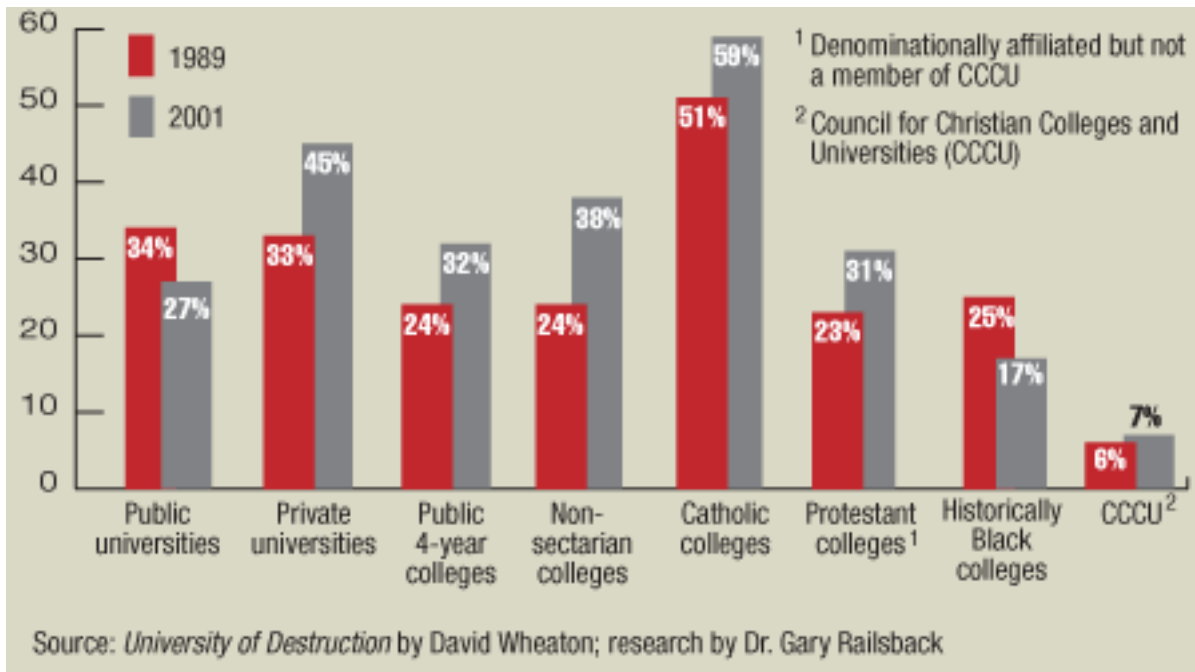


Percentage of students who said they were no longer “born-again” Christians after 4 yrs in college.



Definition of Terms:

Cosmic Battle: The battle between God’s Truth and the lies and illusions of the world, the flesh and the devil. The arguments and pretensions that set themselves up against the knowledge of God, against His nature and His word.

Truth: Correspondence to Reality. Truth is that which is really real. Our actions reflect what we believe to be really real.

Worldview: A comprehensive set of truth claims that purport to paint a picture of reality; the framework from which we view reality and make sense of life and the world.

Formal Worldview: A comprehensive set of truth claims in books, philosophies, etc.

Personal Worldview: What beliefs do you act on, feel and think.

Scriptures:

- Why did Jesus come into the world? John 18:33-40
- How important was truth for Jesus? John 1:17, 14:6-10, 17:17, 4:23-24, 8:31-31, 14:15-17
- Vital Links with Truth: 1 Tim. 2:3-4; John 10:7-10; Ephesians 6:14-17
- The lack of truth is the prophet’s lament: Isa 59:14 stumbled; Jeremiah 7:28 perished; Isa. 59:15 lost
- How do we respond to the truth? 1 Tim. 6:11-14; 2 Tim. 4:3-5; Romans 1:18, 25, 2:8; Acts 20:30;
- Cosmic Battle: Genesis 3:1-5; 2 Thessa 2:9-13; Col 4:5-6; Isaiah 44:15-20.