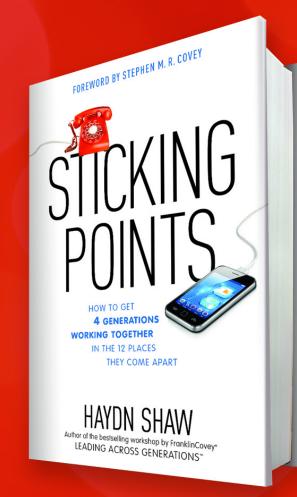
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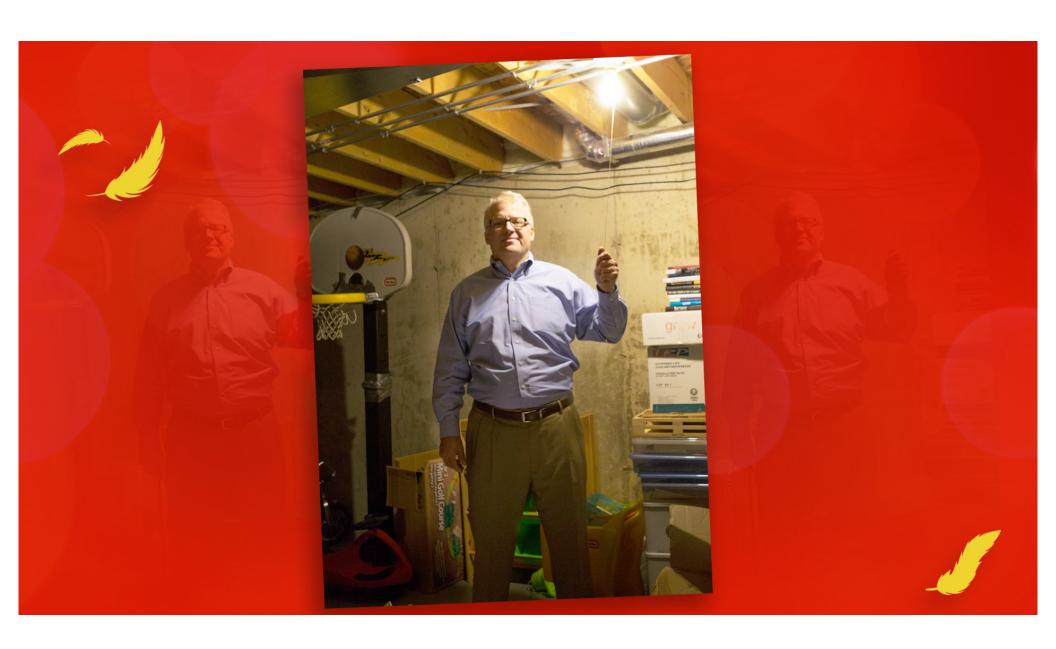
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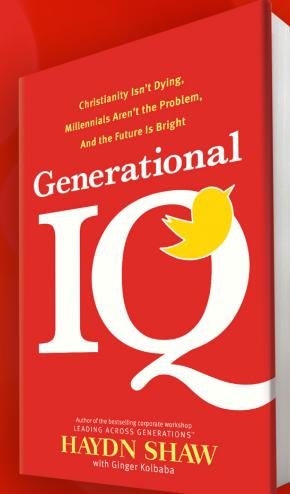












十大问题 16 Questions

When we come to Jesus, we Bring our Generation with us.

当我们来认识神和跟随神和跟问,我们会带着我们年代的特点

Or we Don't Come at All

否则我们还没有真正来到神面前

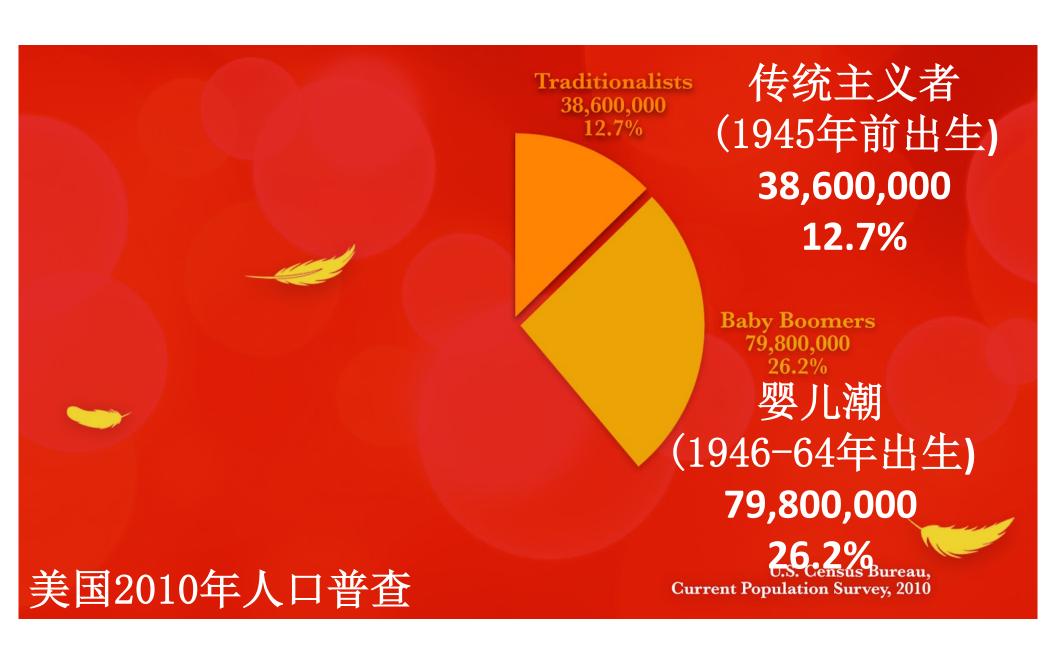
Each generation has unique spiritual strengths God wants to use. 每一代都有神要使用独特的属灵特长 They also have temptations that hold back their spiritual growth. 每一代也有自己的试探和陷阱,限制了 我们的属灵成长





