

# Evangelical Attitudes Toward Israel

Representative Survey of 2,002  
Americans With Evangelical Beliefs

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# Methodology

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LifeWay Research conducted the study September 20<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> 2017. The study was sponsored by Chosen People Ministries and author, Joel C Rosenberg. The survey was conducted using the web-enabled KnowledgePanel®, a probability-based panel designed to be representative of the U.S. population. Initially, participants are chosen scientifically by a random selection of telephone numbers and residential addresses. Persons in selected households are then invited by telephone or by mail to participate in the web-enabled KnowledgePanel®. For those who agree to participate, but do not already have Internet access, GfK provides at no cost a laptop and ISP connection.

Sample stratification and weights were used for gender by age, ethnicity, region, education, and household income to reflect the most recent US Census data. The completed sample is 2,002 surveys. The sample provides 95 percent confidence that the sampling error does not exceed plus or minus 2.7 percent. Margins of error are higher in sub-groups.

# Evangelical Beliefs

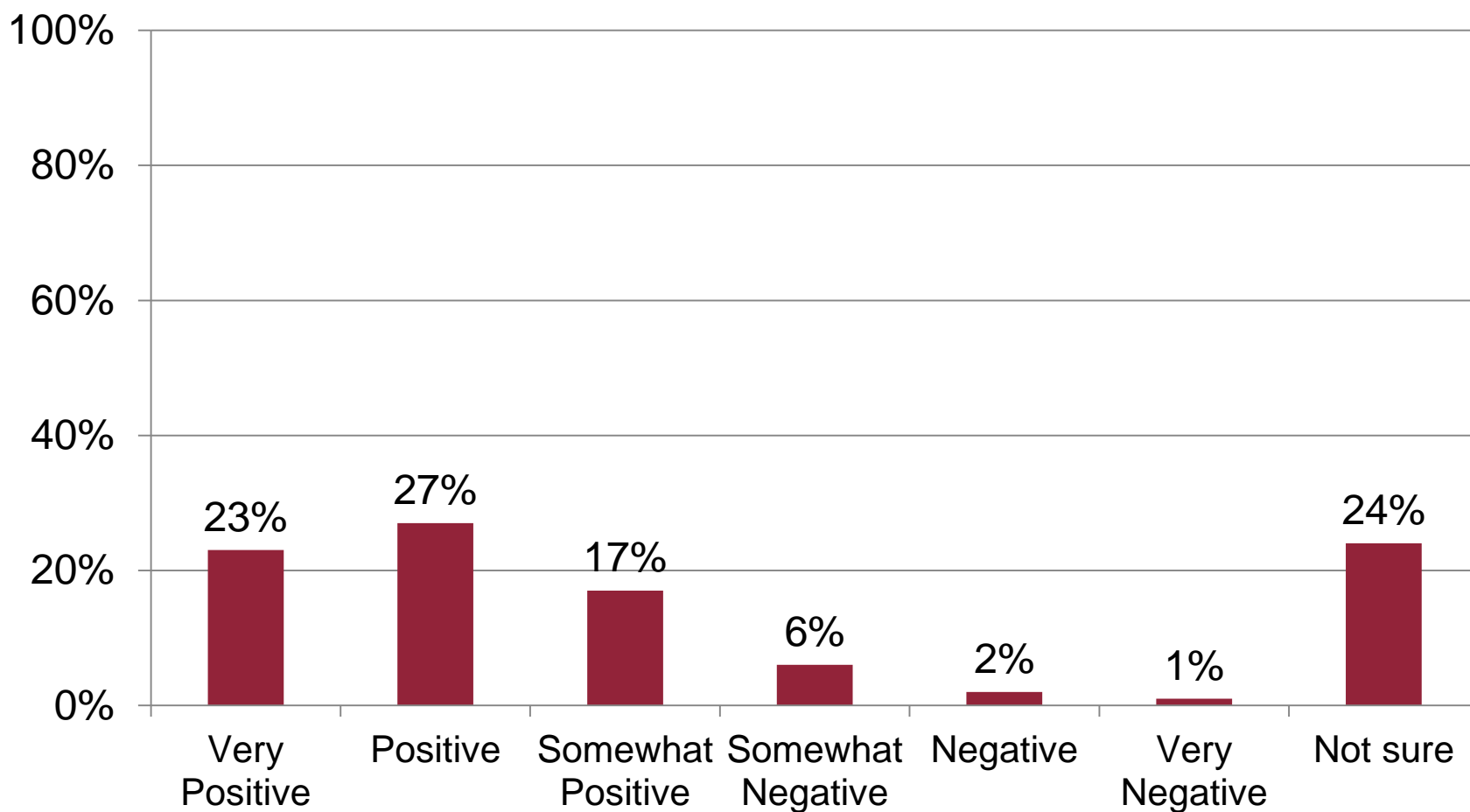
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- ❑ Respondents were screened to only include adults with Evangelical Beliefs
- ❑ Evangelical Beliefs are defined using the NAE LifeWay Research Evangelical Beliefs Research Definition based on respondent beliefs
- ❑ Respondents are asked their level of agreement with four separate statements using a four-point, forced choice scale (strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, strongly disagree). Those who strongly agree with all four statements are categorized as having Evangelical Beliefs
  - The Bible is the highest authority for what I believe
  - It is very important for me personally to encourage non-Christians to trust Jesus Christ as their Savior
  - Jesus Christ's death on the cross is the only sacrifice that could remove the penalty of my sin
  - Only those who trust in Jesus Christ alone as their Savior receive God's free gift of eternal salvation

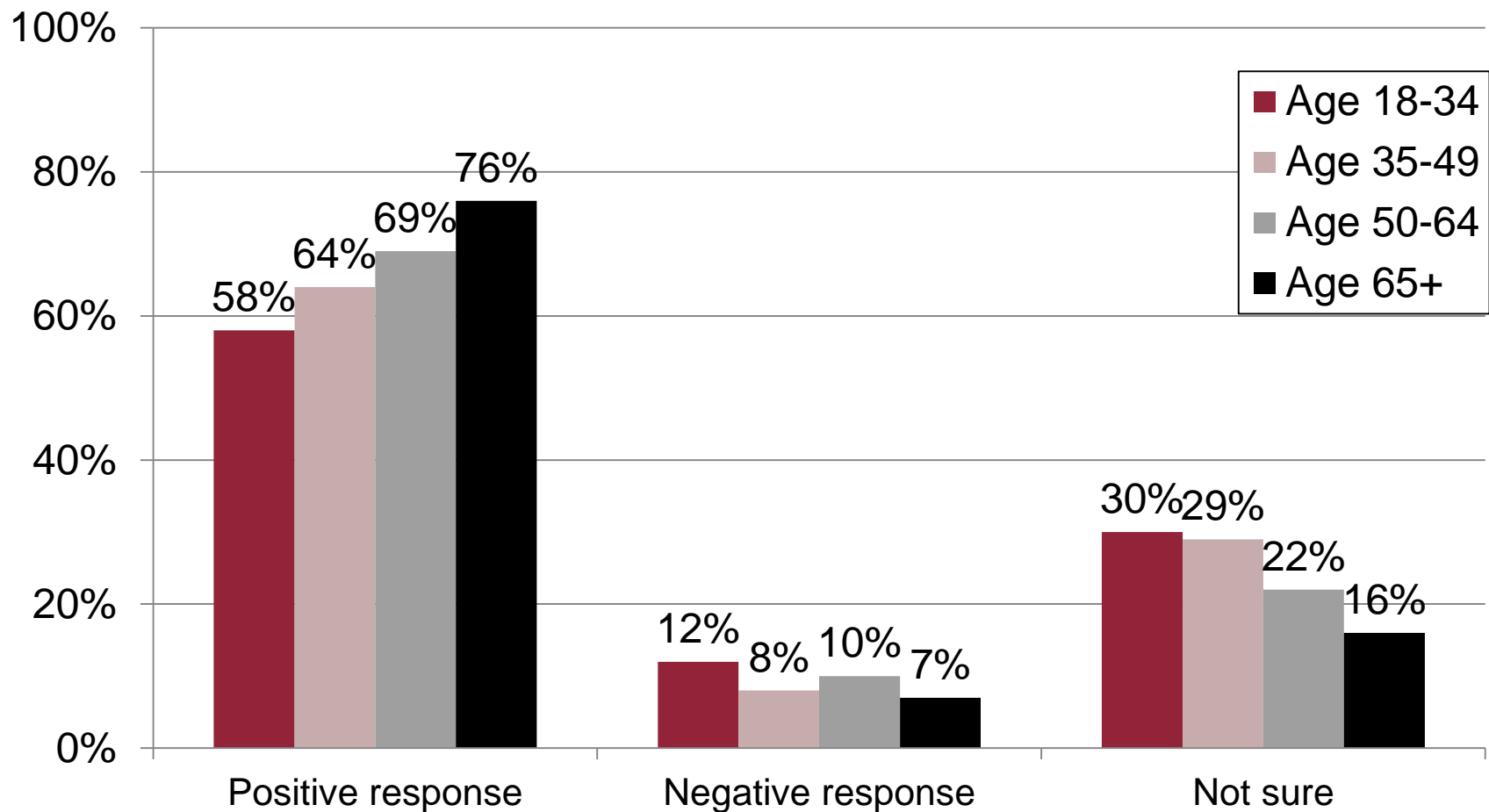
# Survey Responses

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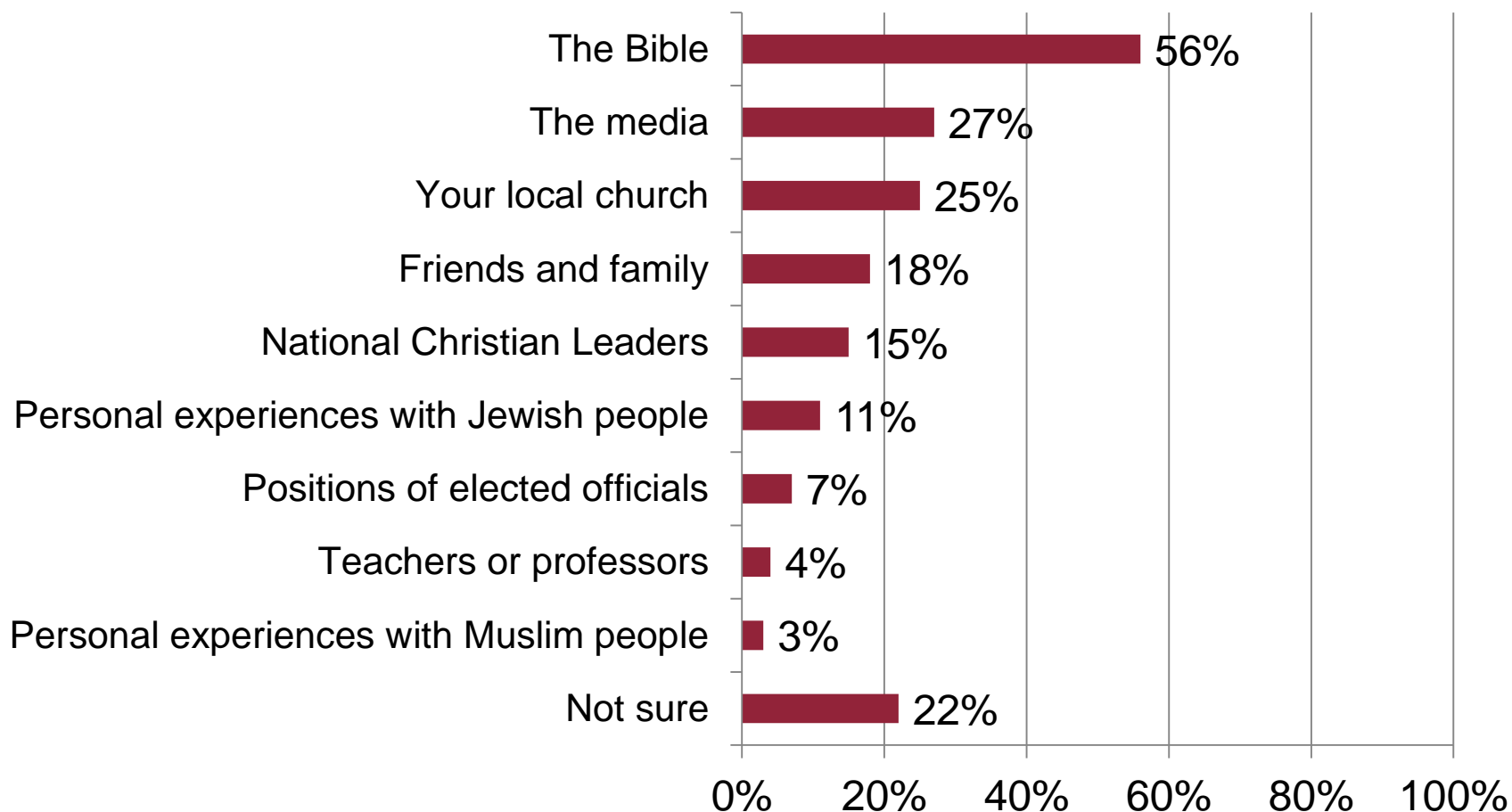
# 67% have a positive perception of Israel



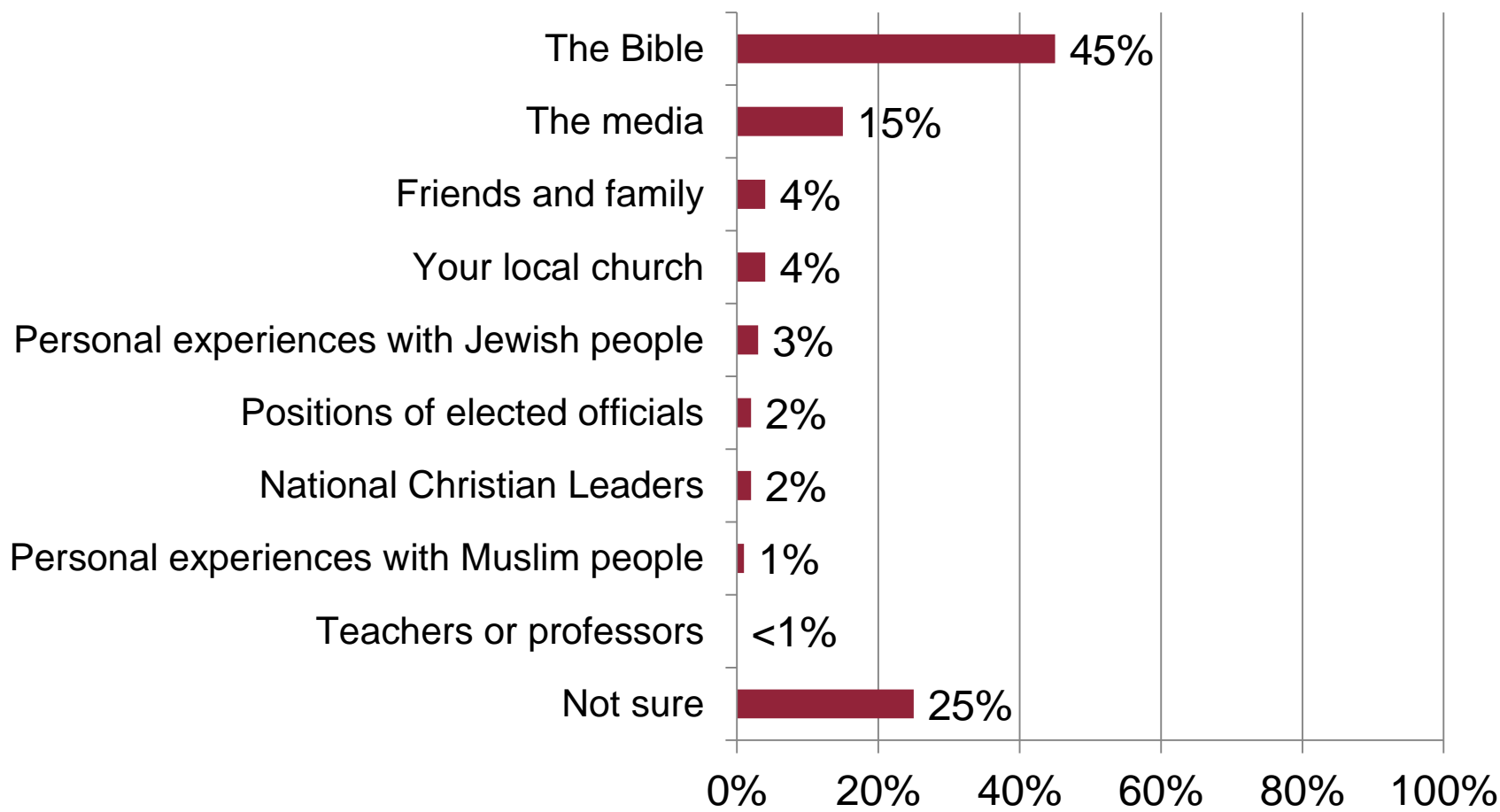
# Younger evangelicals are less likely to have positive perceptions and more likely to be undecided



