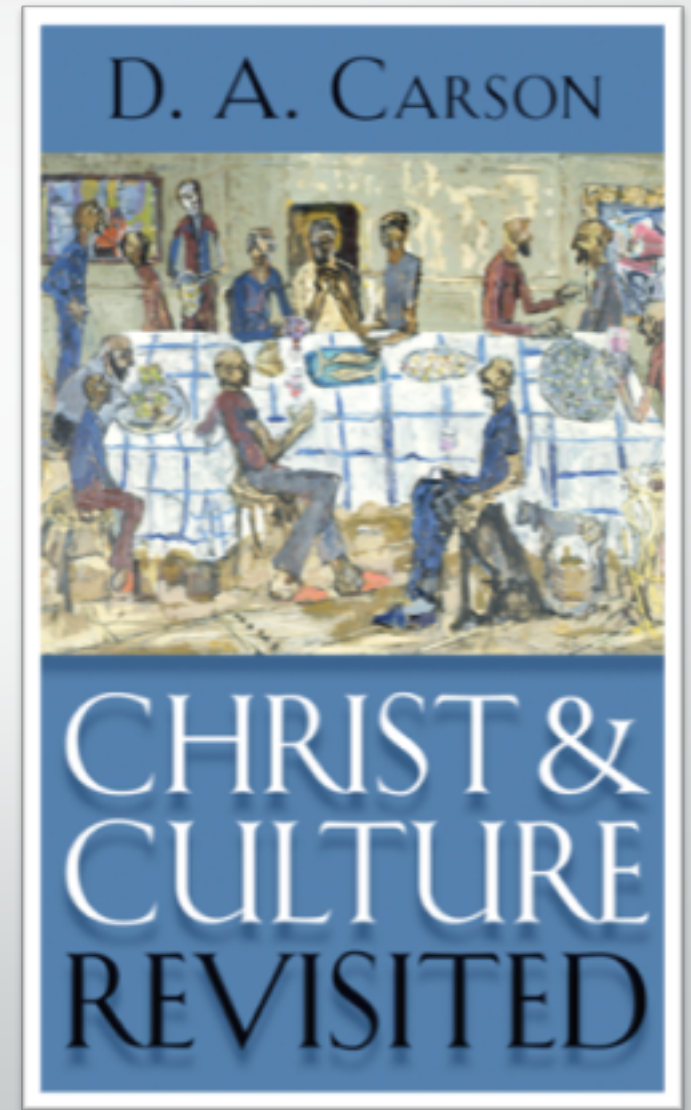


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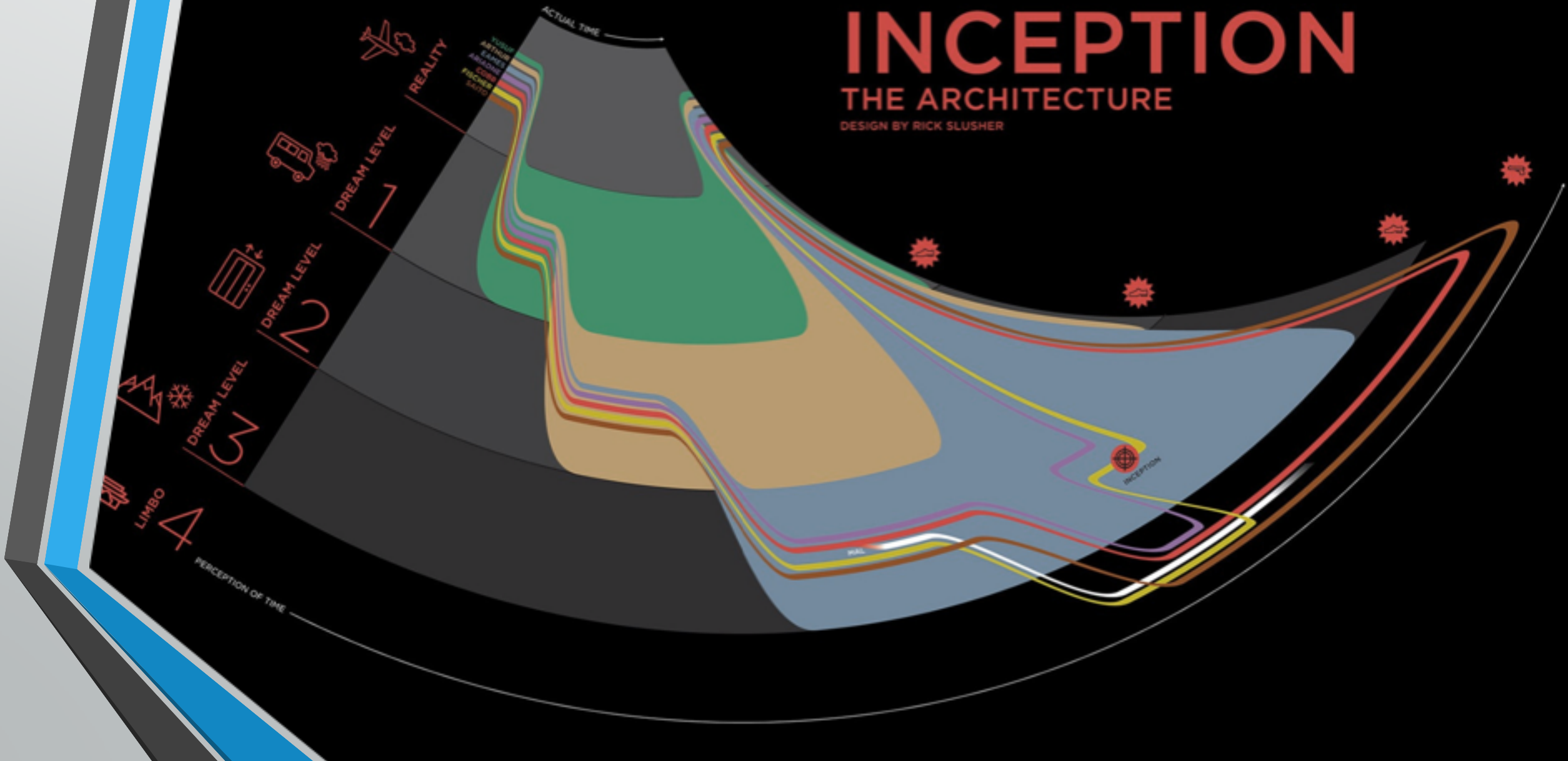
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# INCEPTION

## THE ARCHITECTURE

DESIGN BY RICK SLUSHER



**The Christ of Culture**  
Gnostics, Abelard, "Liberals"



**Christ Against Culture**  
Tertullian, Monastics

**Christ Above Culture**  
Thomas Aquinas, Christendom



**Christ and Culture in Paradox**  
Lutheranism/Two Kingdoms



**Transformer of Culture**  
Augustine, Calvin,  
Maurice

