

# SUPPORT FOR CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM IN ALL 50 STATES

Findings from PRRI's 2023 American Values Atlas



## Survey Methodology

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- Conducted March 9 – December 7, 2023, among a probability sample of 20,799 adults who are part of the Ipsos Knowledge Panel plus 1,666 state level opt-in oversamples, for a total sample of 22,465 adults.
- The margin of error for the full sample is +/- 0.82 percentage points and has a design effect of 1.56.
- The survey was made possible through the generous support of the Carnegie Corporation of New York, the Foundation to Promote Open Society, the Wilbur & Hilda Glenn Family Foundation, and the Unitarian Universalist Veatch Program at Shelter Rock.

# MEASURING CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM

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## Statements Constituting the Christian Nationalism Scale

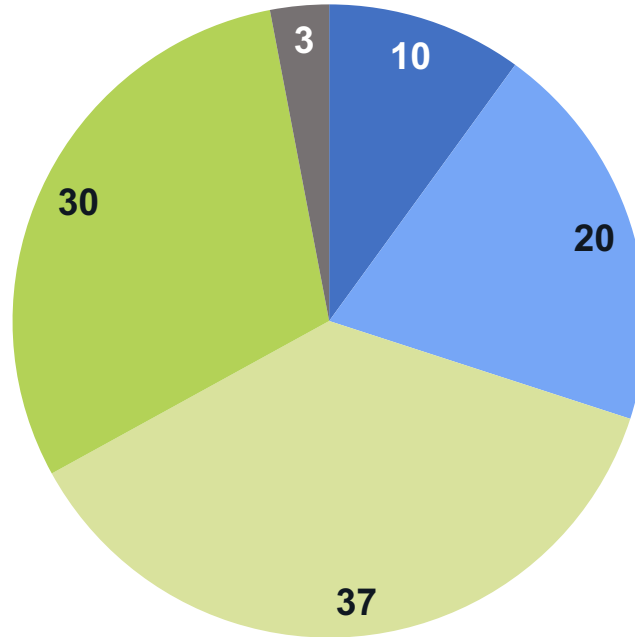
Statement	Percent who agree
God has called Christians to exercise dominion over all areas of American society.	21
The U.S. government should declare America a Christian nation.	27
Being Christian is an important part of being truly American.	30
If the U.S. moves away from our Christian foundations, we will not have a country anymore.	37
U.S. laws should be based on Christian values.	39

# The Christian Nationalism Scale

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*Percent who qualify as:*

■ Adherents ■ Sympathizers ■ Skeptics ■ Rejecters ■ No score

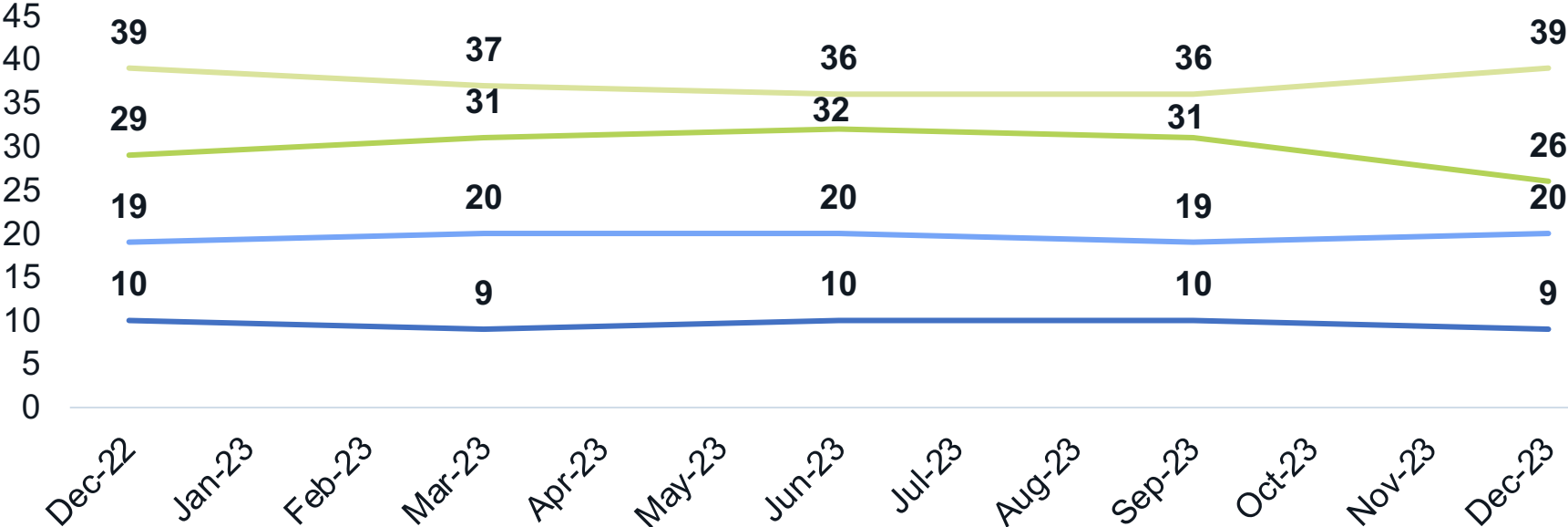


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# Christian Nationalism Groups, 2022-2023