# “Which of the following have influenced your opinions about Israel?”

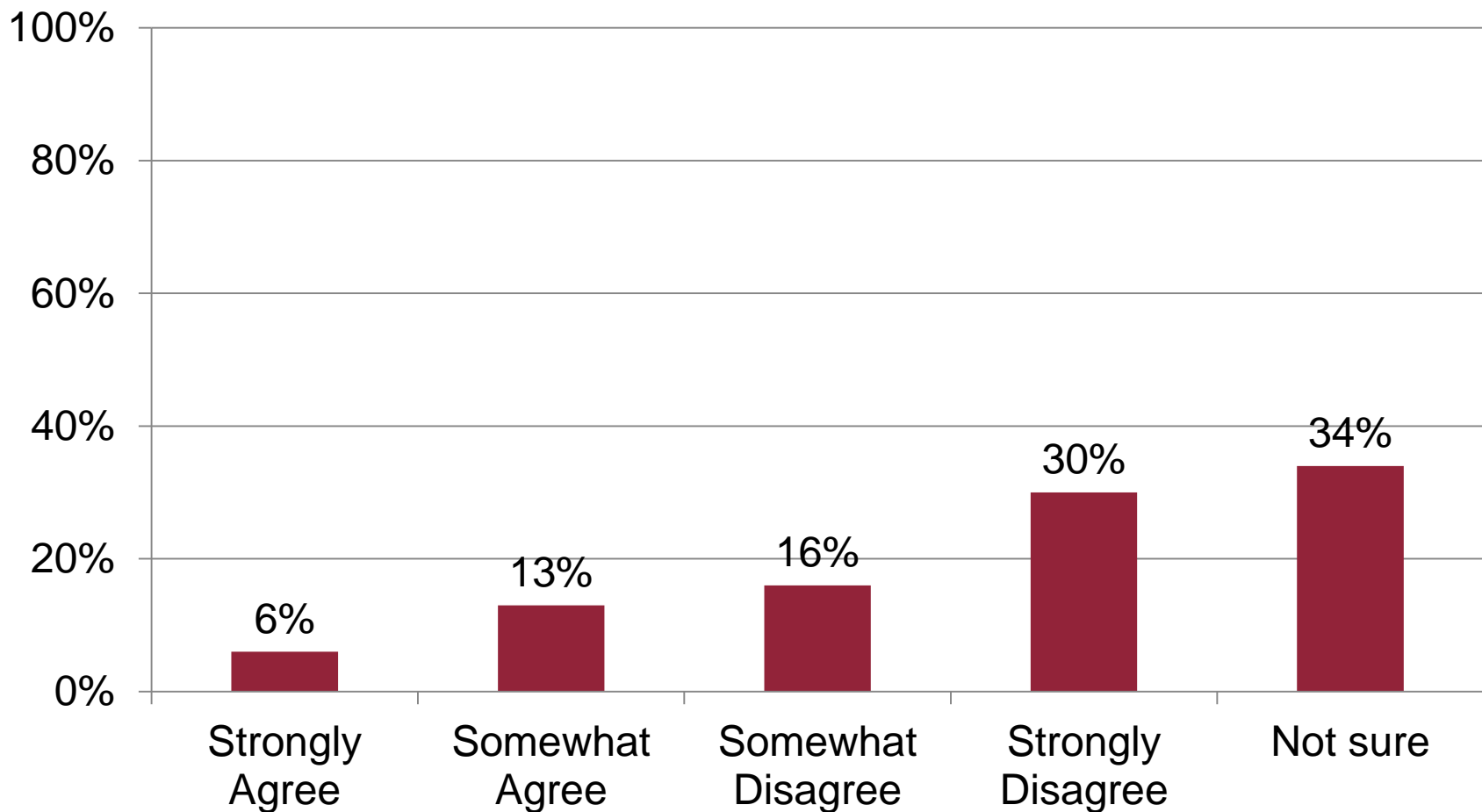


# The Bible is the biggest influencer when it comes to evangelicals perceptions of Israel today at 45%



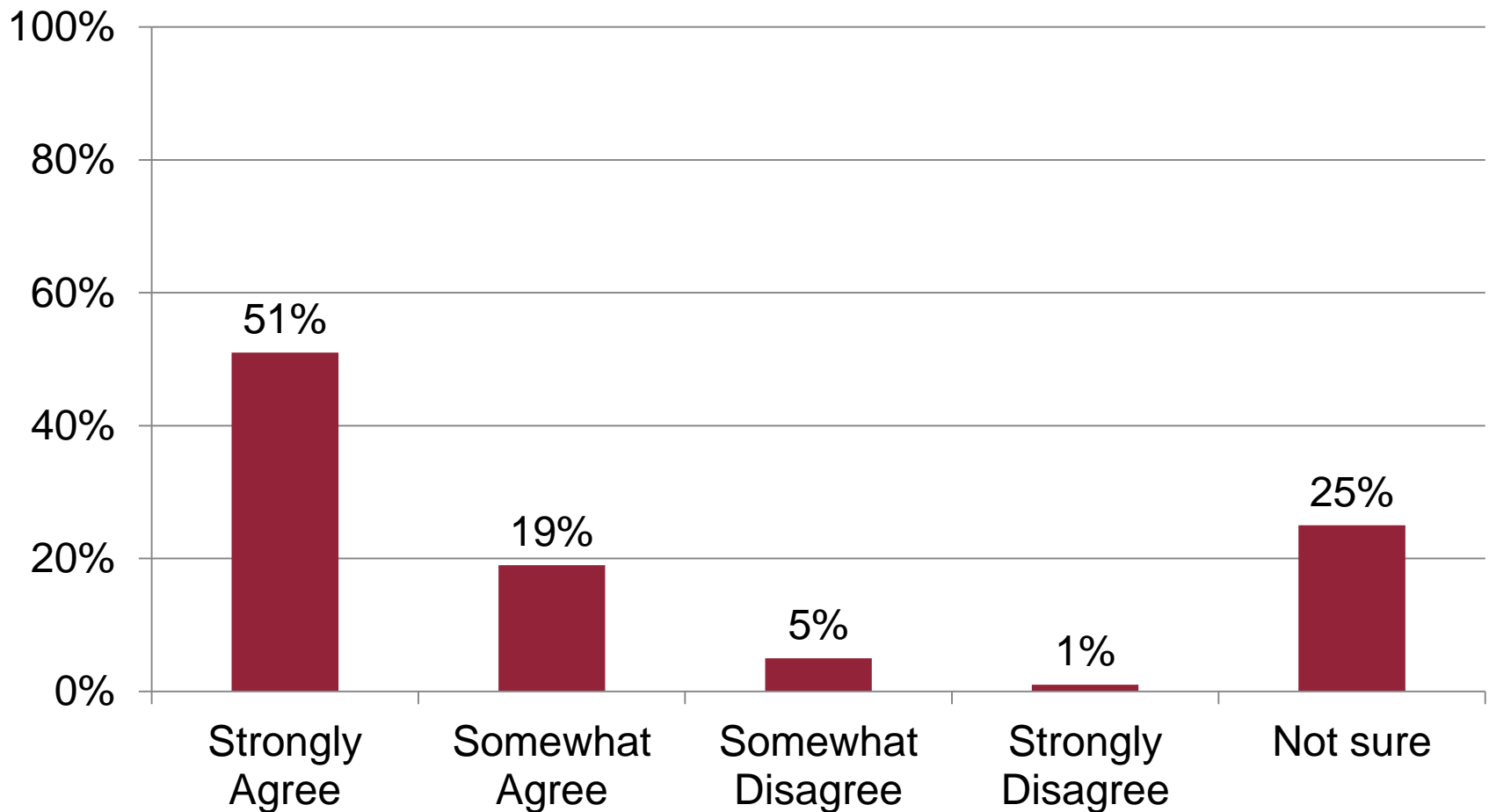


# 46% disagree and 34% are not sure that Palestinian people have a historic right to the land of Israel

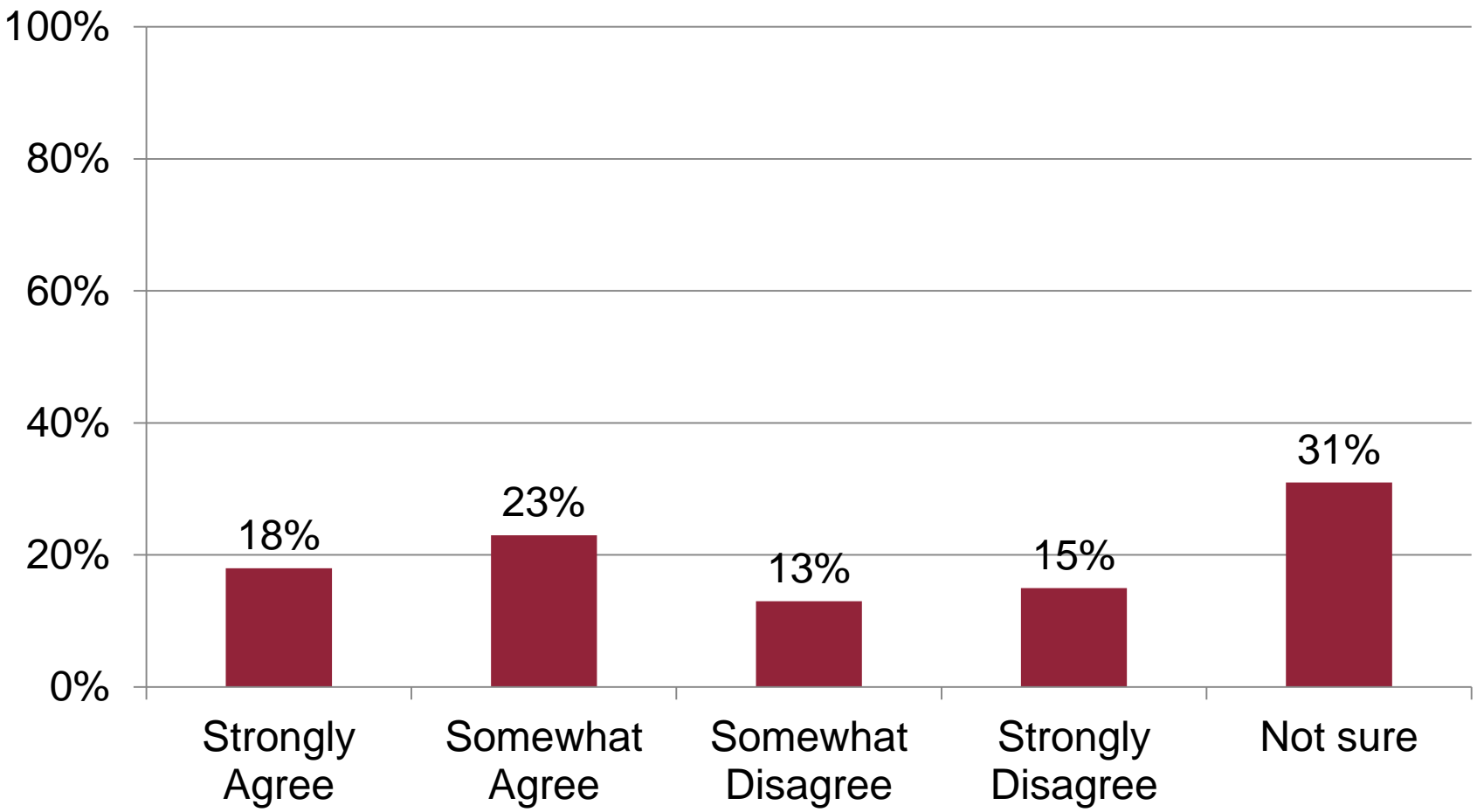


Q14: "Palestinian people have a historic right to the land of Israel." n=1981

# 69% agree that Jewish people have a historic right to the land of Israel

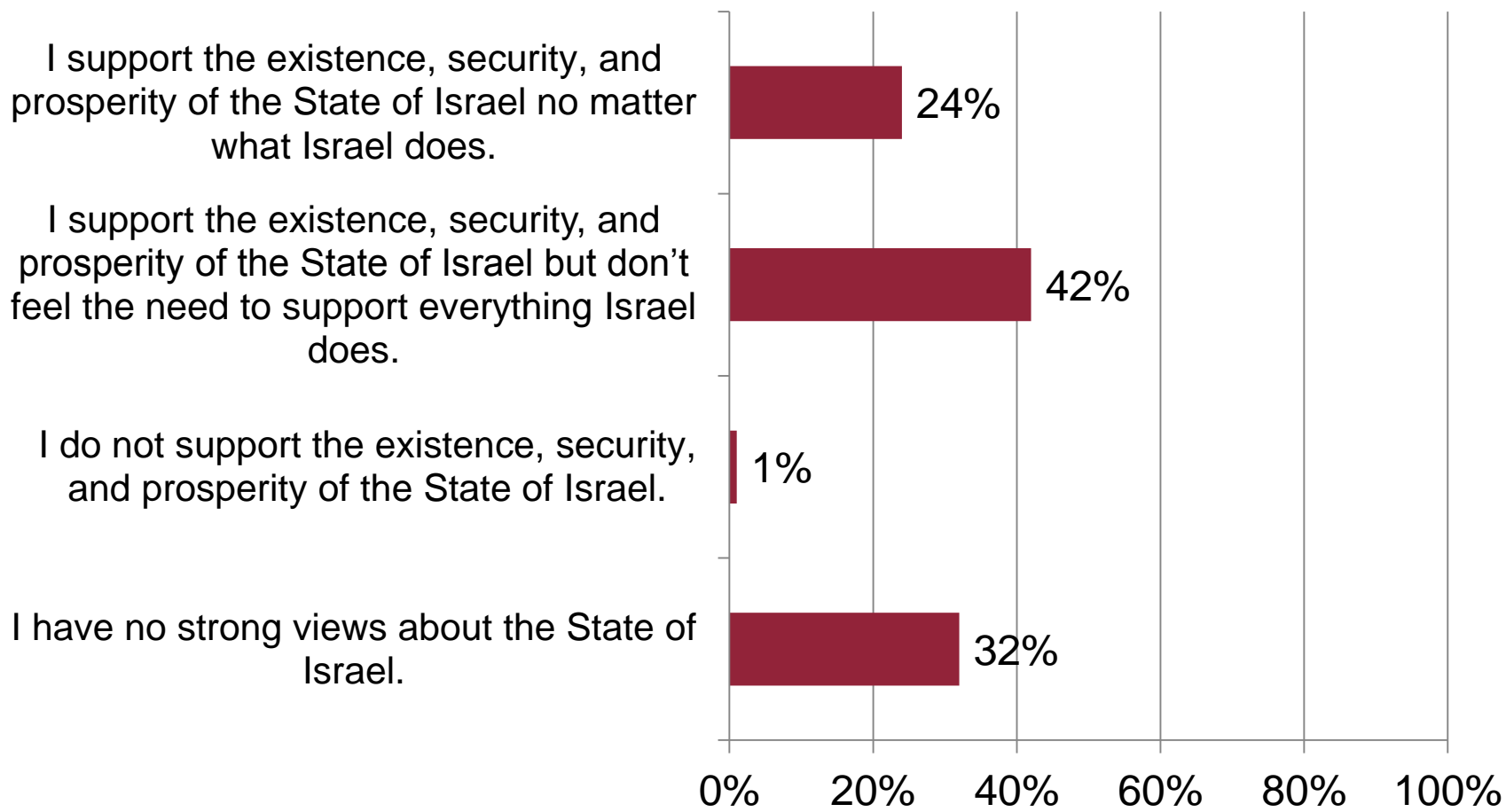


# 41% agree that Jewish people have a biblical right to the land of Israel, but also have a responsibility to share



Q16: "Jewish people have a biblical right to the land of Israel, but also have a responsibility to share the land with Palestinian Arabs." n=1983

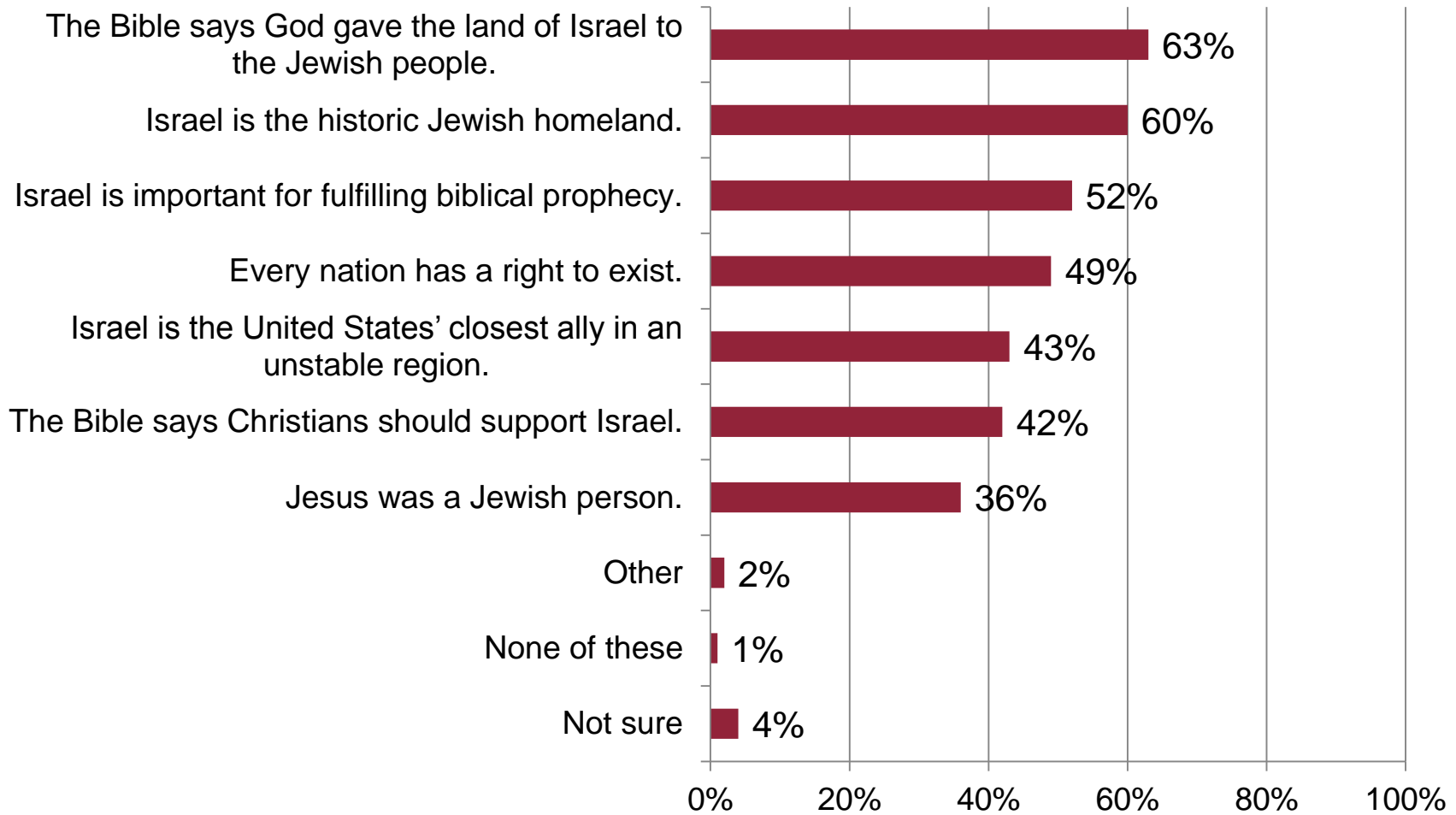
# 42% support the existence of the State of Israel but don't feel the need to support everything Israel does