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# Carson's Critique

- **Number 2 – not Christians**
- **Niebuhr's use of the Bible (not a whole, Pauline Churches, Johannine Community etc)**
- **Advocate - Canon/Biblical Theology**

**OK to Speak of  
Christ and Culture**

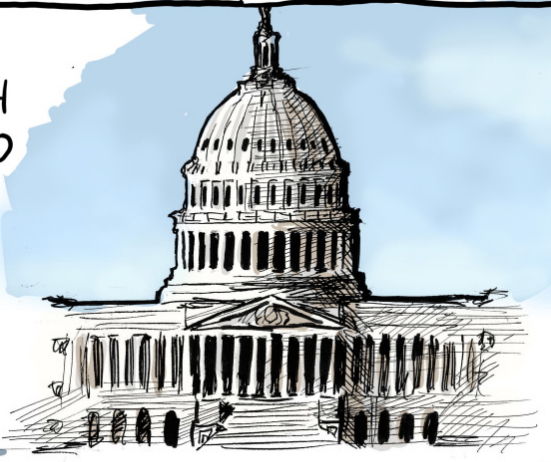


**OK to Talk about  
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# Strengths

- **Canonically Focused**
- **Contextually Committed**
- **Constructively Hopeful**

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# Main Weakness

- **Postmodern Messiness**
- **Epistemic Jousting**

