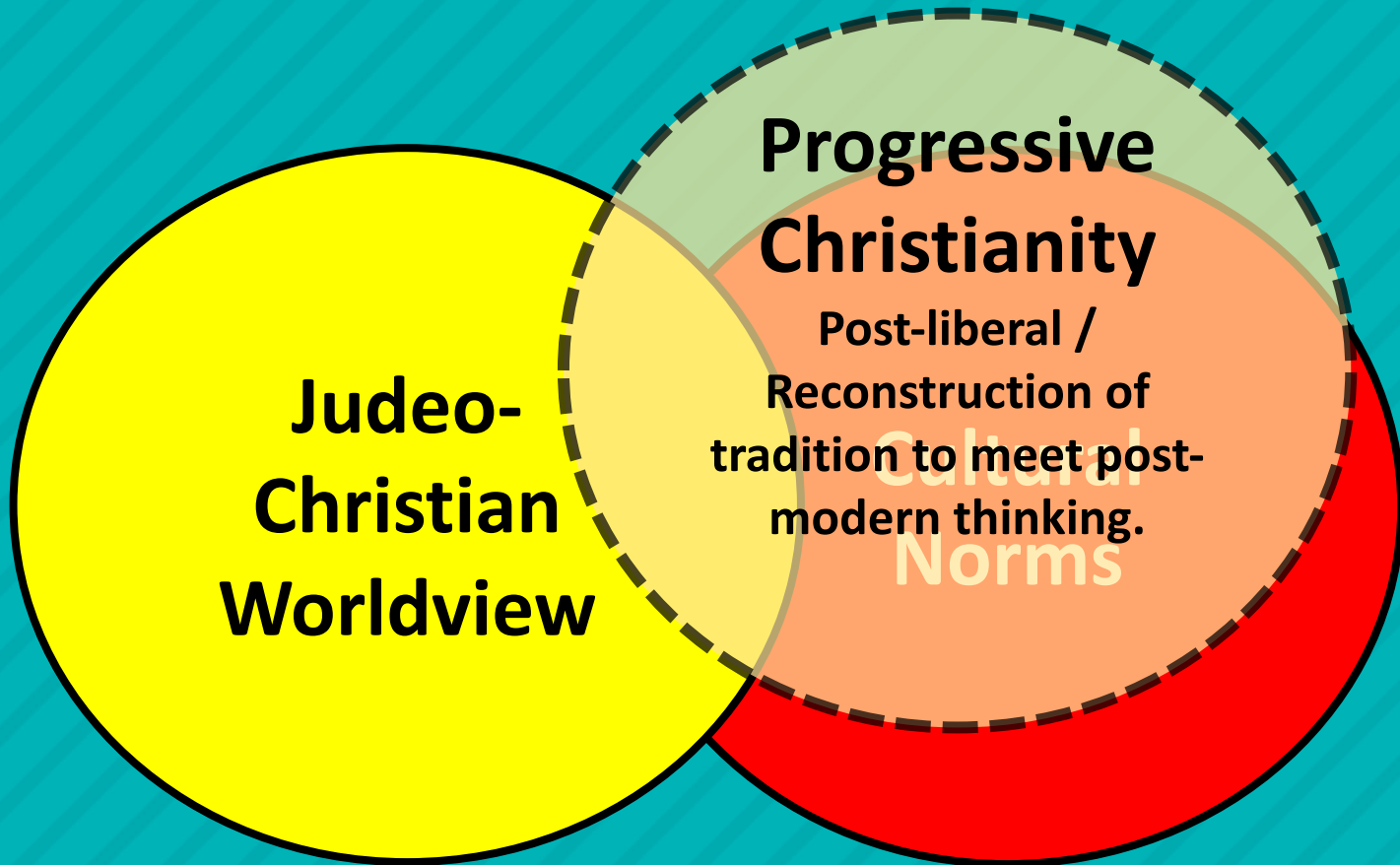
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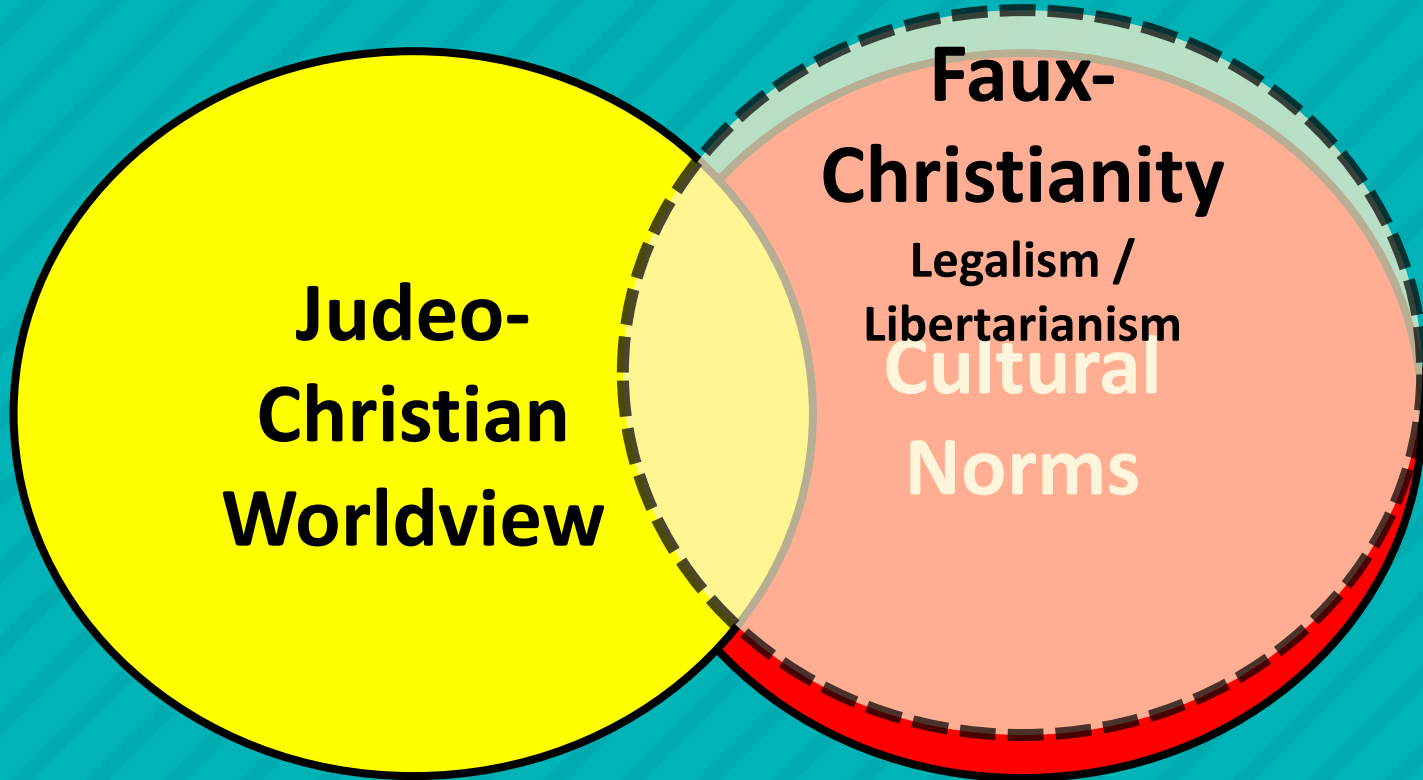
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- Our ***Sunday morning focus*** will be on discovering and examining the Biblical paradigms for marriage and family without avoiding the cultural collisions that will entail. Yet, we will not be devaluing or demeaning people.