# Younger evangelicals are much more likely to have no strong views about the State of Israel than those age 50+

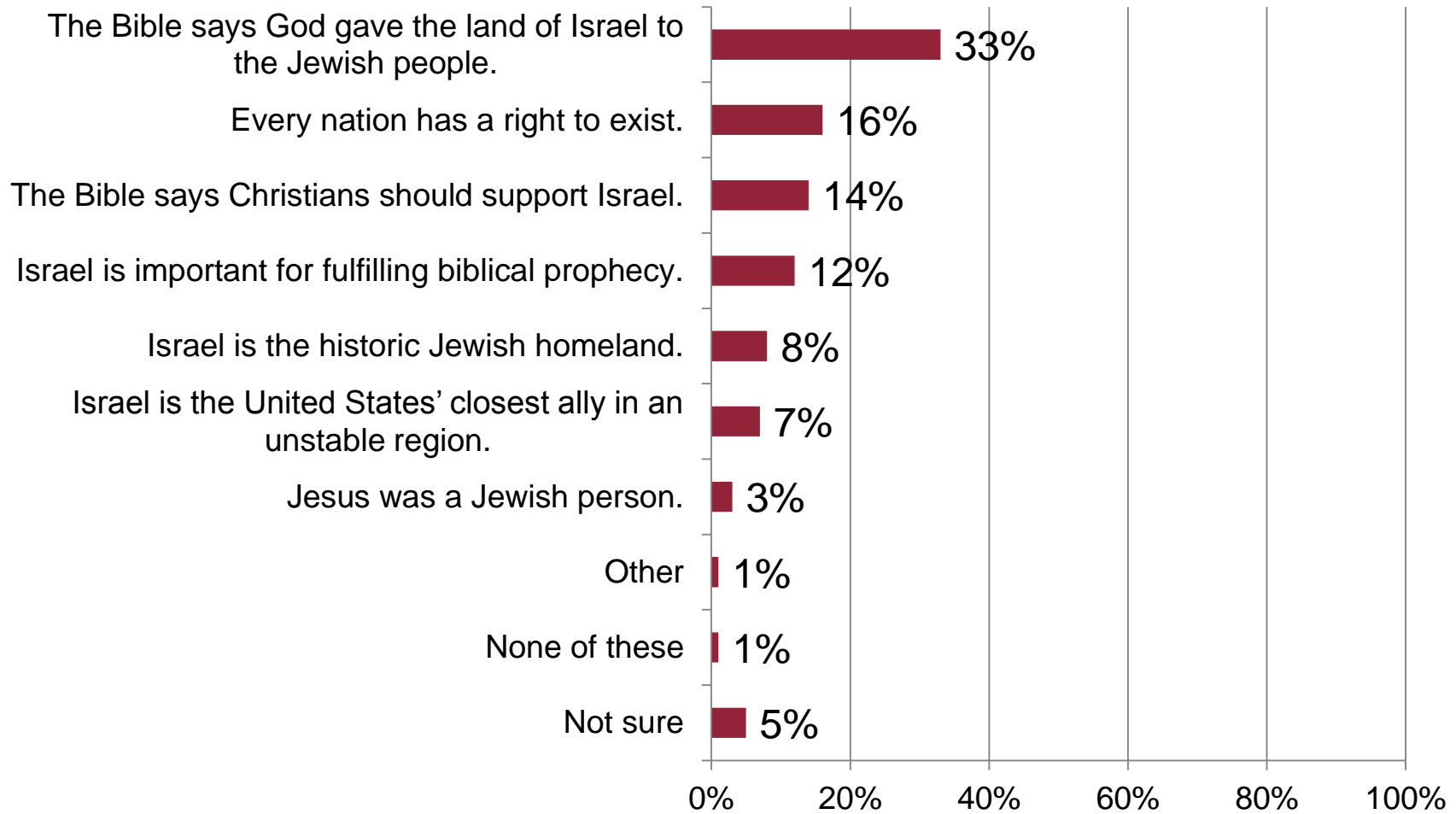
|   | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ |
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| I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel no matter what Israel does.                                | 22%   | 22%   | 24%   | 29% |
| I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel but don't feel the need to support everything Israel does. | 36%   | 40%   | 41%   | 48% |
| I do not support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel.  | <1%   | 2%    | 2%    | 1%  |
| I have no strong views about the State of Israel.   | 41%   | 36%   | 33%   | 22% |

# “Which of the following reasons, if any, contribute to your support for the modern State of Israel?”



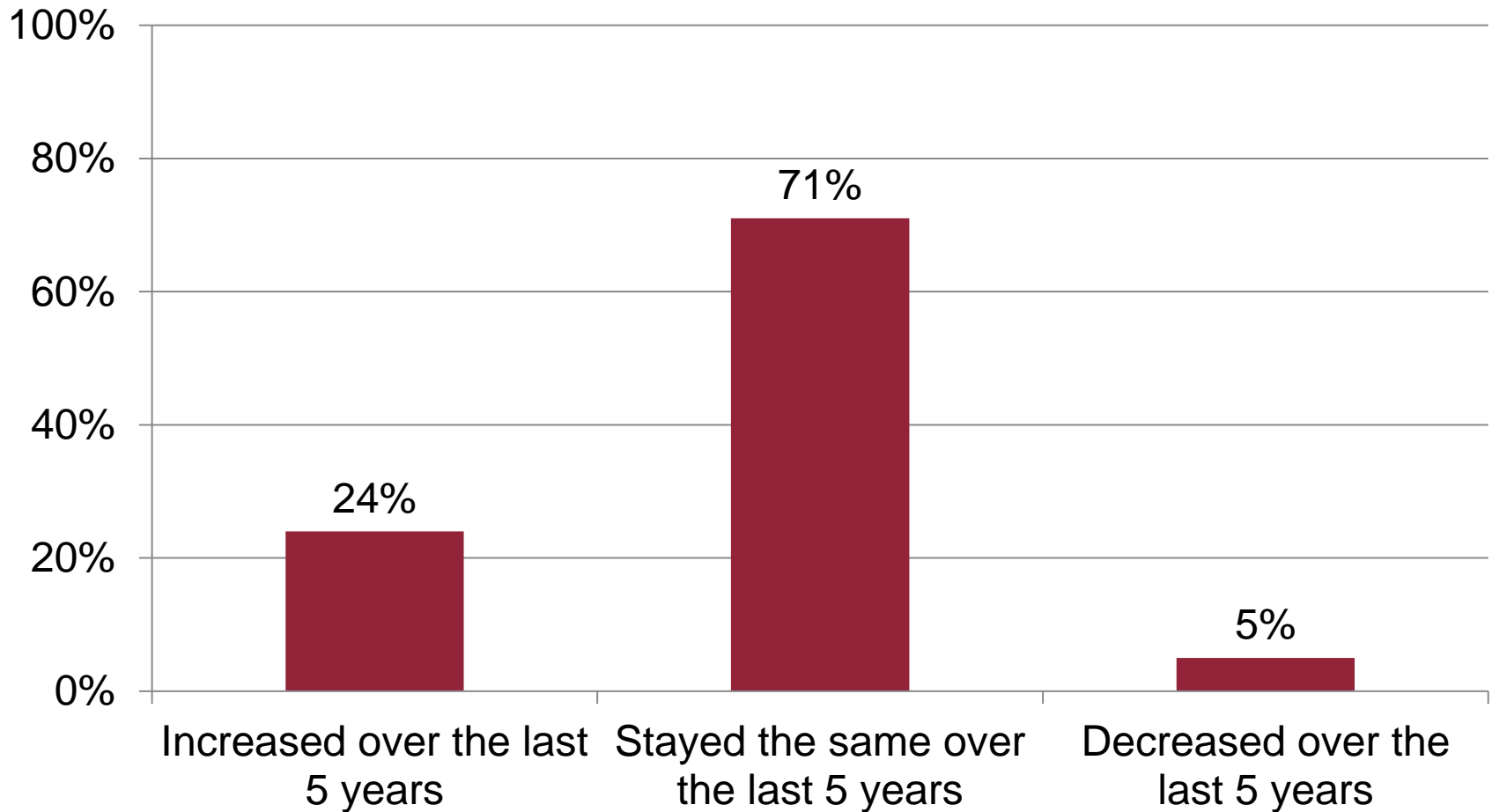
Q18: “Which of the following reasons, if any, contribute to your support for the modern State of Israel? (Select all)” Asked of those indicating support in Q17. n=1314

# 33% select “the Bible says God gave the land of Israel to the Jewish people” as their primary reason for support



Q19: “Which of the following reasons is the most important reason for your support for the modern State of Israel?” Asked of those indicating support in Q17. n=1310

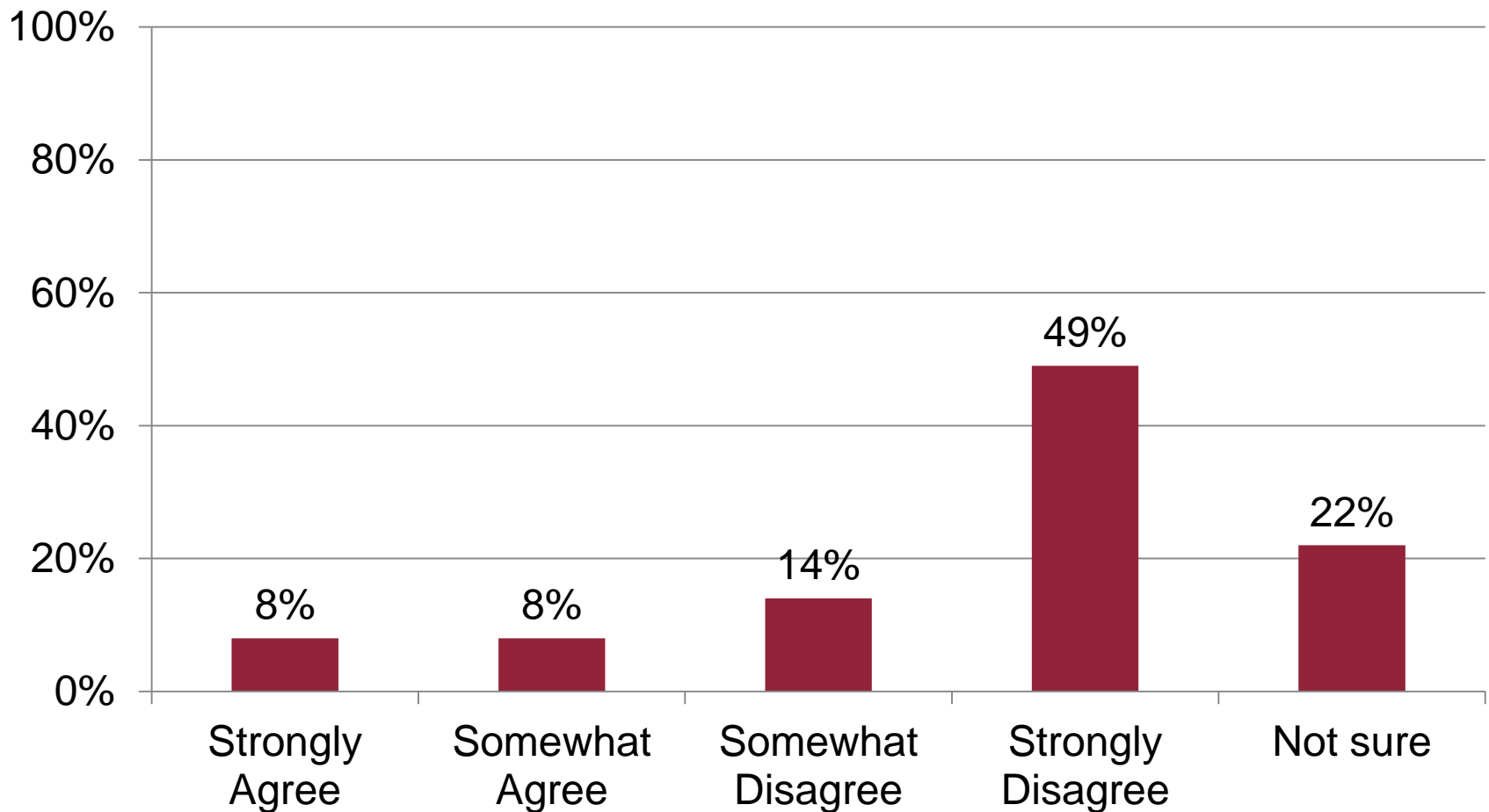
# 71% say that their support for the State of Israel has stayed the same over the last 5 years



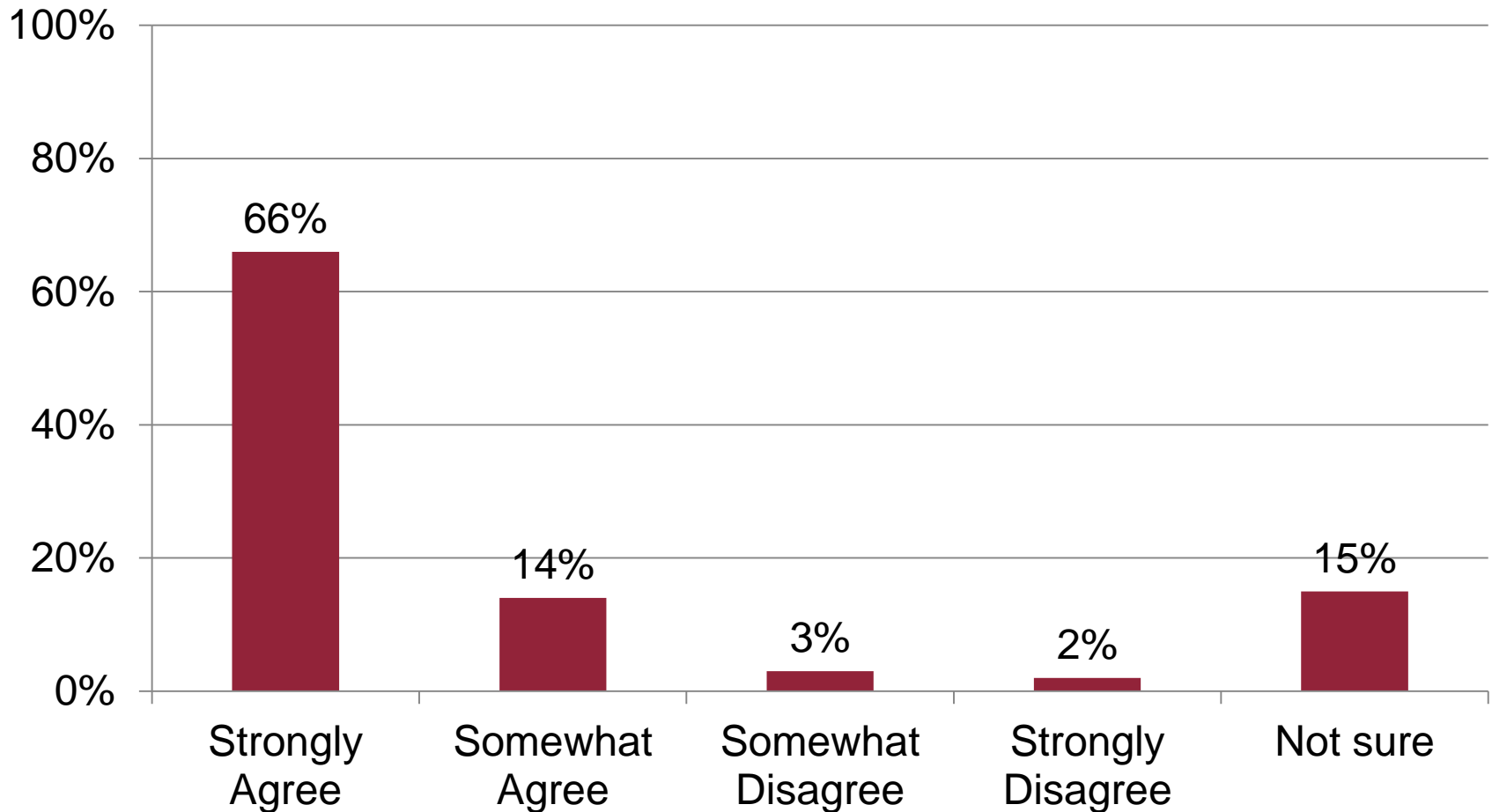
Q21: "Which of the following best represents your personal views? My support for the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel has" n=1970



