The large center circle represents the core truths held in common by all historic Protestant denominations

### Reformed

Doctrine & Purity Objective Word of God Preached

Smaller outer Circles represent different historic expressions of core truths within different Protestant denominations. Notice each circle overlaps and is connected with the core

# Global

**World Missions** Indigenous leadership

Rejection of the superiority of one christian culture over another

Catholic

Connection to historic

Church & worship

Sacramental life of the

Church

**Christ over Culture** 

# -Final Authority of Scripture-

#### -3 Ecumenical Creeds-

Apostle's Creed Nicene Creed Athanasian Creed

#### -Sacraments-

Water Baptism/Lord's Supper

#### **CORE TRUTHS**

## -Leadership/Discipline-

Bishops, Presbytery, Congregational. etc...

#### -5 Solas of Reformation-

Grace Alone (Sola Gratia) Faith Alone (Sola Fide) Christ Alone (Solus Christus) Scripture Alone (Sola Scriptura) To the Glory of God Alone (Soli Deo Gioria)

# **Evangelical**

**Personal Conversion** Reaching the Masses "seeker sensitive"

### Liberal

Outreach Arts, Music, Literature

Christ in Culture

Arrows connecting the circles represent the balance created by acknowledging the contribution of all other circles

#### Charismatic

Ministry of the Holy Spirit in practice Subjective Word of God experienced

Outside the red lines represent the error of viewing your circle as ONLY true expression of Christianity, ignoring & excluding all other circles. When the edge of the circle falls outside the line, the poison of error gets injected into your view, even entering the core through it if you're not careful