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THE SERIES™

**AUTHENTIC
MANHOOD**

A MAN AND HIS MARRIAGE
STARTING JAN 15TH

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS

6:30AM -OR- 7PM
AT THE WOLF AT QUEST

QUESTIONS?

TALK TO KEVIN HUGHES

KEVINHUGHES@QUESTCHURCHSTL.ORG

The Meaning of Marriage

by: Tim & Kathy Keller



A 6-week study for ANYONE
starting Monday, February 3rd at 7pm

(1) Service: Marriage Isn't about You

(2) Covenant: Created to Make Promises

(3) Roles: Loving through Mutual Submission

(4) Singleness: Strengthening the Spiritual Family

(5) Sex: The Act of Covenant Renewal

(6) Hope: Seeing the Great Horizon

"CREATING A MEDIA SAFE HOME"

WITH JIM BURNS



Sunday, February 9, 2020
at Westminster Christian Academy

\$15 per person or \$25 per couple
Register at: engagefamilyministries.org

weekend to remember



April 3rd-5th
\$175 per person

Chateau on the Lake Resort
in Branson, MO

Get tickets at shop.familylife.com - Take \$75 off per couple with promo code: EBBRANSON

- Learn to connect with your spouse more intimately
- Understand God's blueprints for a wonderful marriage
- Draw from the experience and advice of leading marriage experts

CLEARWATER COVE®



 younglife® CAMP



Family Camp

Calling all families! Journey to camp together- God, good food, family fun, and many surprises await.

CLEARWATER 2020

APRIL

24-26

Join us for 3 days of family fun at Clearwater Cove, a Young Life Camp in Lampe, MO.

Price for the weekend is:

\$140+ adults, children 12 years and up

\$105- children ages 7-11

\$80- children ages 3-6

\$20- babes, ages 0-2



Save the date!

Parenting Seminar in March

More information coming

*...Karen Robertson our Quest Kid's Director
and other qualified professionals.*



Summer 2020

The Love she desires.
The Respect he needs.

...10 week study



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