Percent who qualify as:

— Adherents — Sympathizers — Skeptics — Rejecters



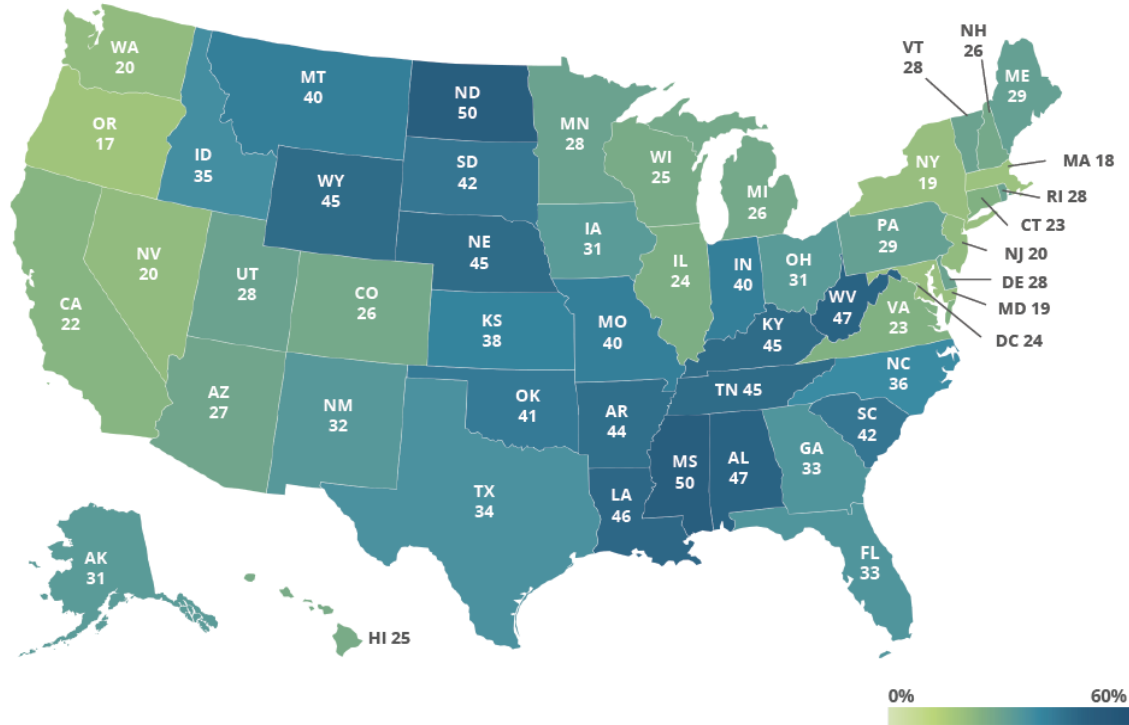
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# CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM AT THE STATE LEVEL

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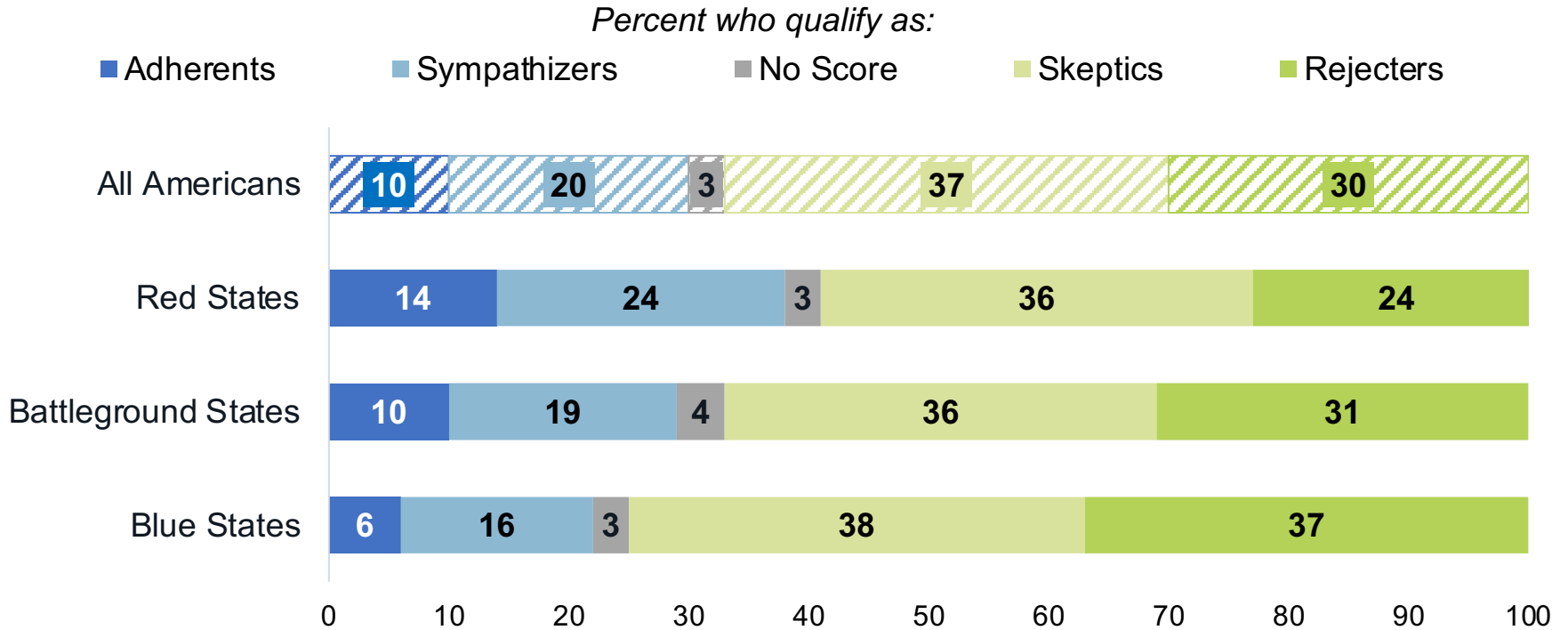
# Support for Christian Nationalism (Adherents and Sympathizers), Among ALL Americans by State

