

New Age View**Christian View**

God	Pantheism	Personal God Creator
Jesus Christ	Jesus=human, Christ=divinity	One Person, the human- divine Messiah
The Atonement	Balanced World of Karma	Atoned for human sin
Sin	Involves ignorance of divinity	Moral rebellion against God
Salvation	Enlightenment about divinity	Based on faith in Christ alone
Second Coming	Cosmic Christ comes on all humankind	Jesus will personally return

¹ Ron Rhodes, *The Challenge of the Cults and New Religions*, (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2001), 145.