# 63% disagree that biblical passages about Jewish people having a right to the land of Israel no longer apply today

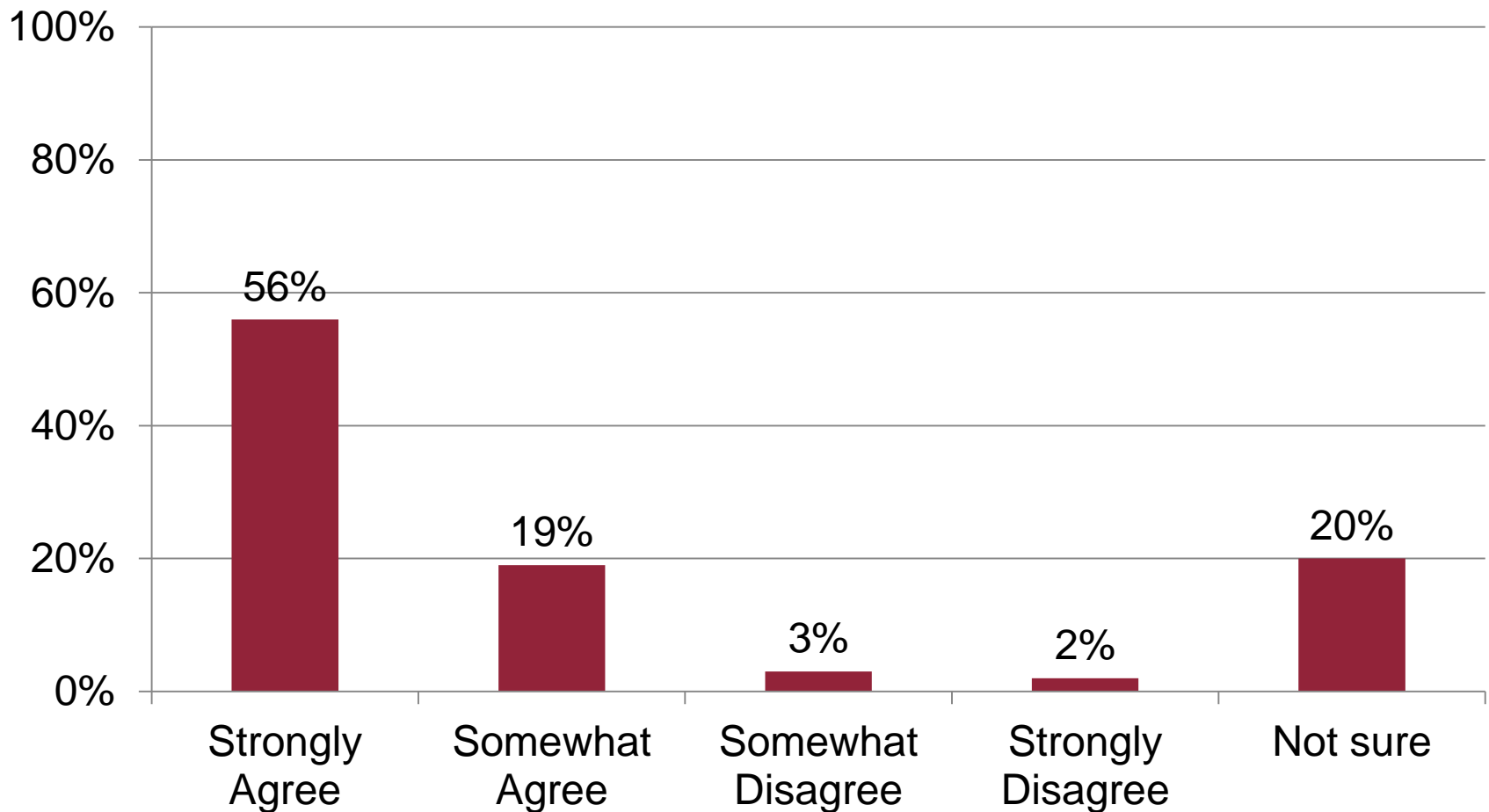


# 80% agree that God's promise to Abraham and his descendants was for all time



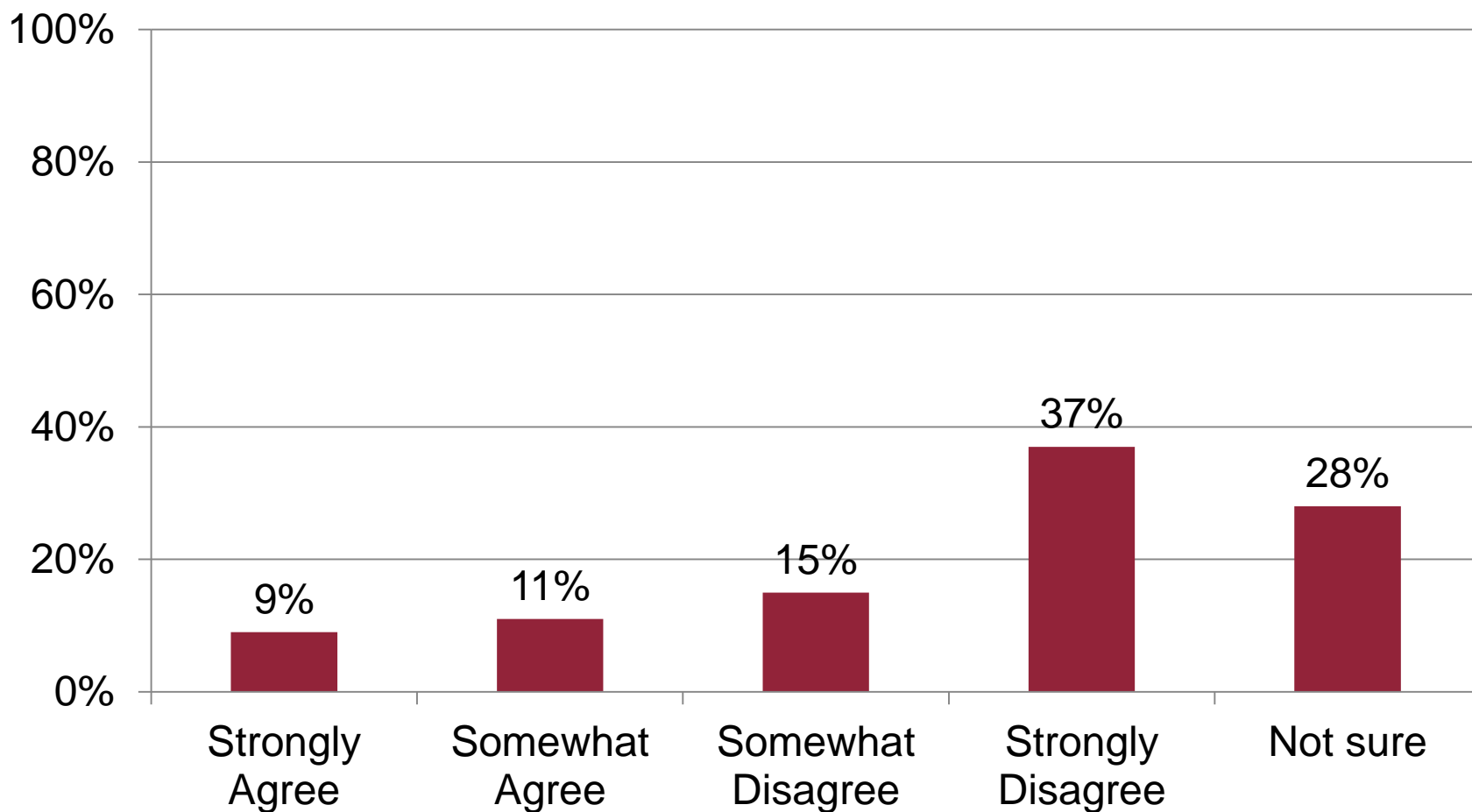
Q23: "When God promised Abraham and his descendants the land of Israel, the promise was for all time." n=1980

# 76% agree that Christians should support Jewish people's right to live in the sovereign state of Israel

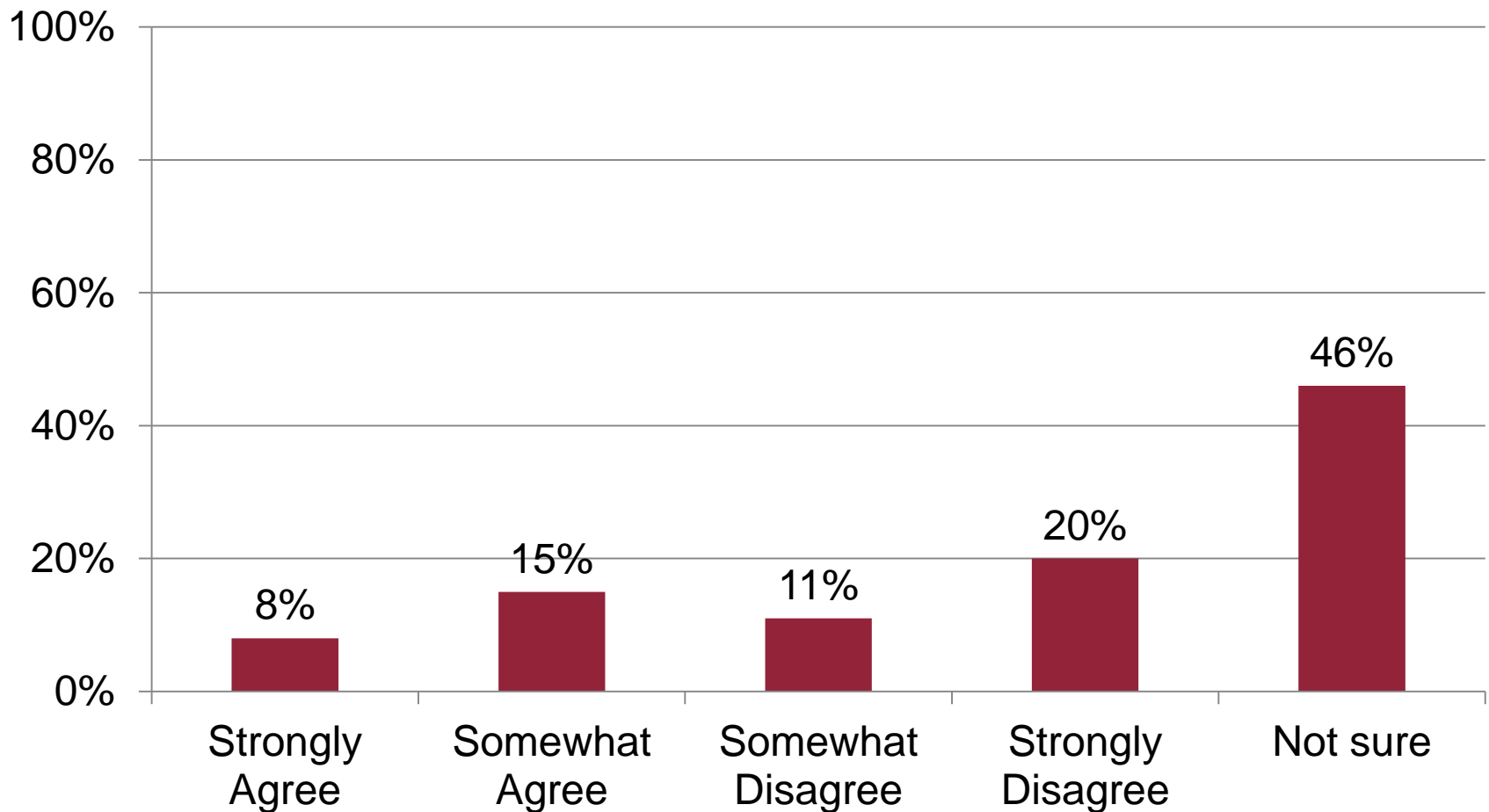


Q24: "Christians should support the right of the Jewish people to live in the sovereign state of Israel." n=1983

# 51% disagree that the Jewish people lost the promise of the land because they rejected Jesus

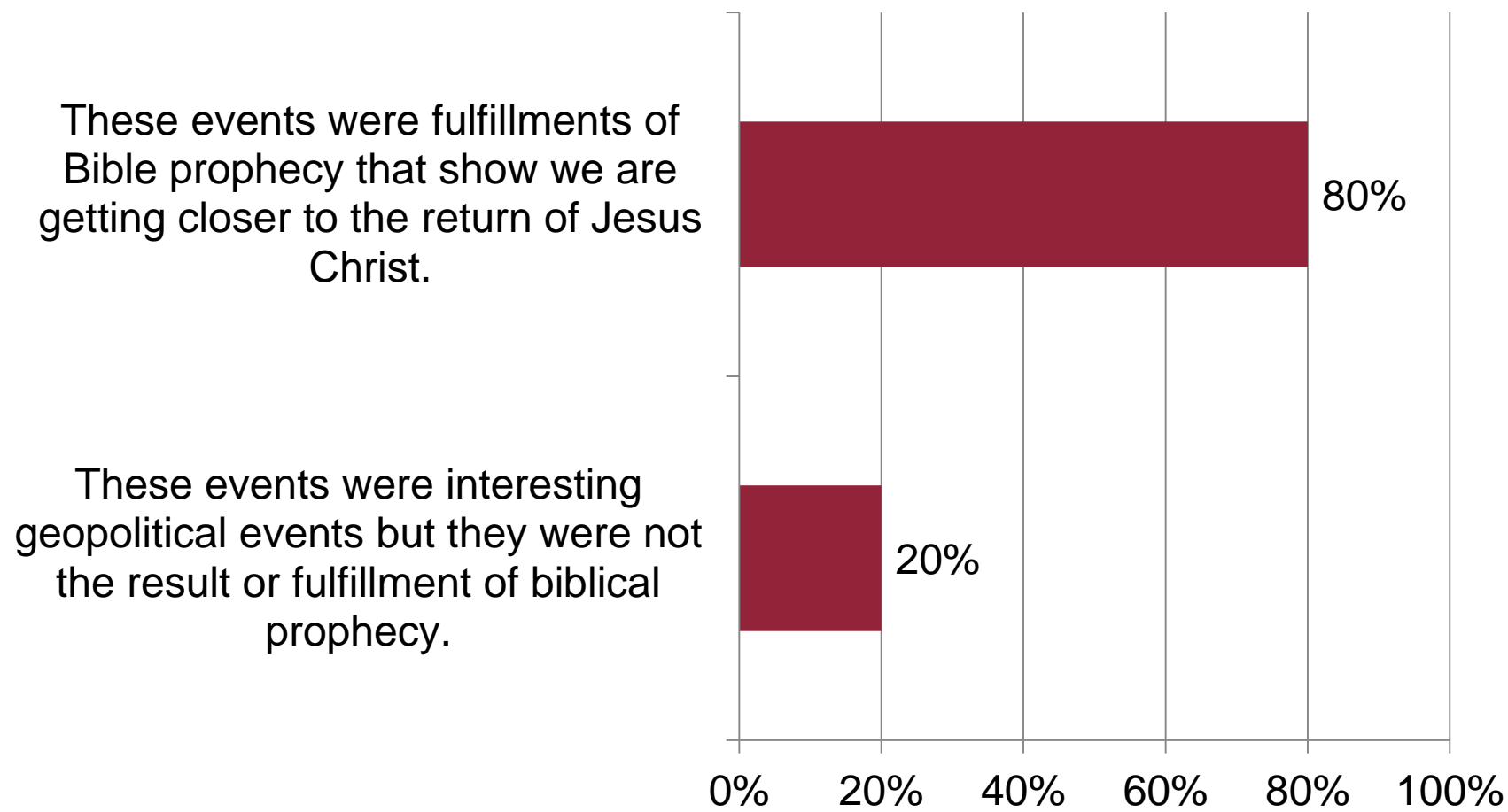


# 23% agree and 46% are not sure that the state of Israel should sign a peace treaty that allows Palestinians to create their own sovereign state



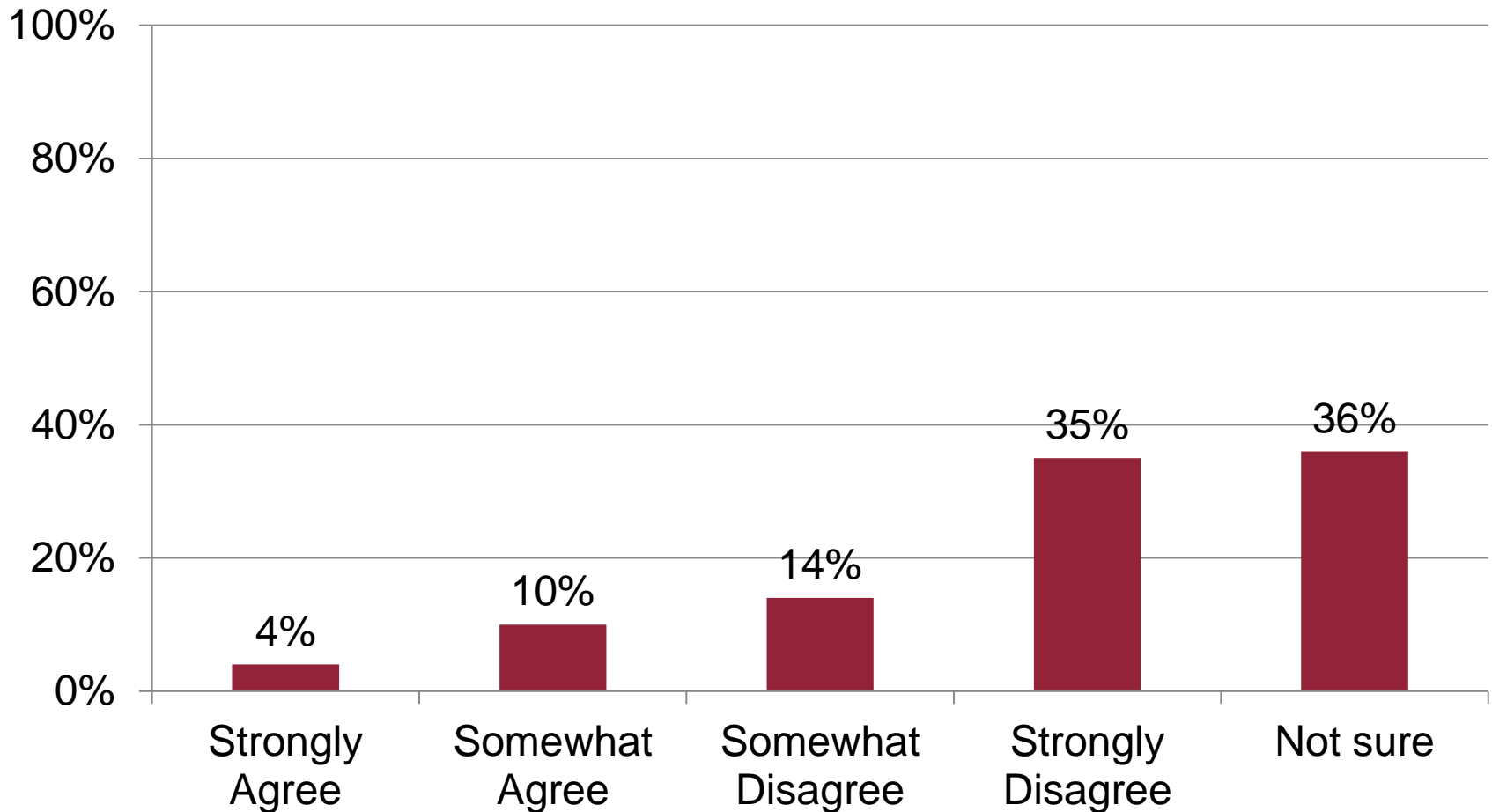
Q26: "The state of Israel should sign a peace treaty that allows the Palestinians to create their own sovereign state in the West Bank and Gaza." n=1978

# Personal views on the modern rebirth of the State of Israel in 1948



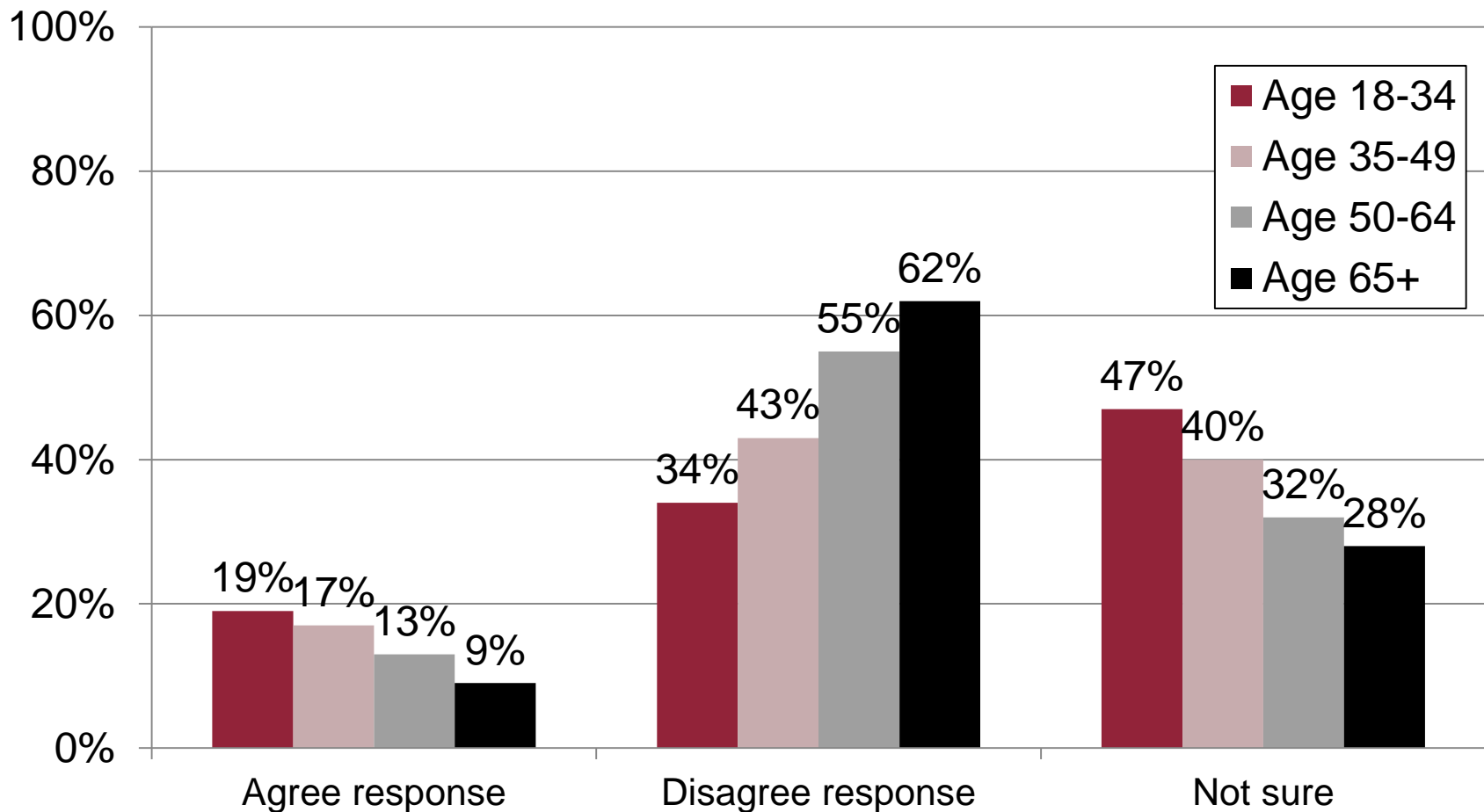
Q27: "When you think of the modern rebirth of the State of Israel in 1948 and the re-gathering of millions of Jewish people to Israel, which of the following statements best represents your personal views?" n=1893