FIGURE 3. Support for Christian Nationalism (Adherents and Sympathizers), by State





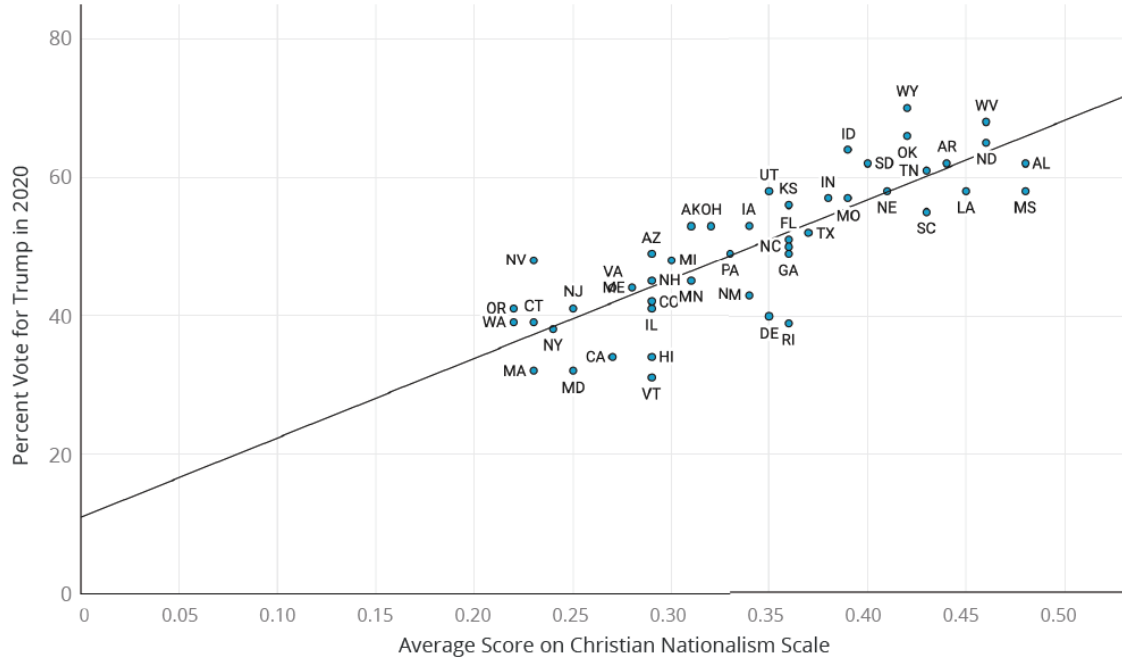
# Support for Christian Nationalism, by Red, Blue, and Battleground States



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# Relationship Between Christian Nationalism and Vote for Trump in 2020, by State