美国2010年人口普查

U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2010



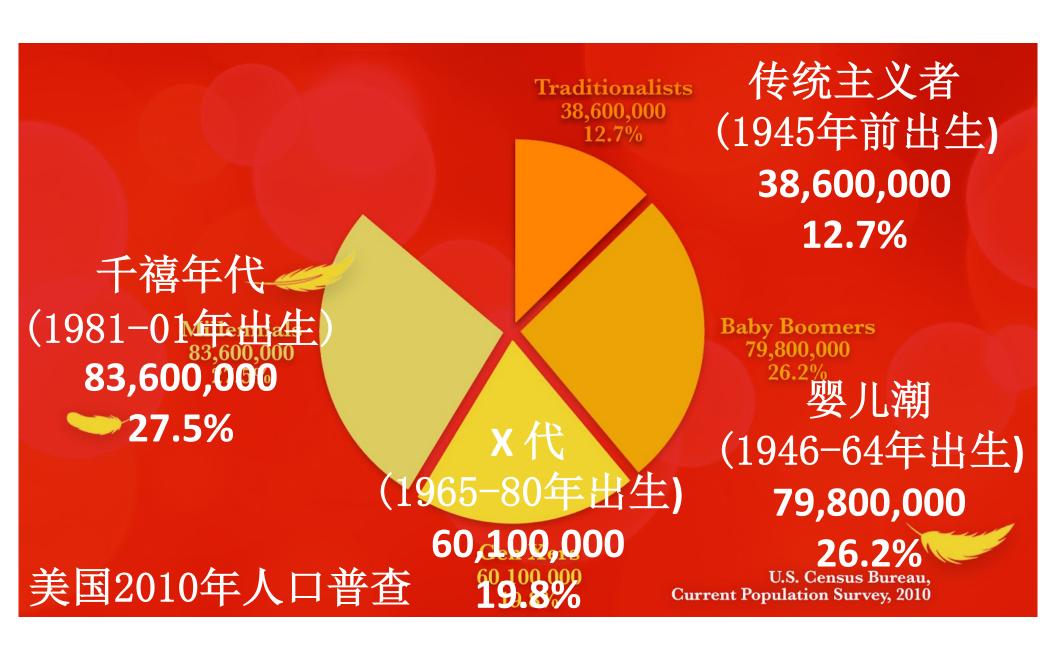


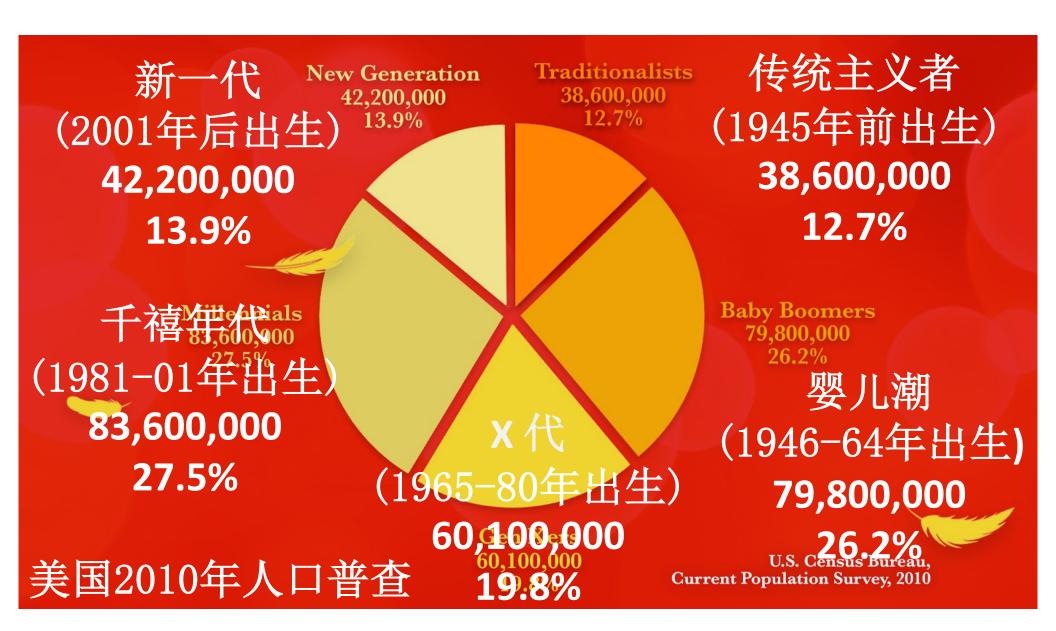
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Baby Boomers 79,800,000 婴儿潮 (1946-64年出生) 79,800,000 26.2%