# 50% disagree that the modern rebirth of the State of Israel has been an injustice to the Arab people



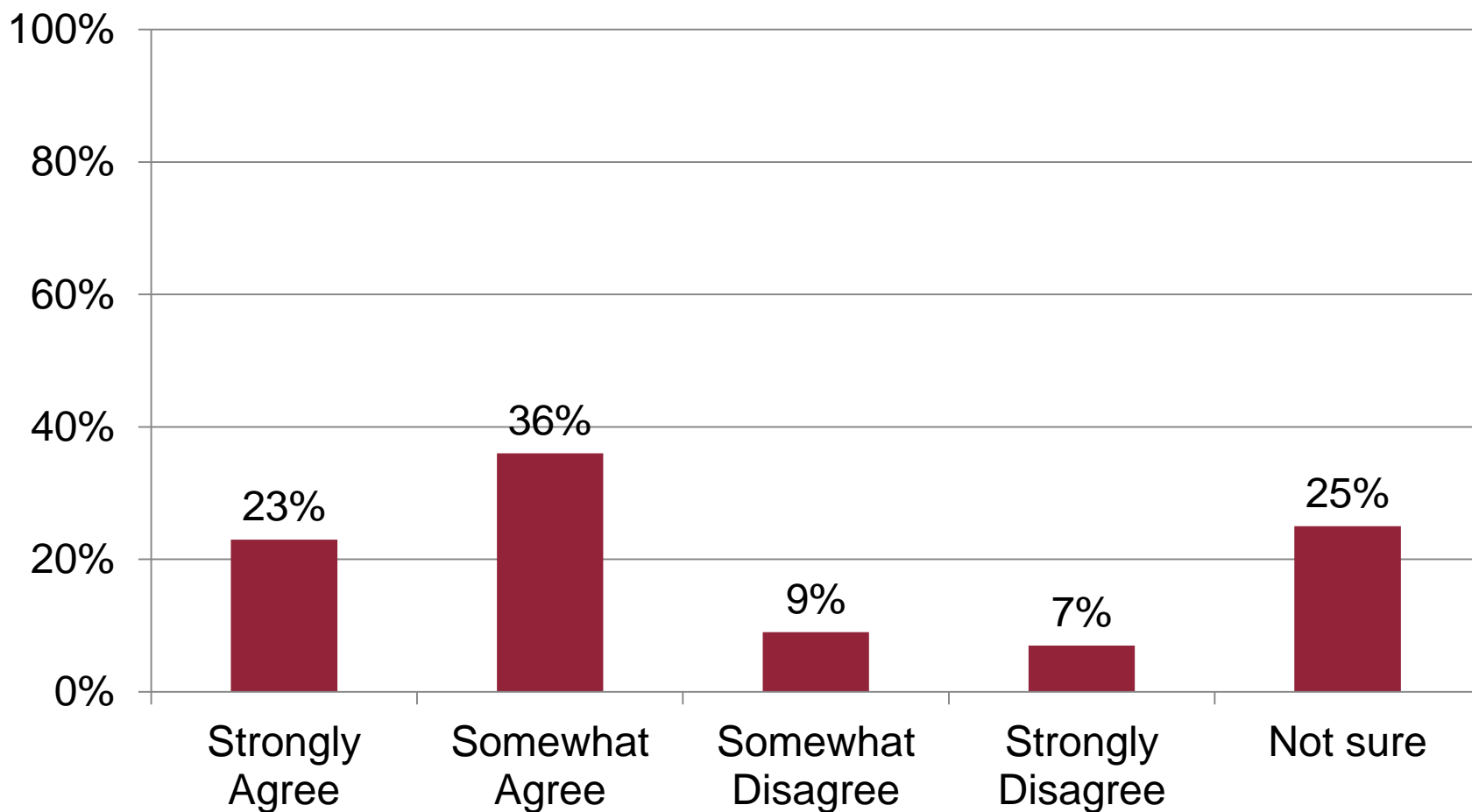
Q28: "The modern rebirth of the State of Israel has been a terrible injustice to the Arab people in the Middle East." n=1968

# Younger evangelicals are more likely to agree than those age 50+ the rebirth of the State of Israel has been a terrible injustice to the Arab people of the Middle East



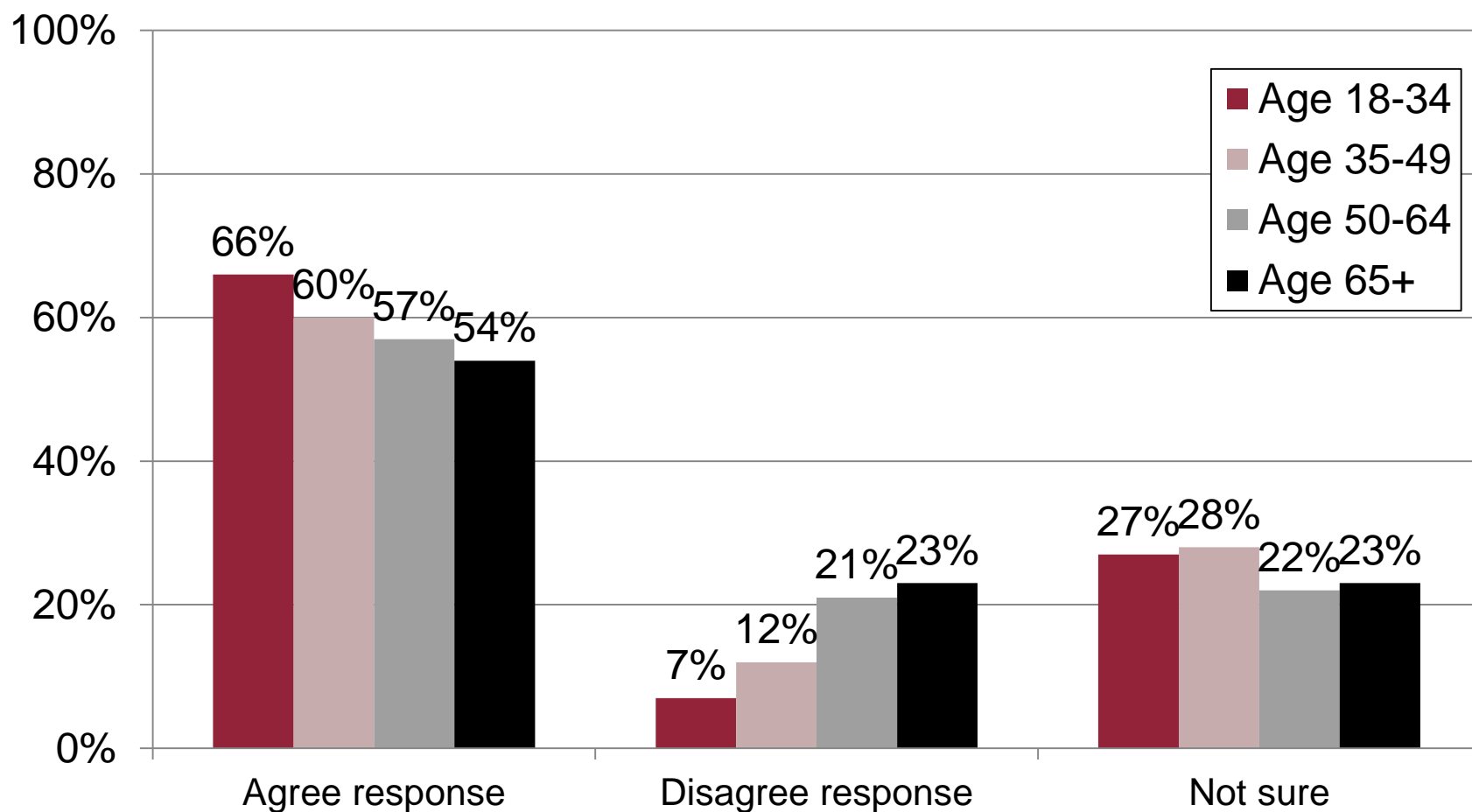


# 59% agree that Christians should do more to love and care for Palestinian people

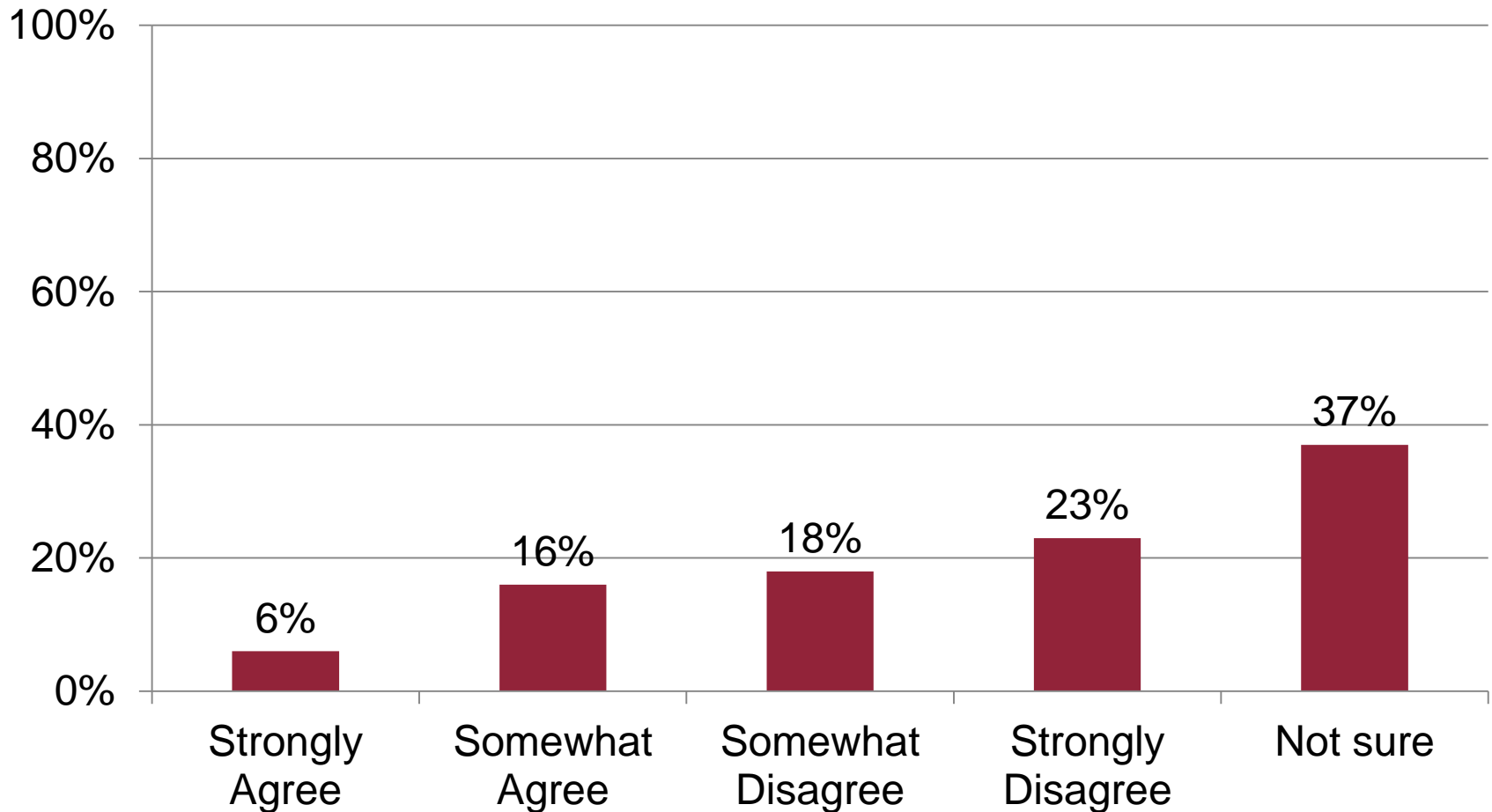


Q29: "Christians should do more to love and care for Palestinian people." n=1965

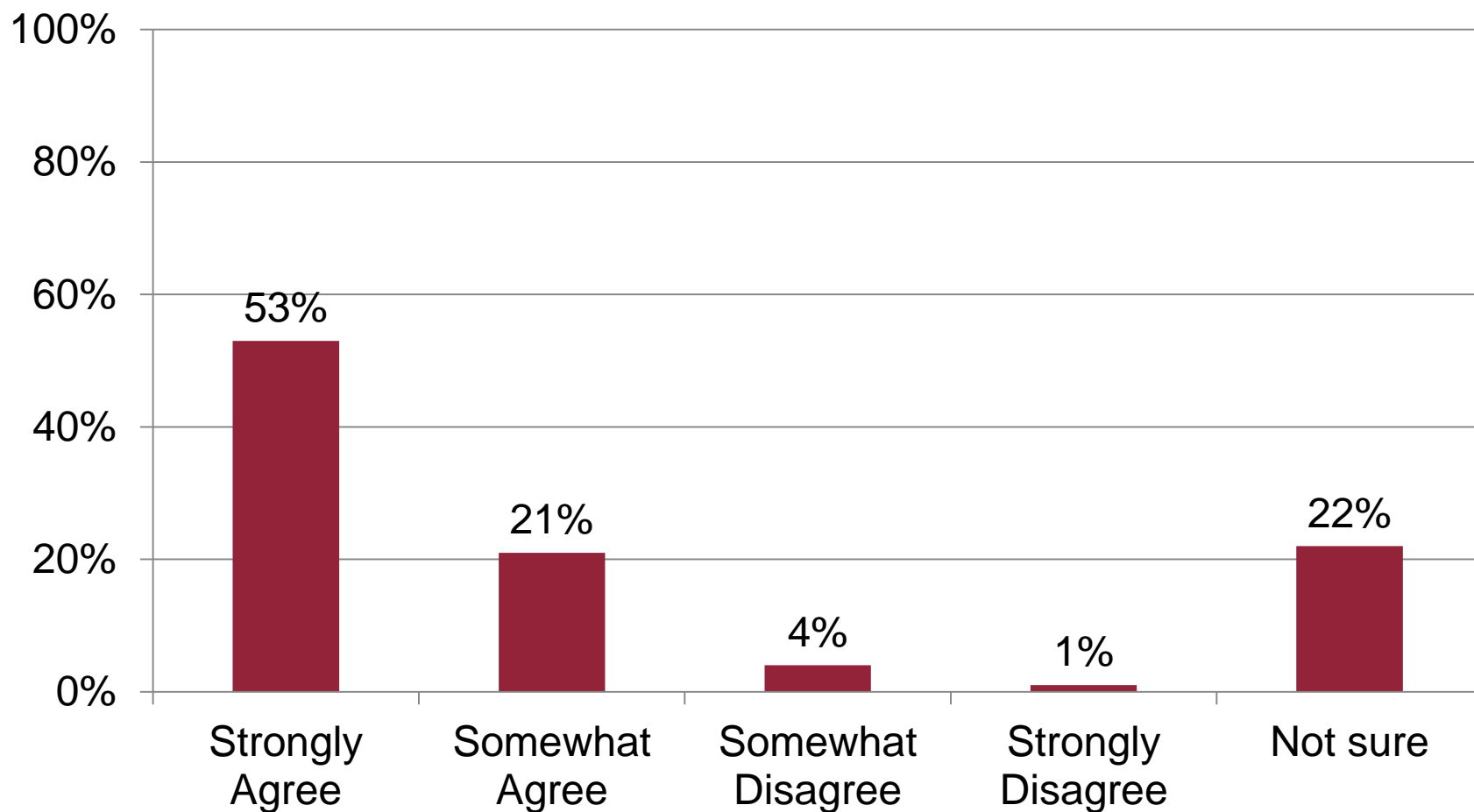
# Younger evangelicals are more likely to agree Christians should do more to love and care for Palestinian people