**FIGURE 6. Relationship Between Christian Nationalism and Vote for Donald Trump in 2020, by State**

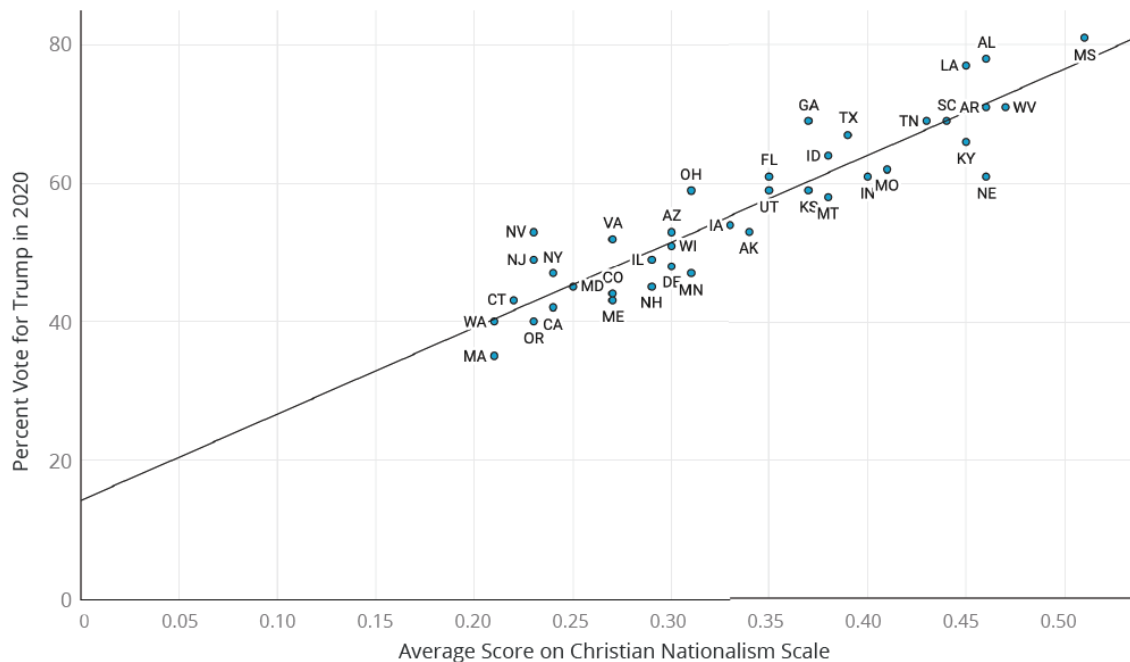


Source: PRRI, American Values Atlas, Mar. 9-Dec. 7, 2023.

Note: 2020 voter data retrieved from AP VoteCast Election 2020 public use dataset.

# Relationship Between Christian Nationalism and Vote for Donald Trump in 2020 Among White Americans, by State

**FIGURE 7. Relationship Between Christian Nationalism and Vote for Donald Trump in 2020 Among White Americans, by State**



Source: PRRI, American Values Atlas, Mar. 9-Dec. 7, 2023.

Note: 2020 voter data retrieved from AP VoteCast Election 2020 public use dataset.

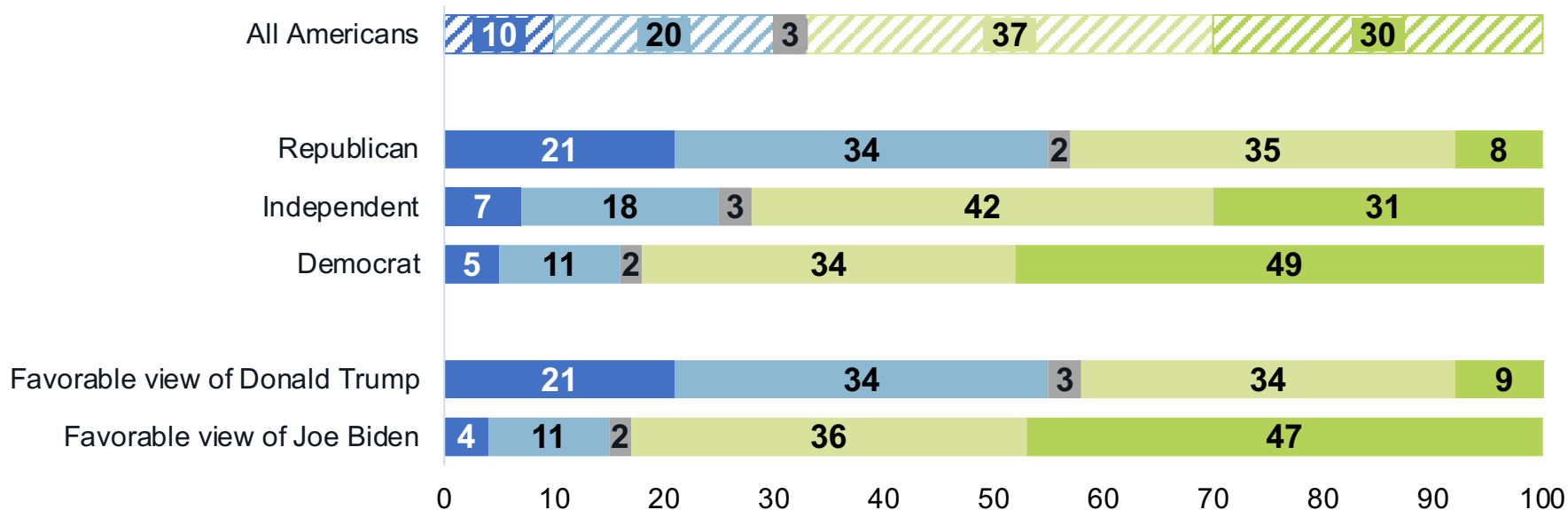
# WHICH GROUPS ARE MOST LIKELY TO SUPPORT CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM?