U.S. Census Bureau,

60,100,000





Traditionalists

(1900 - 1945)

Age 71 -

传统主义者 (1900-45年出生,年龄 71-)

Traditionalists 38,600,000 12.7%



Traditionalists 传统主义者 Strengths 优势和特点

- Serve with Lower Expectations 肯服事,期望值不高
- **── Give Financially** 愿意财务奉献

Traditionalists 传统主义者 Temptations 的试探和陷阱

Cling to the Past and Lecture 固执守旧,擅于说教

Traditionalists 传统主义者 Temptations 的试探和陷阱

- Struggle with Purposeless
 Retirement 退休后,因人生目不明确带来挣扎
- Cling to the Past and Lecture 固执怀旧,擅于说教

They Need Your Wink and Boogie

"The older Dylan gets, the more we trust his ever-folksier koans. Modern Times is the product of age, hindsight, and intuition. But rather than cranky old-manisms, the album twinkles with a knowing wink, a graceful boogie, with blue collar poetry and a bar room waltz" (Zwickel).

他们需要你的眼色和舞姿

"迪伦(注,Dylan,1941年 出生,美国摇滚歌手兼歌曲作 家)年纪越老,我们越信任他 直觉性的友善禅理。"当今时 代"专辑是他的年龄、反思、 直觉的产物;但这张专辑并不 是古怪的陈旧祖先崇拜,而是 闪烁着心照不宣的眼色、优雅 的舞姿、蓝领的诗意和酒吧的 华尔兹。"(Zwickel)

Baby Boomers

(1946 - 1964) Age 52 - 70



Baby Boomers 79,800,000 26.2%



Boomers are all about:



Individualism & Focus on Psychology

个人主义并专注在心理学

The Percentage of Men and Women who Agreed with this Statement: 赞同这种说法的男女比例

"I Am an Important Person."

"我是一个重要的人"



"我是一个重要的人"

Year

Men

Women

年代

男

女

"I Am an Important Person."

"我是一个重要的人"

年代 Year 1940

20%

Men 男 Women 女 11%

"I Am an Important Person."

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年代	Year	Men 男	Women 女
	1940	20%	11%
	1990	62%	66%

Boomer Strengths

婴儿潮一代的优点和特长

Brought God Closer

与神的关系比较亲近

Boomer Temptations 试探和陷阱

婴儿潮一代的

- From Individualism从个人主义出发
- From Utilizing Psychology 从采用心理学出发

Boomer Temptations 试探和陷阱

婴儿潮一代的

- From Hyper-Individualism 从超个人主义出发
- From Utilizing Psychology 从采用心理学出发

三个原因 --- 婴儿潮一代比千禧年一代的挑战更大

3 Reasons the Boomers
Will Be a Larger Challenge
than the Millennials

Reason 1. They will live even longer than their parents.

第一个原因:他们比他们的父母那一代活得更久

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 - Reason 3. They want significant impact or they will look elsewhere.
- 第三个原因:他们想要产生重大的影响,否则就会到别处找出路

Gen Xers x代

(1965 - 1980) Age 36 - 51



Gen Xers 60,100,000 19.8%

Gen Xers Strengths

X代的优势 和特点

Reclaim Priority of Community

重新拾回群体的重要性

Reclaim Whole Life Spirituality

重新拾回全人灵性的重要性

Reclaim Value of Life and Family over Work 重新拾回生活和家庭过于工作的价值观

Gen Xers Temptations

X代的 试探和陷阱

- **── Build Their Own Truth** 自设真理
- Are Cynical 讥诮嘲讽
- **→ Are not Joiners** 不愿参与

Millennials

(1981 - 2001) Age 15 - 35

Millennials 83,600,000 27.5%



没有一个活着的人比你更喜欢你自己 "There is no one Alive who is More You-er than You"

-Dr. Seuss



Millennials are...



Millennials are...
less patient with organizations.



Millennials are...
less likely to be married.



Millennials are...
waiting longer to have kids.

千禧年一代对政治界的基督徒不以为然

Millennials are...
turned off by Christians in politics.

千禧年一代认为基督徒过于论断

Millennials think Christians are too judgmental.