# 22% agree and 37% are not sure modern Israel has been unfair to the Palestinian people

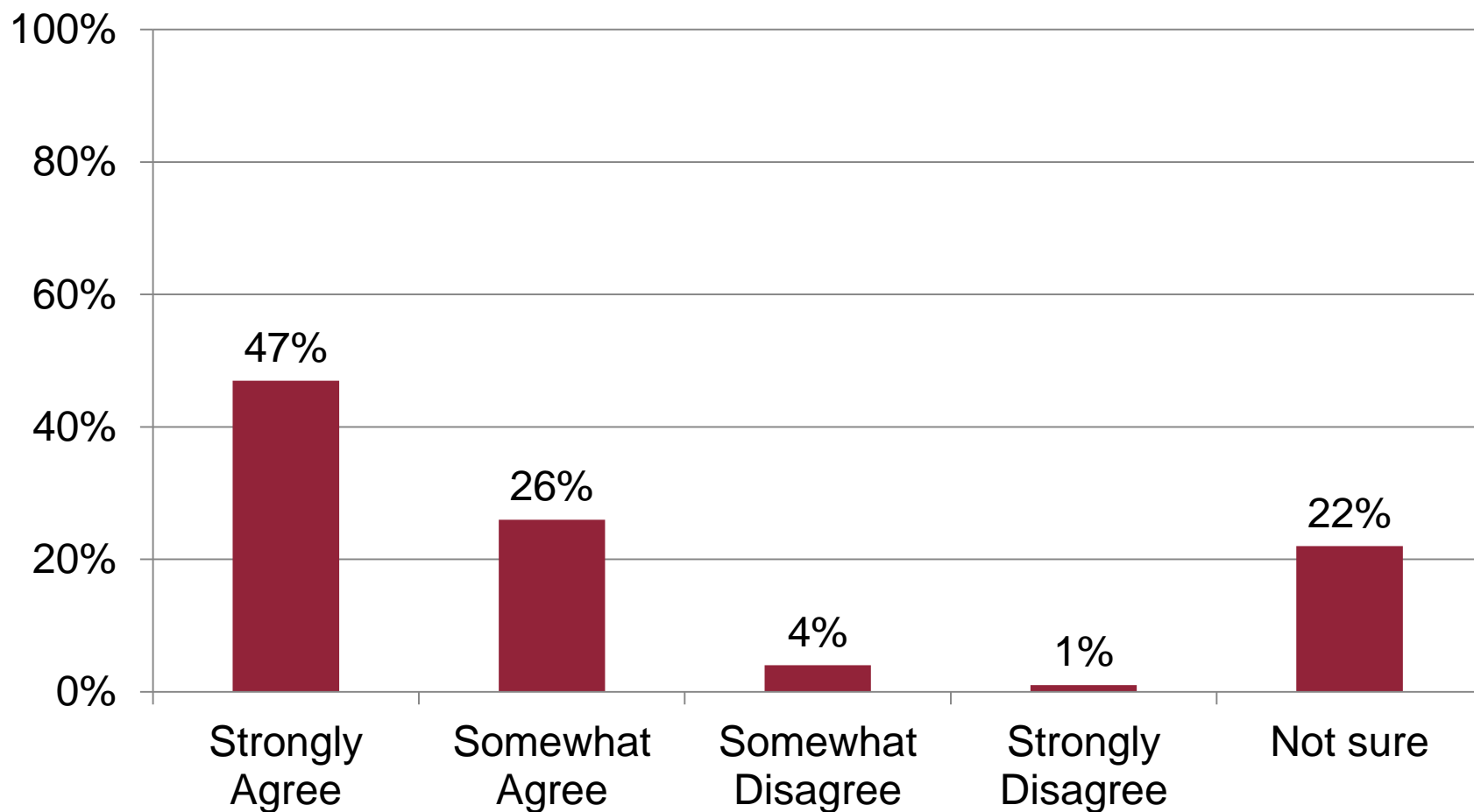


# 73% agree that Christians should support Israel's defense of itself from terrorist and foreign enemies

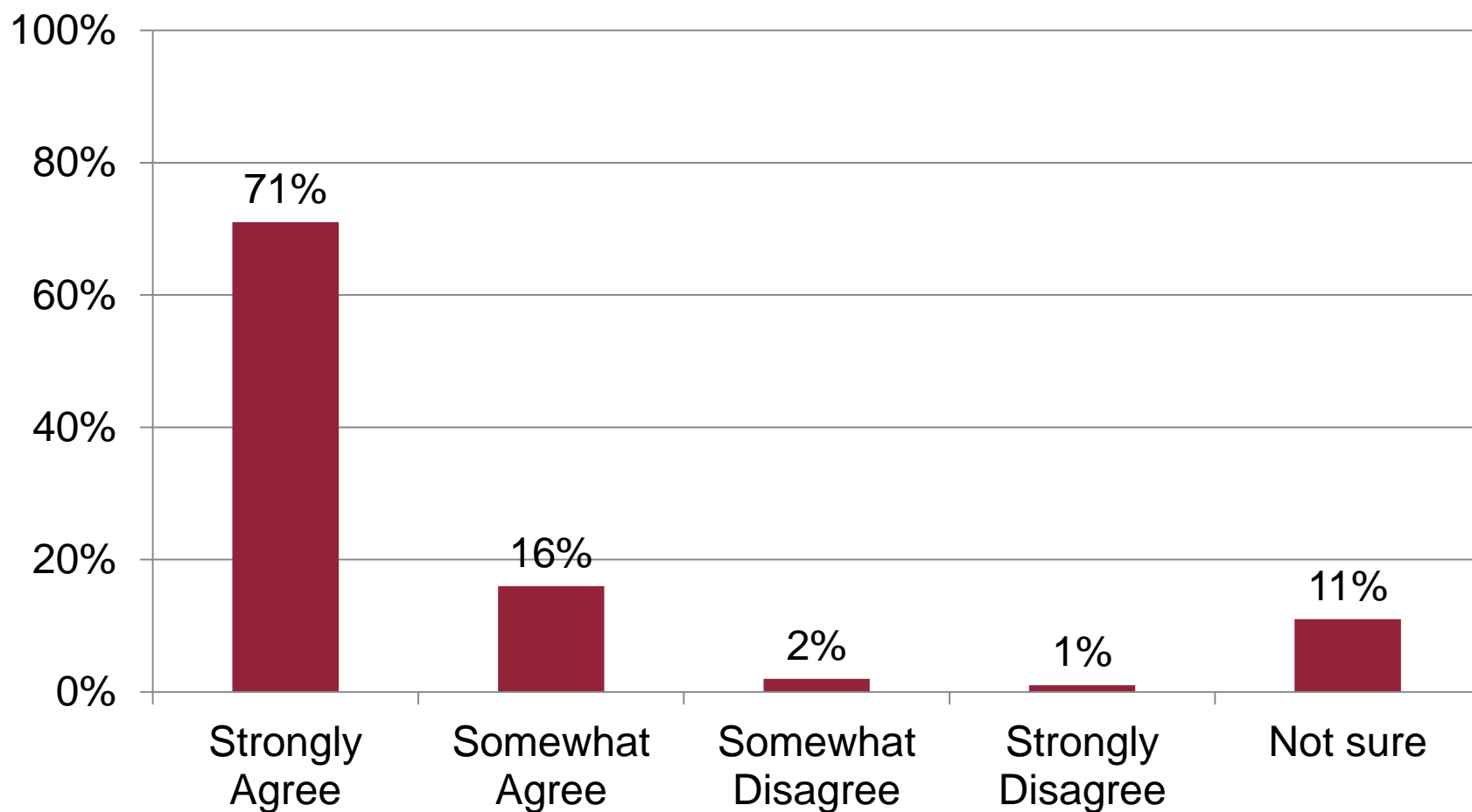


Q31: "Christians should support Israel's defense of itself from terrorists and foreign enemies." n=1972

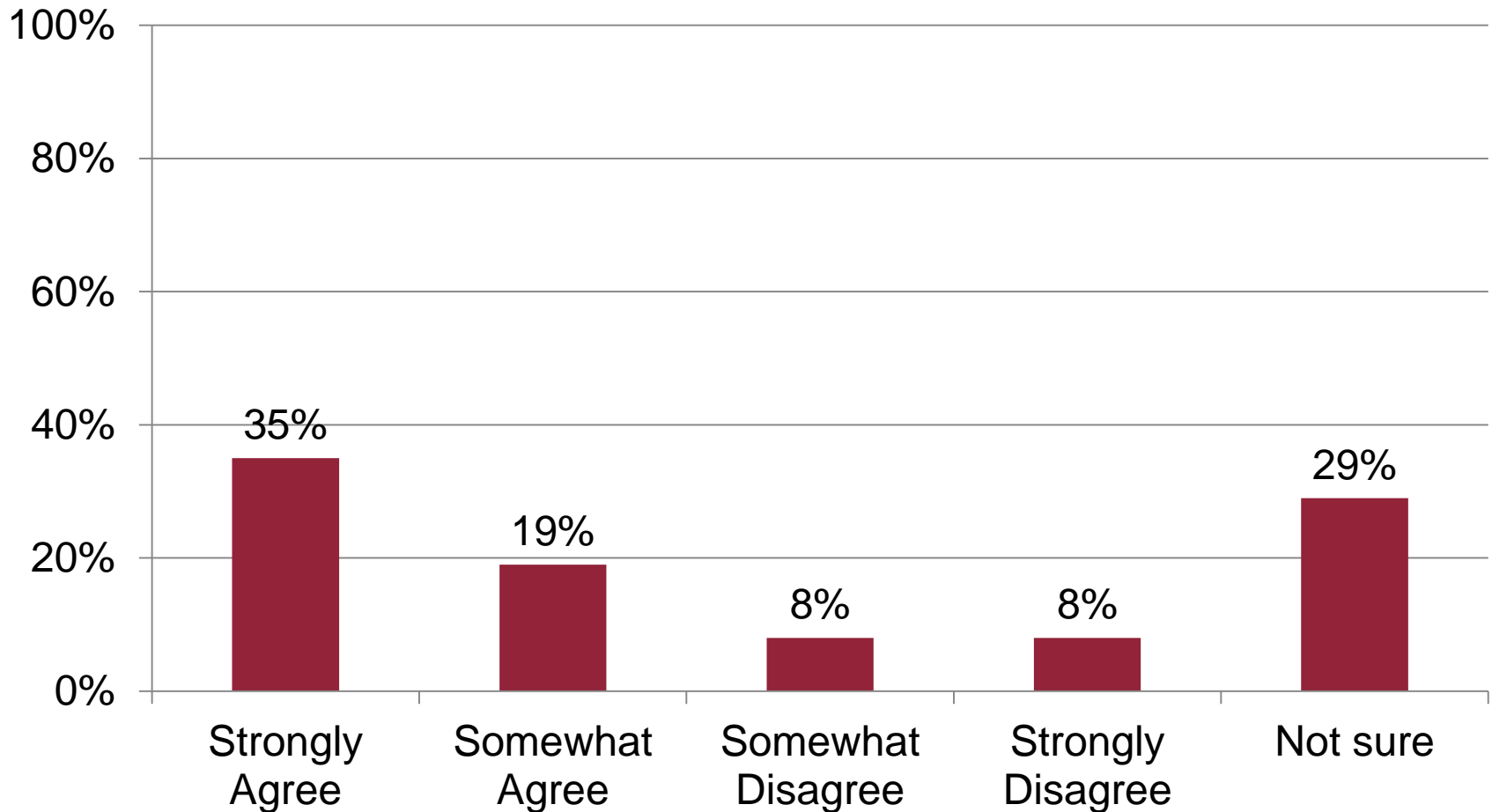
# 73% are concerned for the safety of Christians in areas controlled by the Palestinian Authority



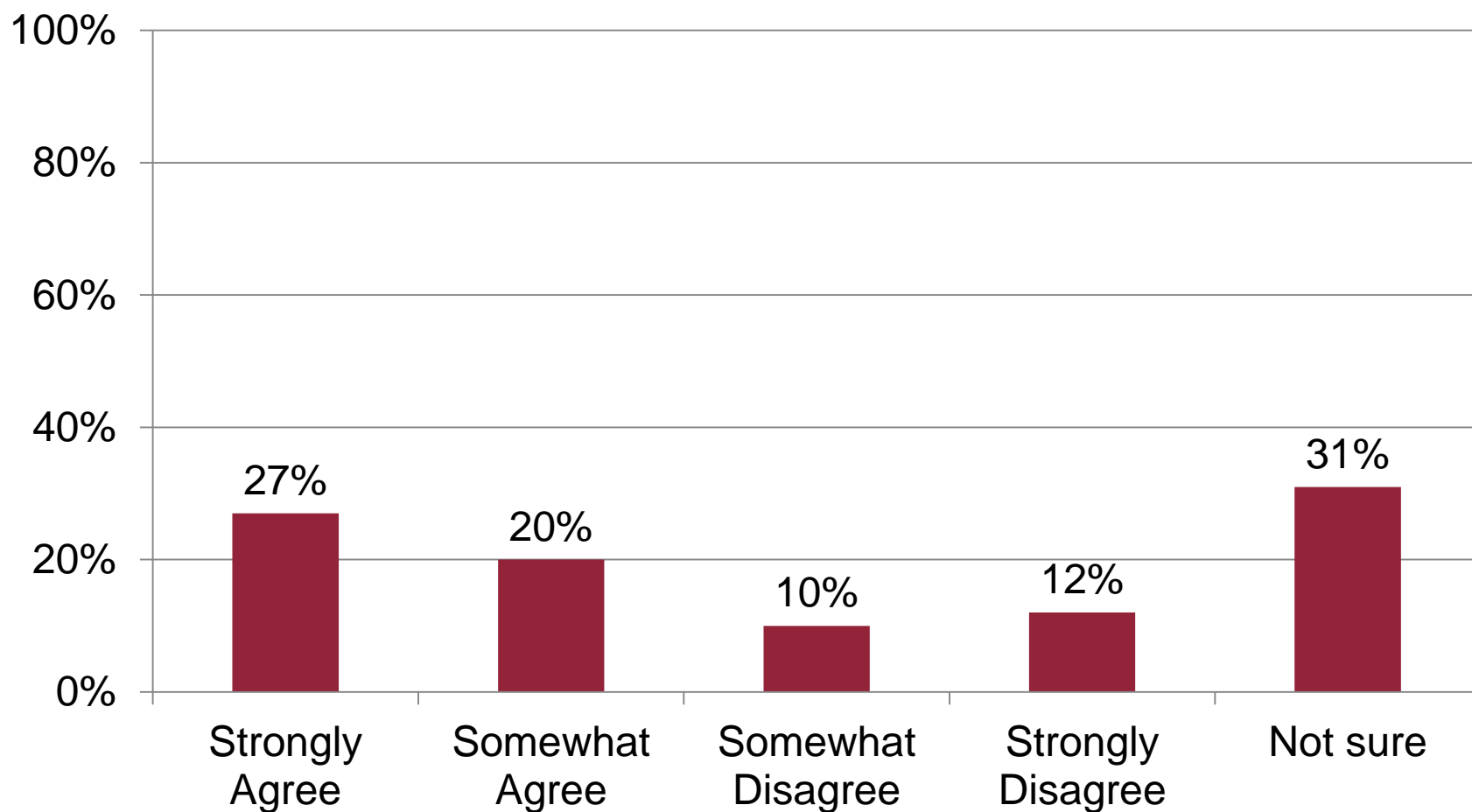
# 71% strongly agree that sharing the Gospel with Jewish people is important



# 55% agree that the Bible teaches that one day most or all Jewish people, alive at that time, will believe in Jesus



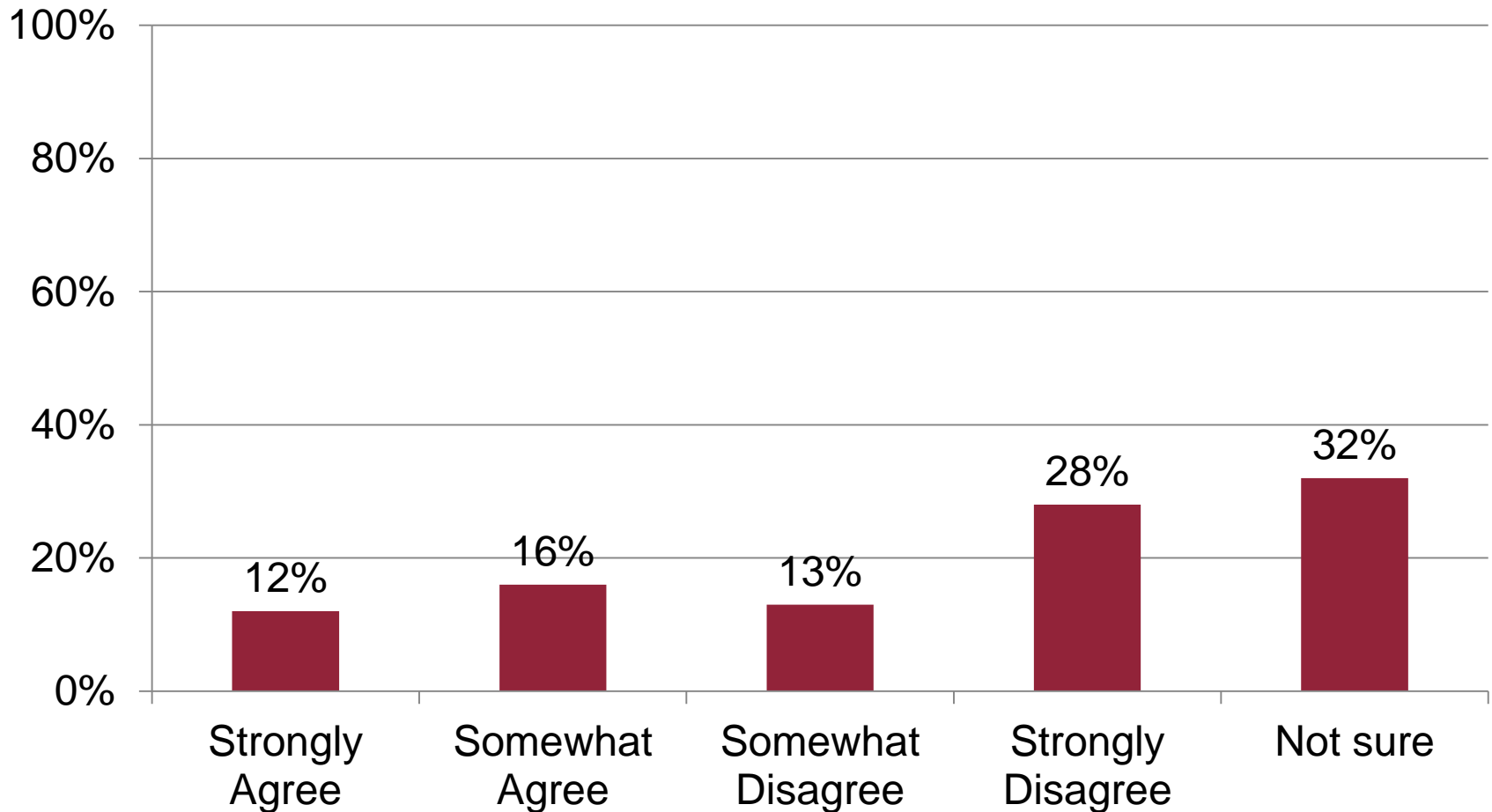
# 47% agree that Jesus will return when the Jewish people accept Jesus