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# Support for Christian Nationalism, by Party Affiliation and Candidate Favorability

Percent who qualify as:

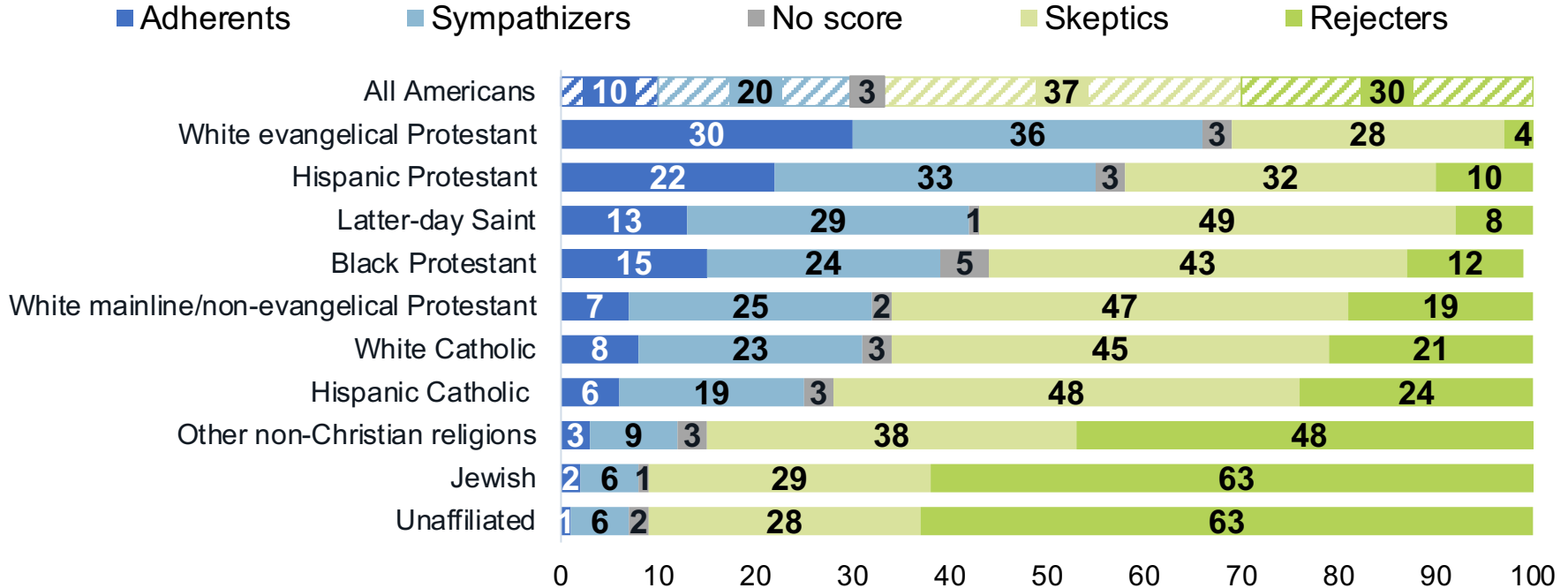
■ Adherents   ■ Sympathizers   ■ No score   ■ Skeptics   ■ Rejecters



Source: PRRI. American Values Atlas. Mar. 9-Dec. 7, 2023.

# Support for Christian Nationalism, by Religious Tradition

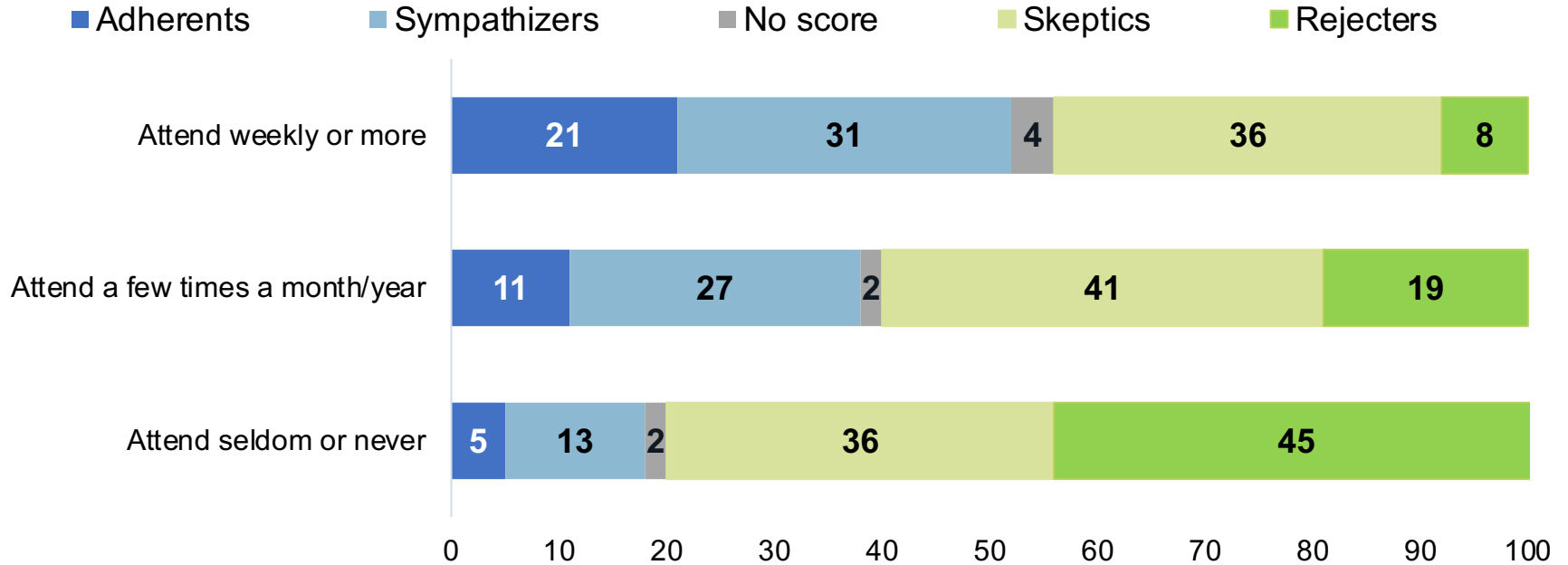
Percent who qualify as:



Source: PRRI, American Values Atlas, Mar. 9-Dec. 7, 2023.

