Protestant Pastors' Views on Mormons

Survey of 1,000 Protestant Pastors

Methodology

- The telephone survey of Protestant pastors was conducted October 7-14, 2010

- The calling list was randomly drawn from a list of all Protestant churches. Up to six calls were made to reach a sampled phone number

- Each interview was conducted with the senior pastor, minister or priest of the church called

- Responses were weighted to reflect the geographic distribution of Protestant churches

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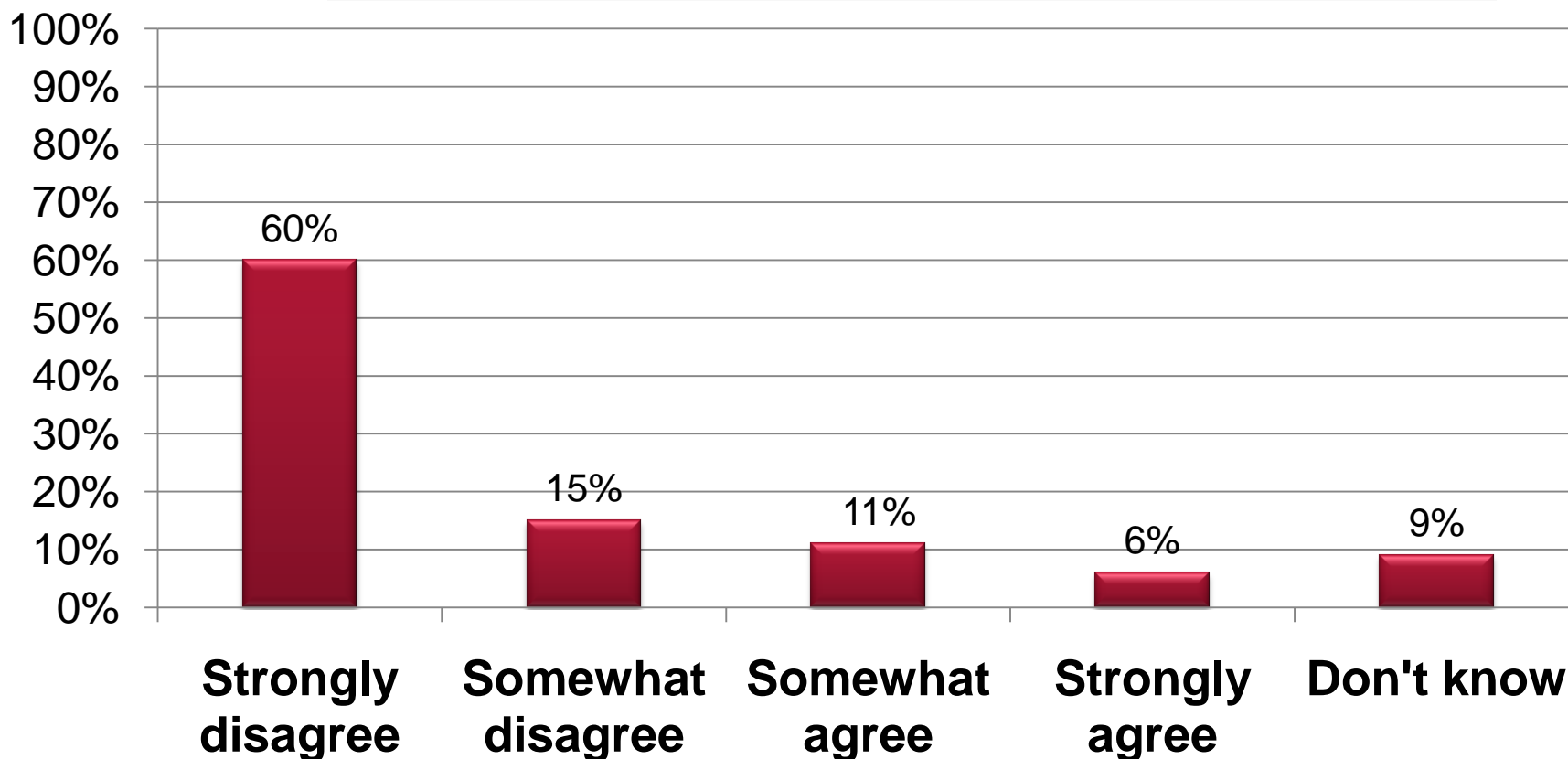Biblical Solutions for Life

Methodology Continued

- ❑ The completed sample is 1,000 phone interviews

- ❑ The sample provides 95% confidence that the sampling error does not exceed $\pm$3.2%

- ❑ Margins of error are higher in sub-groups

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Survey Responses

3 in 5 Protestant pastors strongly disagree that they consider Mormons to be Christians.

Among Protestant Pastors

- Strongly disagree: 60%
- Somewhat disagree: 15%
- Somewhat agree: 11%
- Strongly agree: 6%
- Don't know: 9%

Q: "I personally consider Mormons (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints) to be Christians. "

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"I personally consider Mormons to be Christians."

- Pastors age 65+ are the least likely to strongly disagree (48%).

- Pastors who consider themselves Mainline are

  - More likely to strongly agree (9% to 3%)

  - More likely to somewhat agree (16% to 9%)

  - Less likely to strongly disagree (48% to 67%)

  than pastors who consider themselves Evangelical.

"I personally consider Mormons to be Christians." continued

- Pastors who highest education level is no more than a Bachelor's degree were less likely to somewhat disagree (12% to 17%) and more likely to be unsure (16% to 5%) than pastors who have earned a graduate degree.

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