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The Cults of Christianity

These criteria might serve helpful in identifying **the cults of Christianity**. For some, just one or two items (for example No. 1, 2 and 3) of the listed criteria is enough to categorized a group as a cult. For other cult groups, most of these criteria are present.

No.	Description	Check
1	Rejection of the Godhead or doctrine of the Trinity and replaced by their invented ism	
2	Rejection of the Deity of Christ or Christ as God including His virgin birth	
3	Rejection of Christ's true humanity or the doctrine of the Hypostatic Union	
4	Rejection of Christ and replaced by their leader as the "new christ"	
5	Rejection of salvation by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone	
6	Rejection of God's plan of grace and replaced with their religious legalism.	
7	Rejection of Christ as the only Savior and introduced their co-redeemer.	
8	Rejection of the finished work of the Lord Jesus on the Cross for all men (Rejection of the Unlimited Atonement doctrine)	
9	Rejection of the spiritual death of Christ on the Cross	
10	Rejection of the Lord Jesus Christ's bodily resurrection	
11	Rejection of Christ's bodily ascension	
12	Rejection of the absolute authority of the Bible and replaced or combined with their source of authority as books, publications, or writing and words of their own leaders	
13	Rejection of Bible doctrine and replaced or combined with their religious doctrines.	

14	Rejection of the Bible and replaced with extra-biblical revelation.	
15	Rejection of the Universal Church and claiming that they alone are saved or to be saved.	
16	Rejection of the doctrine of eternal punishment and the reality of hell fire.	
17	Rejection of the major biblical doctrines and majoring on the minor doctrines.	
18	Rejection of Christ and replaced Him with their leader as the messenger of God.	
19	Rejection of Bible doctrine and putting emphasis on emotional experiences.	
20	Rejection of doctrinal study and giving emphasis on direct revelation or vision from God.	
21	Rejection of biblical dispensations and insisting on the historical sign gifts.	
22	Rejection of Bible doctrine as the believer's priority and are antagonistic against those who communicate Bible doctrine.	
23	Rejection of the fact that no one can determine the Return of Christ until the fulfillment of the Rature but making calculation of Christ's return and of the end times.	
24	Rejection of the doctrines that edify the Church and inventing ministries that expand only the church numerically.	
25	Rejection of proper Biblical interpretation and depending on mystical and supernatural revelation through anointing, prayer and fasting.	
26	Rejection of Bible doctrine and accepting spiritism, occultism, extra-biblical beliefs, para-normal and adaptation of paganistic rituals or practices.	
27	Rejection of the fact that no biblical prophecy is bound for fulfillment during the Church age and putting emphasis on prophecy.	