# Support for Christian Nationalism, by Religious Attendance

*Percent who qualify as:*



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# THE THEOLOGICAL AND POLITICAL WORLDVIEWS OF CHRISTIAN NATIONALISTS

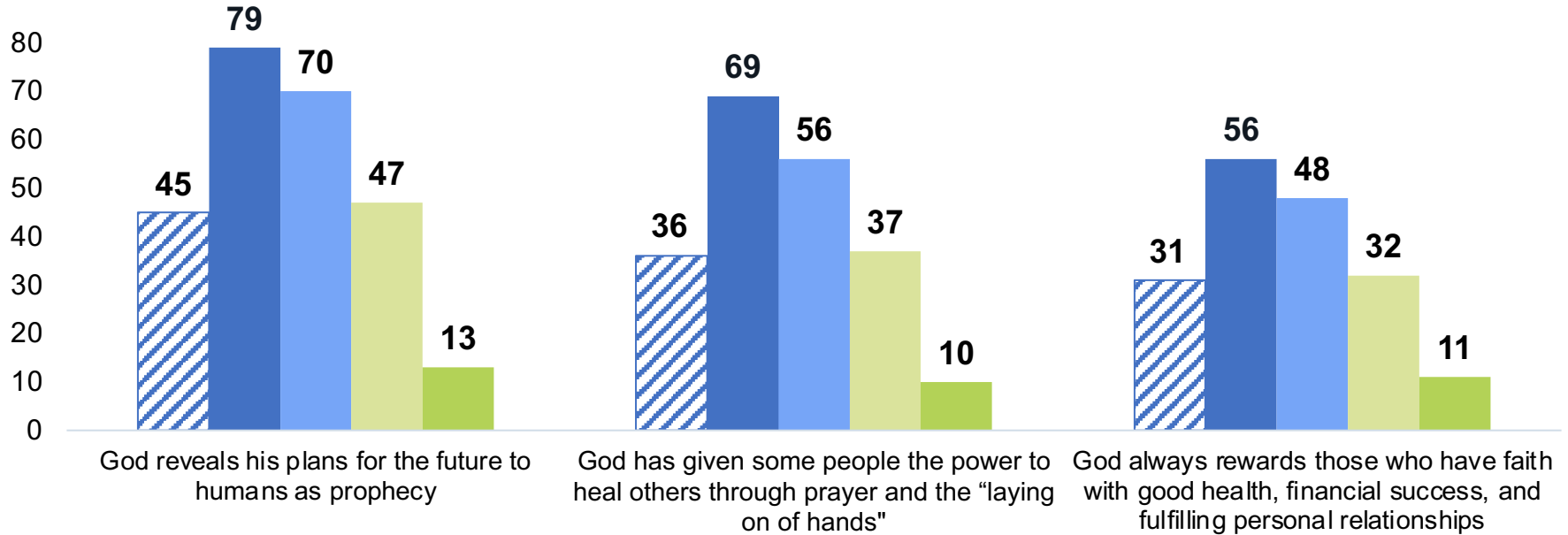
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# Theological Beliefs, by Support for Christian Nationalism

Percent who qualify as:

