

National Survey of Family Growth

Religion & Spirituality

Cycle 6 (2002), Male File (n=4,928)

Question	Response	Respondents	Codebook Location	Variable Name	Variable Notes	UF
	Constructed Variable (AKAR	ecoded Variable)				
CONSTRUCTED- Religion R raised DERIVED FROM THE DIRECT QUESTION: Now I have a few questions about religion. Please look at Card 77. In what religion were you raised, if any? [SEE VARIABLE RELRSD]	1 No religion 2 Catholic 3 Baptist / Southern Baptist 4 Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Church of 5 Fundamentalist Protestant 6 Other Protestant denomination 7 Protestant -No specific denomination 8 Other Non-Christian religion 98 Refused 99 Don't know	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	RELRAISD	*	397 1,839 1007 689 262 224 158 332 8 12
CONSTRUCTED- Religion R is now DERIVED FROM THE DIRECT QUESTION: Please look at Card 77. What religion are you now, if any? [SEE VARIABLE RELNOW]	1 No religion 2 Catholic 3 Baptist / Southern Baptist 4 Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Church of 5 Fundamentalist Protestant 6 Other Protestant denomination 7 Protestant -No specific denomination 8 Other Non-Christian religion 98 Refused 99 Don't know	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	RELCURR		972 1,465 791 536 232 275 260 380 10
CONSTRUCTED- Current religious affiliation	1 No religion 2 Catholic 3 Protestant	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	RELIGION	1	976 1,474 2,024

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	Religion					
Now, I have a few questions about religion. Please look at Card 77. In what religion were you raised, if any? IF R SAYS PROTESTANT, ASK: What is the complete name of the denomination? IF NECESSARY, ENTER "OTHER" [11]. IF R INDICATES THAT HE WAS RAISED IN MORE THAN ONE RELIGION, ENTER THE NUMBER OF THE FIRST ONE MENTIONED AND INSERT AN [F2] COMMENT WITH THE CODE FOR THE 2nd RELIGION WITH R'S COMMENTS. ENTER "NONE" [1] IF R WAS RAISED "ATHEIST" OR "AGNOSTIC."	11 Other	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	RELRSD	2	*
Please look at Card 78. In what religion were you raised?	12 Church of Christ 13 United Church of Christ 14 Assemblies of God 15 Church of Nazarene 16 The Church of God 17 The Church of God (Cleveland, TN) 18 The Church of God in Christ 19 7th Day Adventist 20 United Pentecostal Church 21 Pentecostal Assemblies 22 Jehovah's Witness 23 Protestant or Christian, another denomination not listed 24 Protestant Christian, no specific denomination 25 Muslim 26 Unitarian-Universalist 27 Greek Orthodox 28 Other Orthodox 29 Another religion not listed	Respondents who answered "other" to question RELRSD	Male File Section J: Religion	RELRSD1	2	*
Please look at Card 79. When you were 14, about how often did you usually attend religious services?	. Inapplicable 1 More than once a week 2 Once a week 3 1-3 times per month 4 Less than once a month 5 Never 8 Refused 9 Don't know	Respondent was less than 25 years of age at the time of the screener	Male File Section J: Religion	ATTND14	*	2862 343 750 295 299 376 1 2

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Please look at Card 77. What religion are you now, if any? IF R SAYS PROTESTANT, ASK: What is the complete name of the denomination? IF NECESSARY, ENTER "OTHER" [11]. ENTER THE RELIGION RESPONDENT IDENTIFIED WITH MOST, IF R IDENTIFIES WITH MORE THAN ONE RELIGION. ENTER "NONE" [1] IF R IS "ATHEIST" OR "AGNOSTIC."	1 None 2 Catholic 3 Jewish 4 Southern Baptist 5 Baptist 6 Methodist or African Methodist 7 Lutheran 8 Presbyterian 9 Episcopal 10 Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints 11 Other	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	RELNOW	2	*
Please look at Card 78. What religion are you now?	12 Church of Christ 13 United Church of Christ 14 Assemblies of God 15 Church of Nazarene 16 The Church of God 17 The Church of God (Cleveland, TN) 18 The Church of God in Christ 19 7th Day Adventist 20 United Pentecostal Church 21 Pentecostal Assemblies 22 Jehovah's Witness 23 Protestant or Christian, another denomination not listed 24 Protestant Christian, no specific denomination 25 Muslim 26 Unitarian-Universalist 27 Greek Orthodox 28 Other Orthodox 29 Another religion not listed	Respondents who answered "other" to question RELNOW	Male File Section J: Religion	RELNOW1	2	*
Please look at Card 80. Which of these do you consider yourself to be, if any?	. Inapplicable 1 A born again Christian 2 A charismatic 3 An Evangelical 4 A Fundamentalist 5 None of the above 8 Refused 9 Don't know	Respondent reports any religious affiliation, other than Jewish or Muslim	Male File Section J: Religion	FUNDAM	*	1,124 1,114 81 71 57 2,460 5

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Currently, how important is religion in your daily life? Would you say it is important, somewhat important, or not important?	. Inapplicable 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not important 8 refused 9 Don't know	Respondents who report current religious affiliation, doesn't know, or refused to answer	Male File Section J: Religion	RELDLIFE	*	976 1,864 1,646 430 8 4
Please look at card 79. About how often do you attend religious services?	1 More than once a week 2 Once a week 3 1-3 times per month 4 Less than once a month 5 Never 8 Refused 9 Don't know	All respondents	Male File Section J: Religion	ATTNDNOW		419 845 773 1382 1499 9
As you know, some people have had sexual intercourse by your age and others have not. Please look at Card 13, which lists some reasons that people give for not having sexual intercourse. What would you say is the most important reason why you have not had sexual intercourse up to now?	. Inapplicable 1 Against religion or morals 2 Don't want to get a female pregnant 3 Don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease 4 Haven't found the right person yet 5 In a relationship, but waiting for the right time 6 Other	Respondent has never had sex	Male File Section B: Ever Had Sex; Ever Had Children; Number of Sexual Partners	YNOSEX	*	4,124 270 142 73 186 38 95

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	Children							
Please look at Card 64. (Thinking about [CHILD] in your household), in the last 12 months, how often did you go to religious services with [CHILD]?	. Inapplicable 0 Not at all 1 Once or twice during the year 2 Several times during the year 3 1-3 Times per month 4 About once a week 5 Several times a week 6 Every day 8 Refused	Respondents with children aged 5-18 living with him	Male File Section G: Fathering	CRRELG		4,020 292 117 133 121 188 51 4		
Please look at Card 64. (Thinking about [CHILD] not living with you), in the last 12 months, how often did you go to religious services with [CHILD]?	. Inapplicable 0 Not at all 1 Once or twice during the year 2 Several times during the year 3 One to three times per month 4 About once a week 5 Several times a week 6 Every day 96 No contact in 12 months 98 Refused	Respondents who have in the past 12 months visited non-resident bio/adopted children ages 5 -18	Male File Section G: Fathering	NCRELG		4,537 206 64 53 33 23 5 1 5		

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