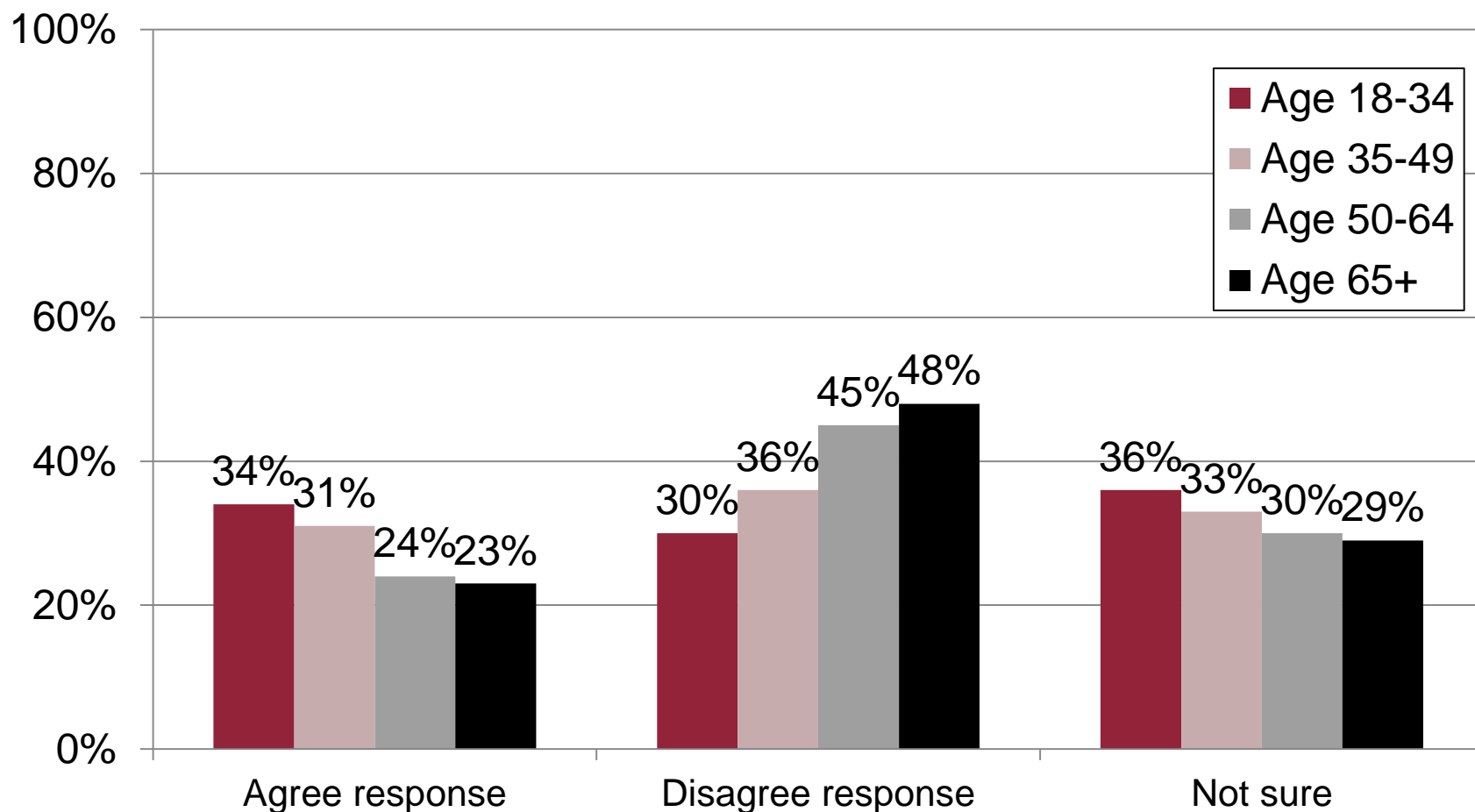
Q35: "Jewish people continue to be significant for the history of redemption as Jesus will return when the Jewish people accept Jesus." n=1956



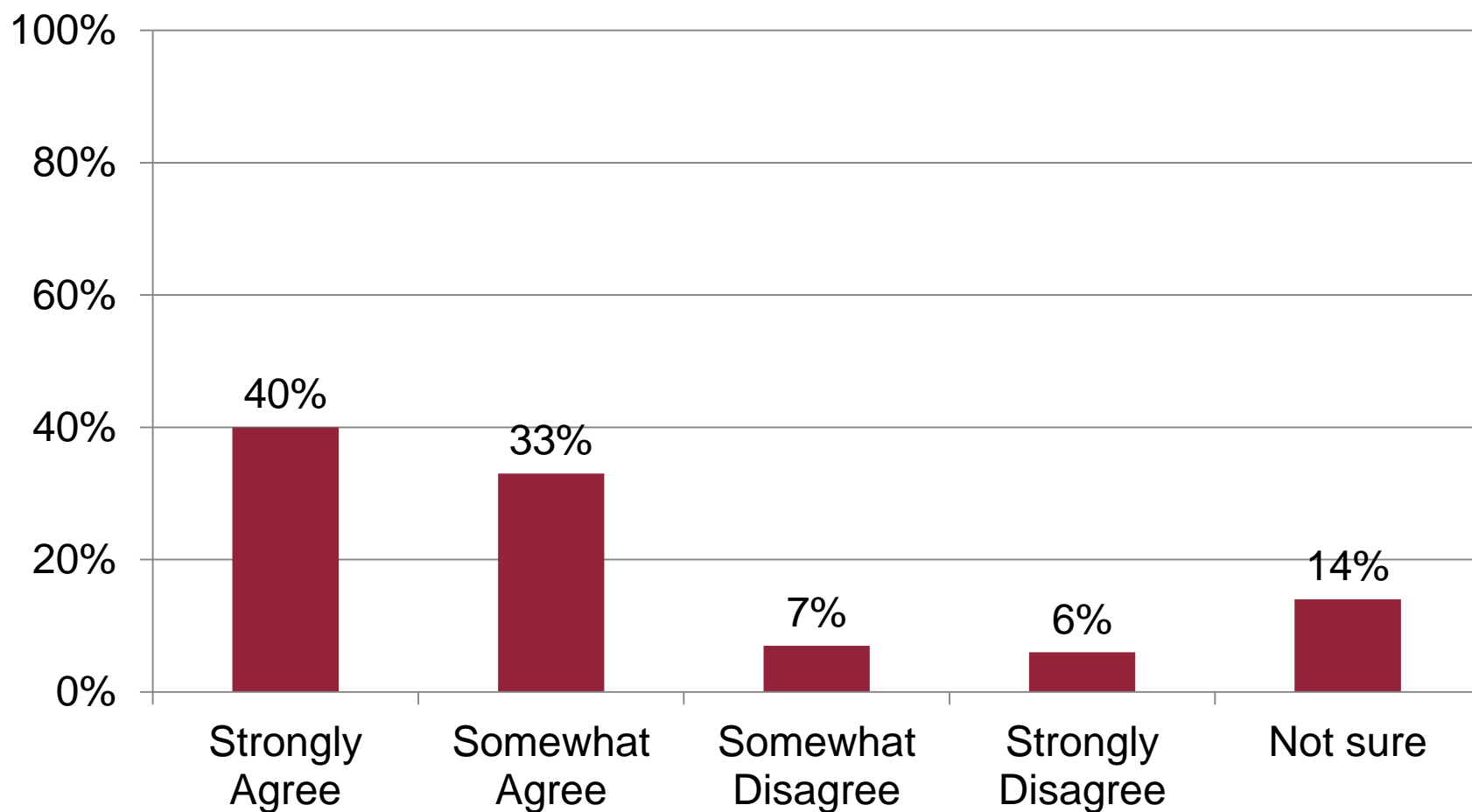
# 41% disagree that the Christian church has fulfilled or replaced the nation of Israel



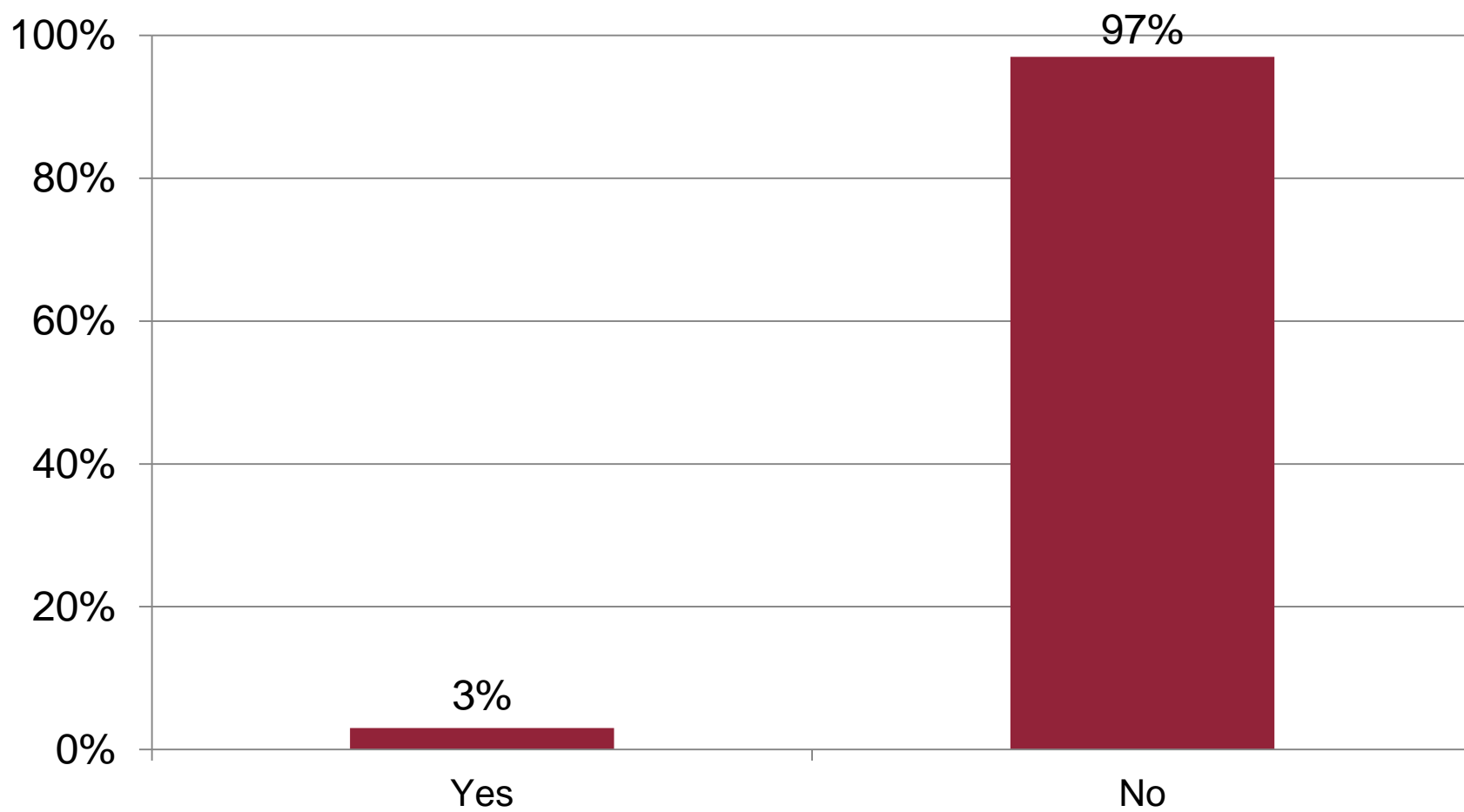
# Younger evangelicals are more likely to agree the Christian church has fulfilled or replaced the nation of Israel



# 72% wish they knew more about what the Bible teaches about Israel's future

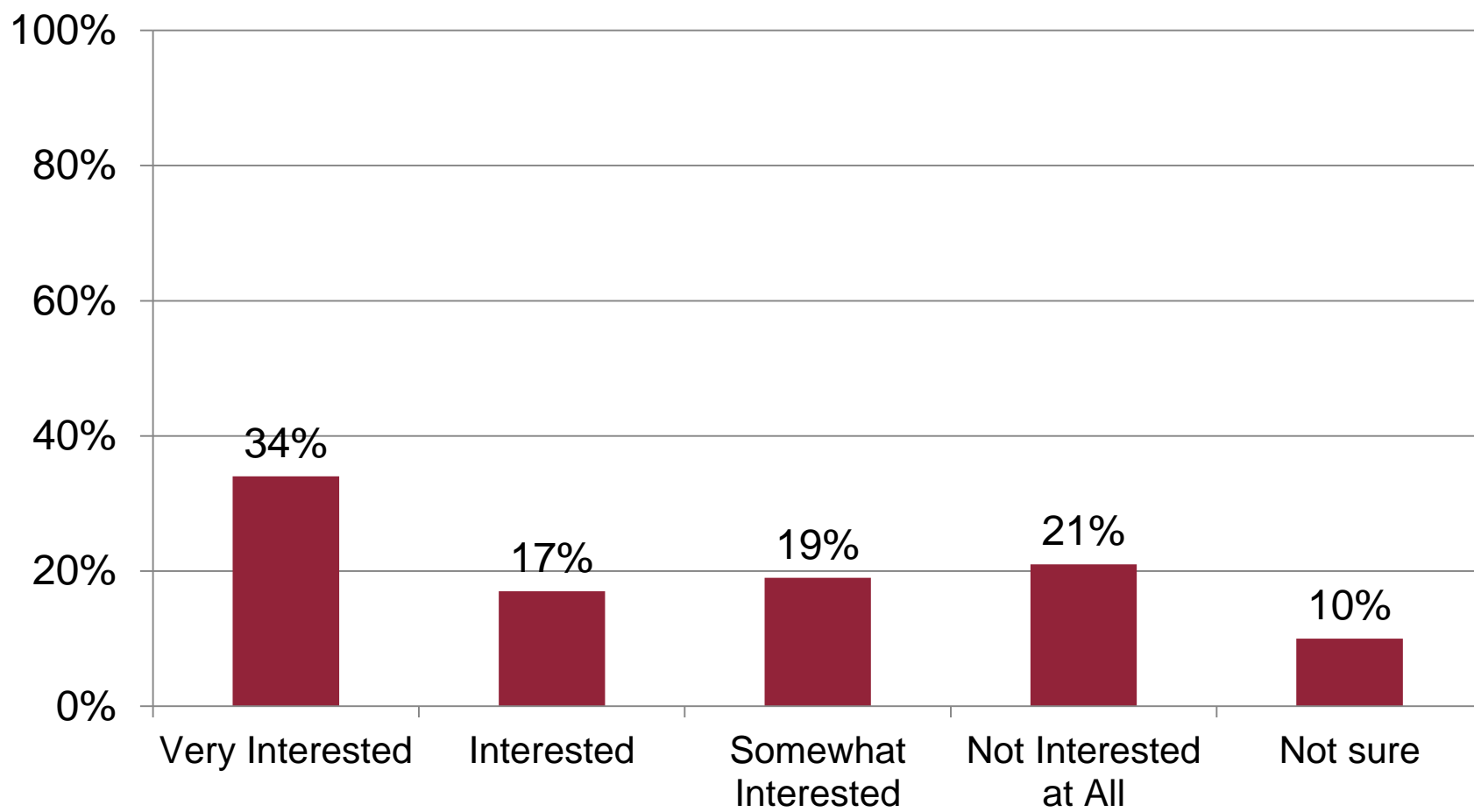


# 97% have not traveled to Israel



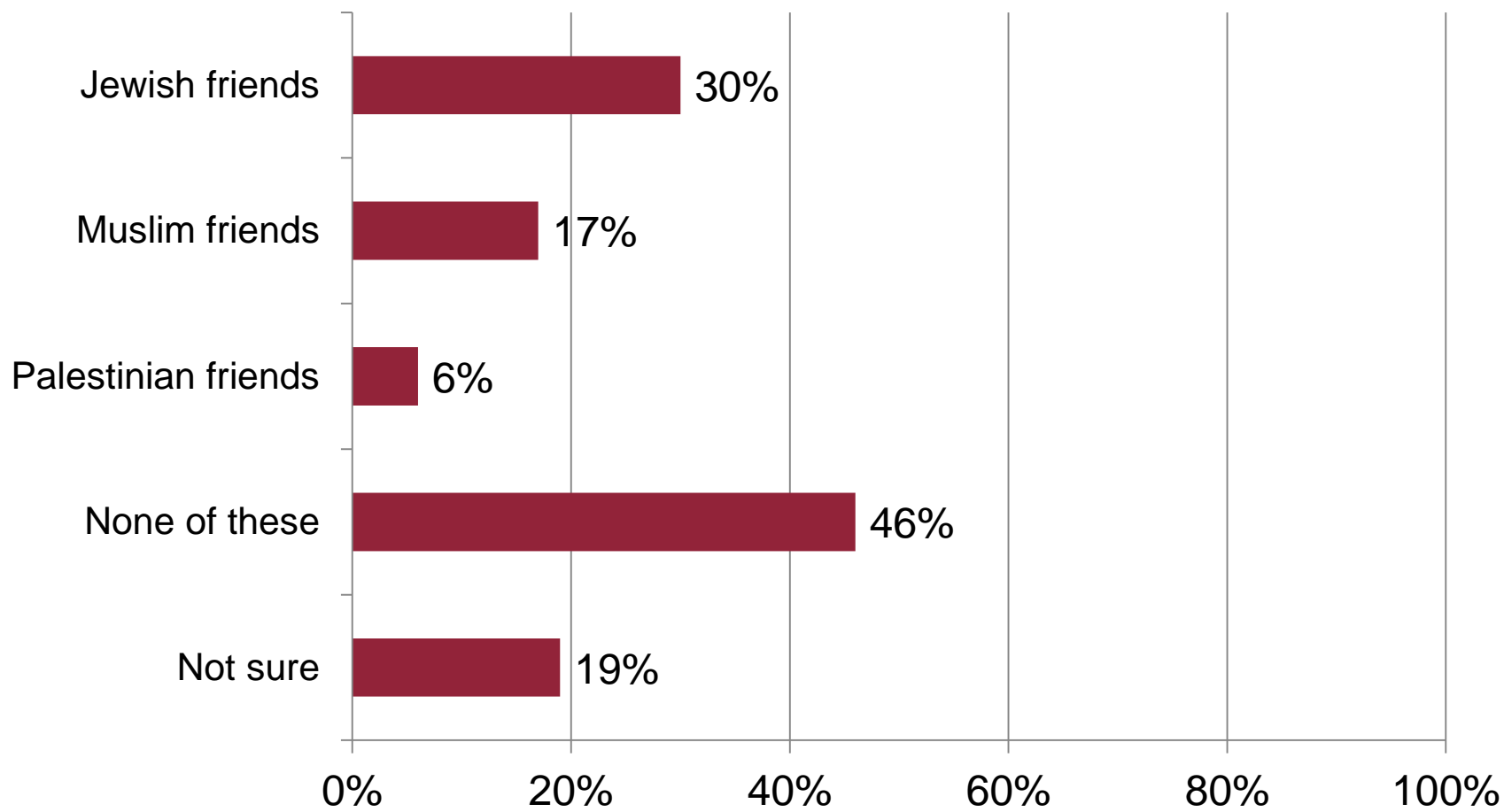
Q38: "Have you ever traveled to Israel?" n=1998