All Americans Adherents Sympathizers Skeptics Rejecters

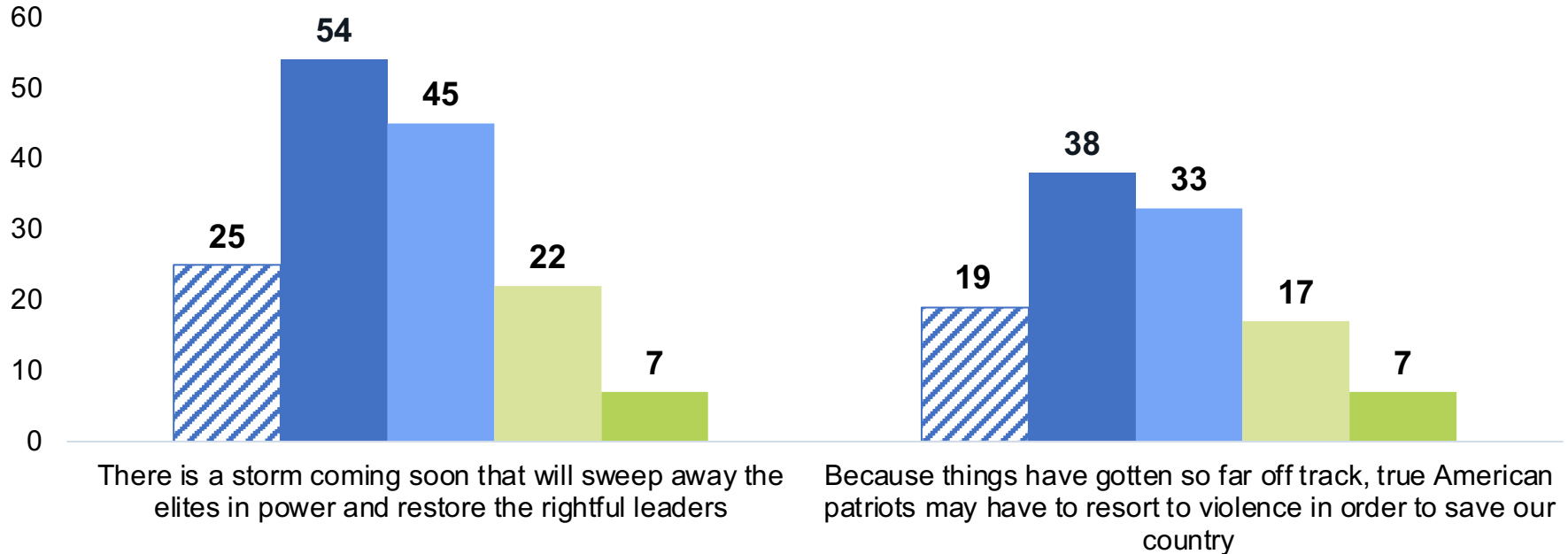


Source: PRRI, American Values Atlas, Nov. 16-Dec. 7, 2023.

# Beliefs about Political Revolution and Violence, by Support for Christian Nationalism

*Percent who agree that:*

■ All Americans   ■ Adherents   ■ Sympathizers   ■ Skeptics   ■ Rejecters

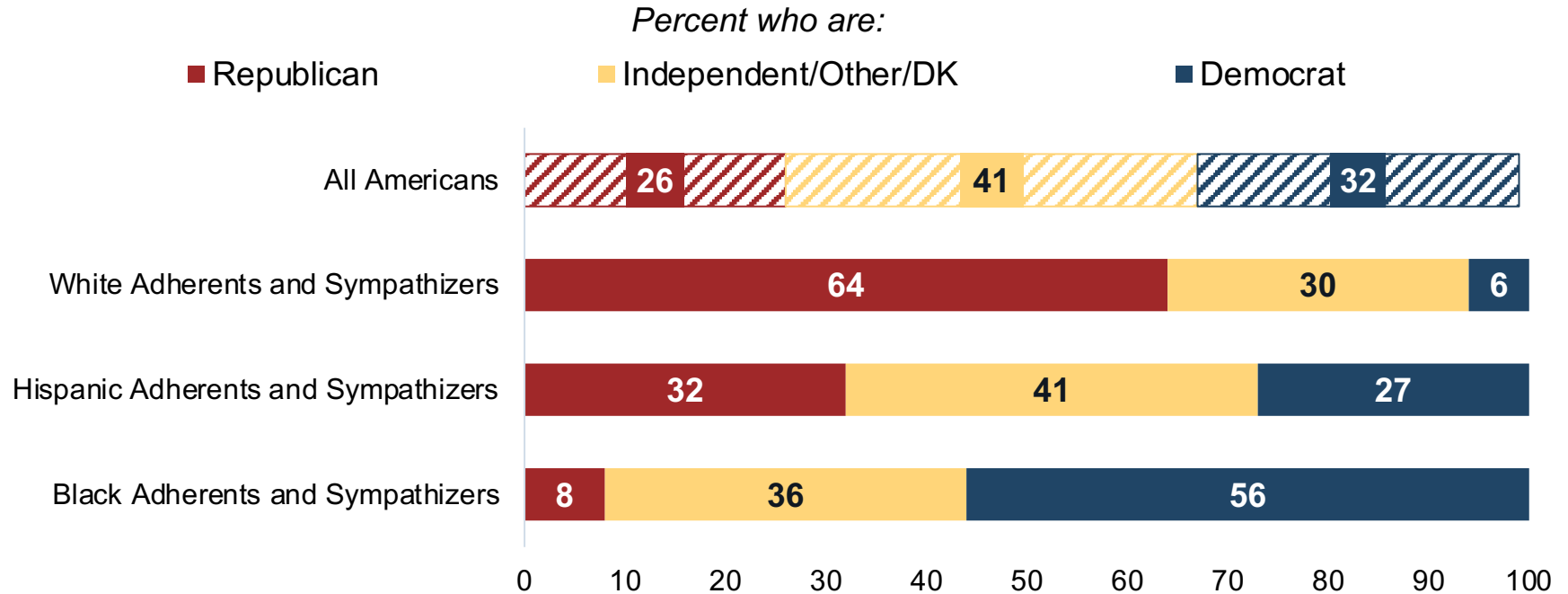


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# HOW RACE AND ETHNICITY IMPACT THE POLITICAL ORIENTATIONS OF CHRISTIAN NATIONALISTS

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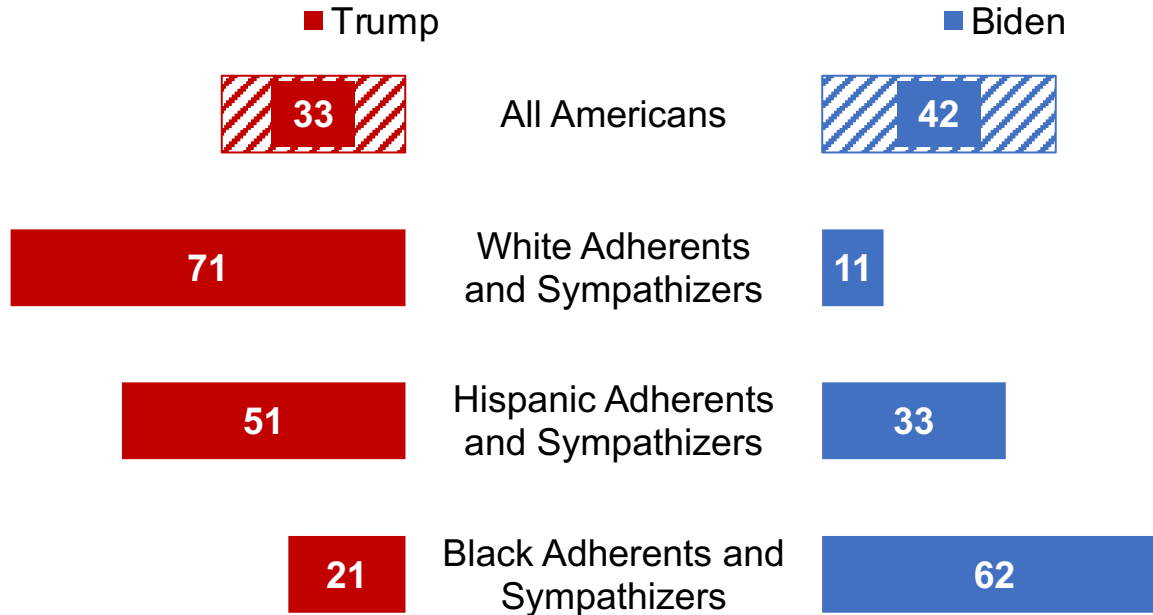
# Party Affiliation, by Support for Christian Nationalism and Race



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# Views of Trump and Biden, by Support for Christian Nationalism and Race

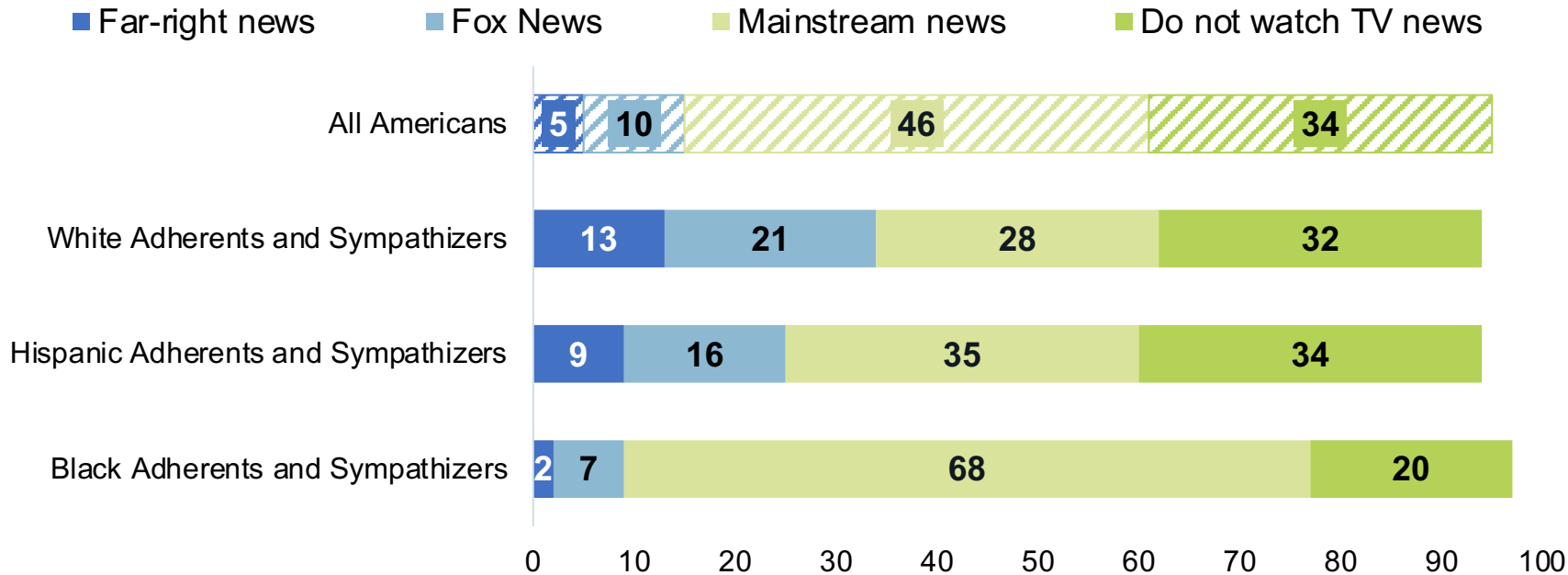
*Percent who hold a favorable view of:*



Source: PRRI, American Values Atlas, Mar. 9-Dec. 7, 2023.

# Trusted Media Sources, by Support for Christian Nationalism and Race

*Percent who say they most trust:*



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