# 51% of those who have never been to Israel are interested or very interested in traveling to Israel

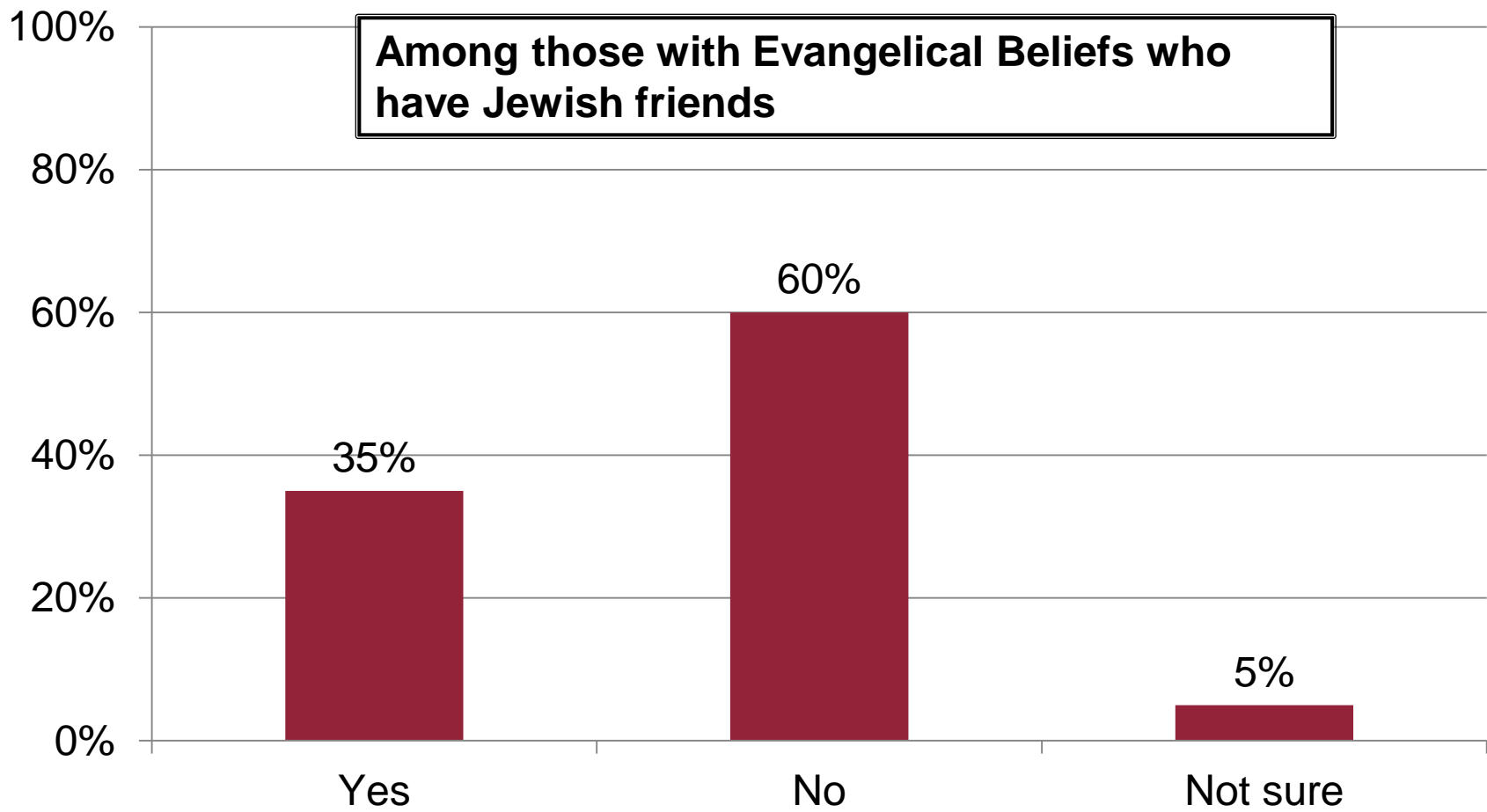


Q39: "How interested would you be to travel to Israel if it was financially possible?" Asked of those who have not traveled to Israel. n=1925

# 46% do not have Jewish, Muslim, or Palestinian friends

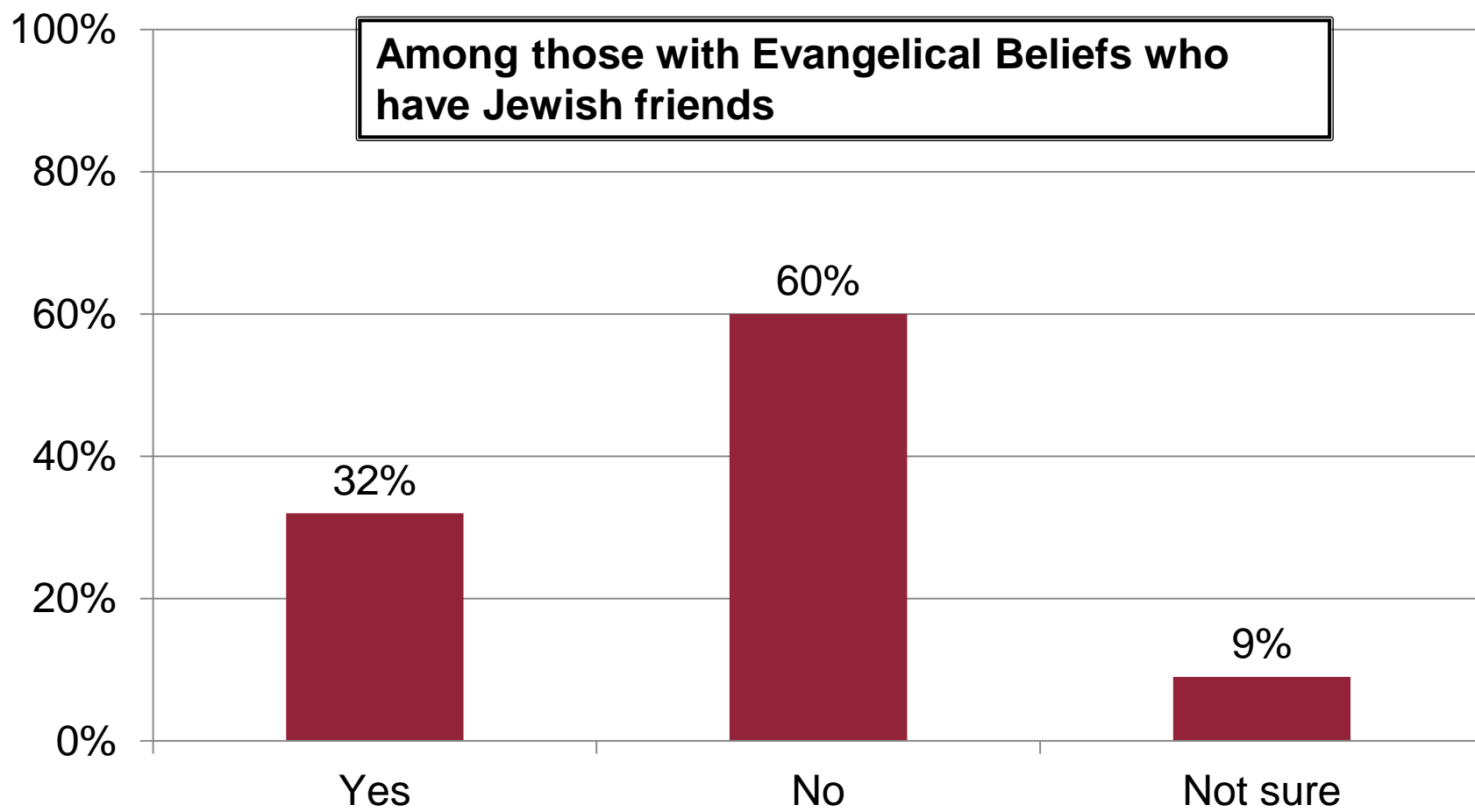


# 35% of those with Jewish friends have prayed for the salvation of their Jewish friends in the last week



Q41: "In the last week have you prayed for the salvation of your Jewish friend(s)?" Asked of those indicating they have Jewish friends in Q40. n=591

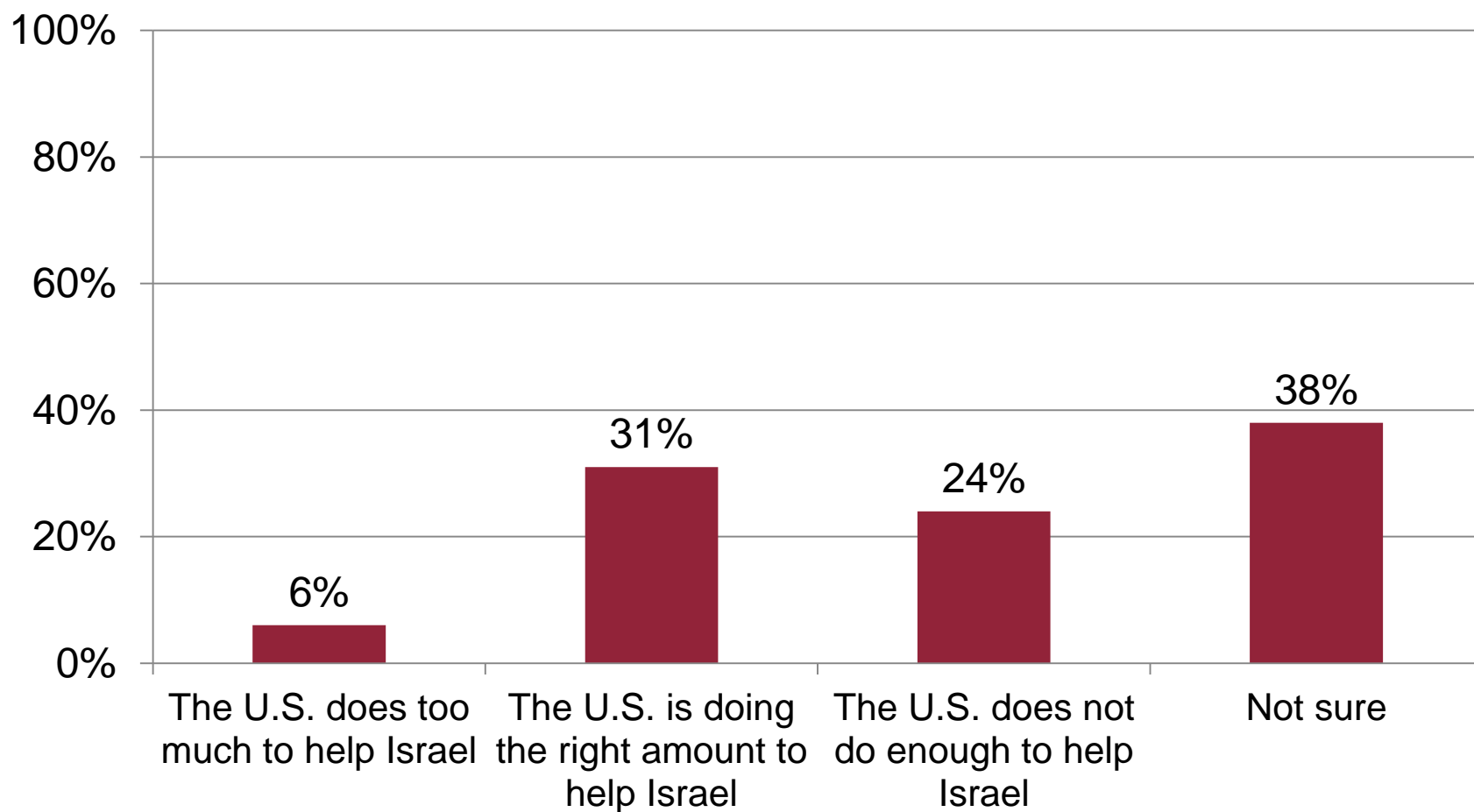
# 60% have not shared the Gospel with any of their Jewish friends in the last year



Q42: "In the last year have you shared the Gospel with any of your Jewish friends?" Asked of those indicating they have Jewish friends in Q40. n=588

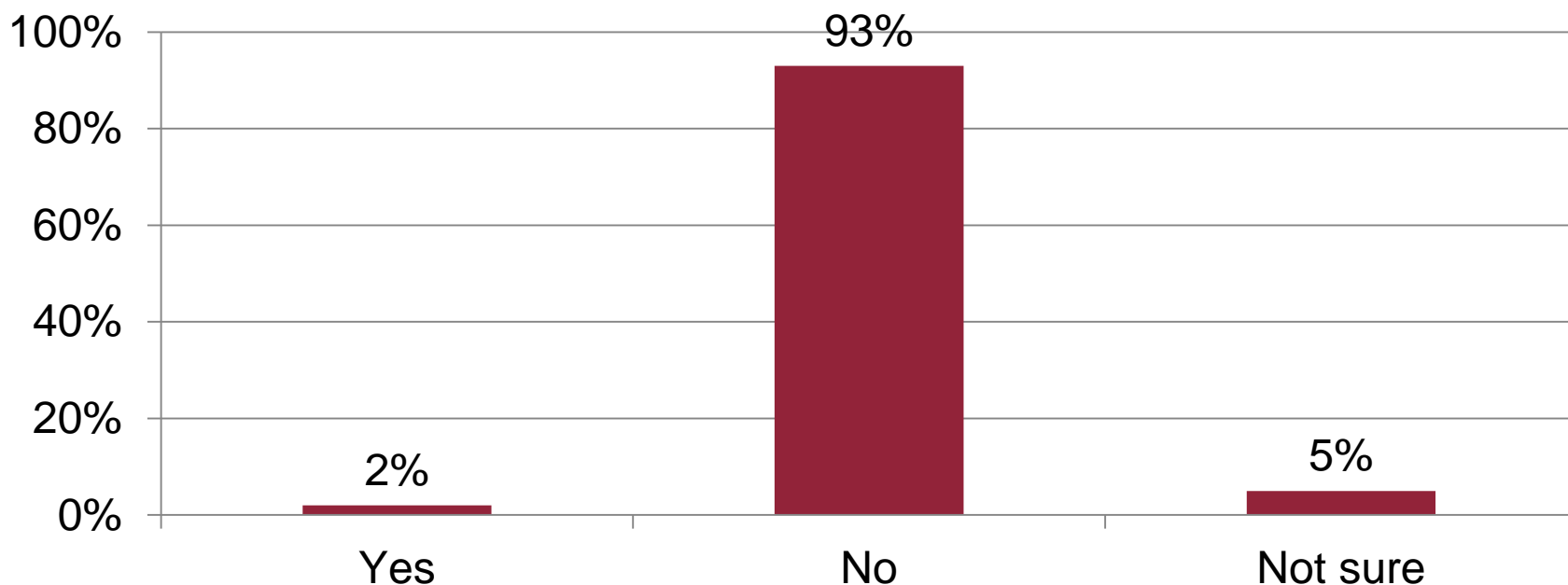


# 31% believe the U.S. does the right amount to help Israel



# Jewish Parents or Grandparents

- When applied to the entire population, this response provides an estimate of 870,771 adult Americans who have Evangelical Beliefs and self-report that they have at least one Jewish parent or grandparent



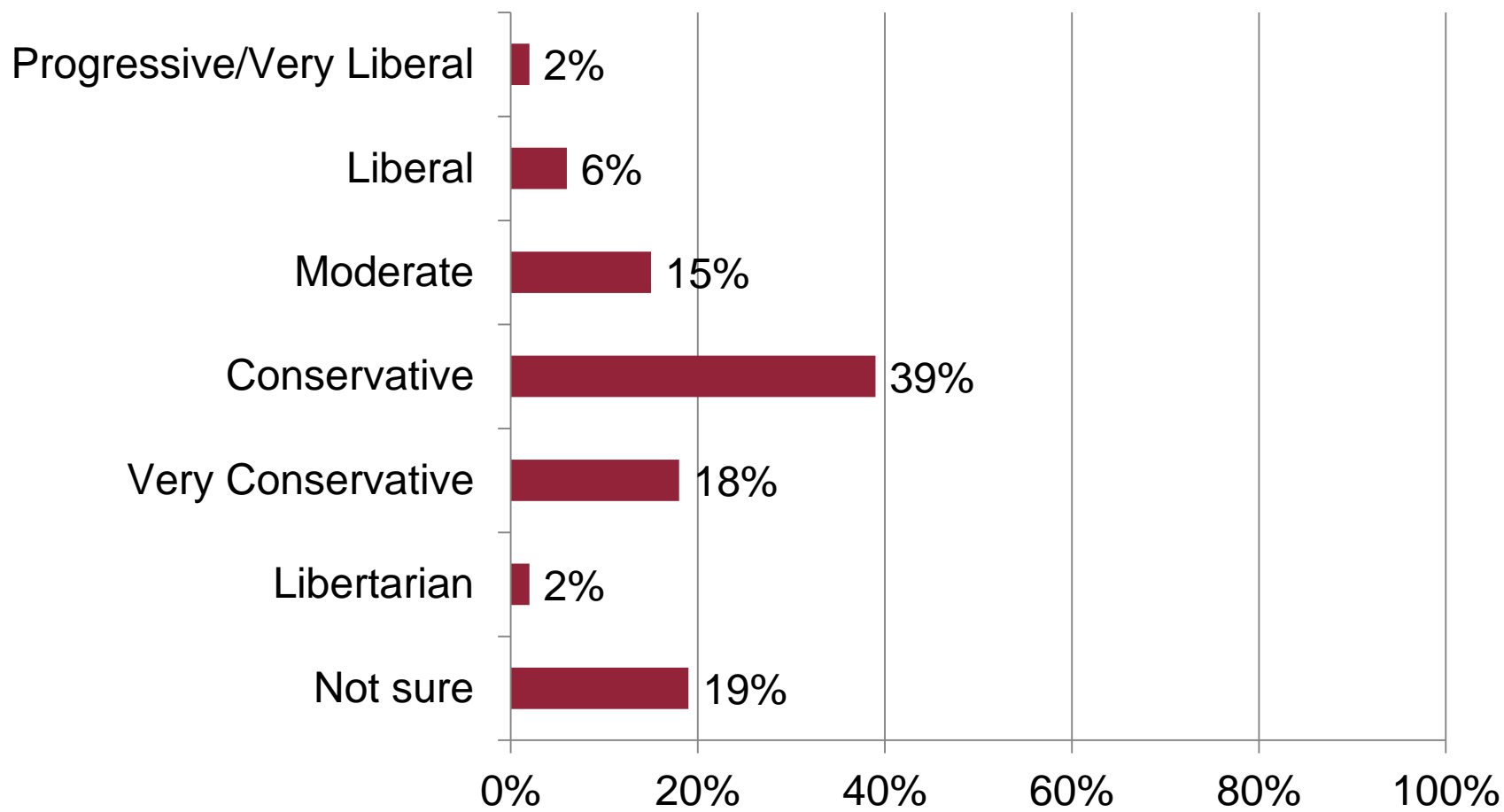
Q46: "Are one or more of your **parents** or **grandparents** Jewish?" n=1989

The sample provides 95% confidence that the estimated number of adult Americans with Evangelical Beliefs who self-report that they have at least one Jewish parent or grandparent is between 612,117 and 1,129,424.

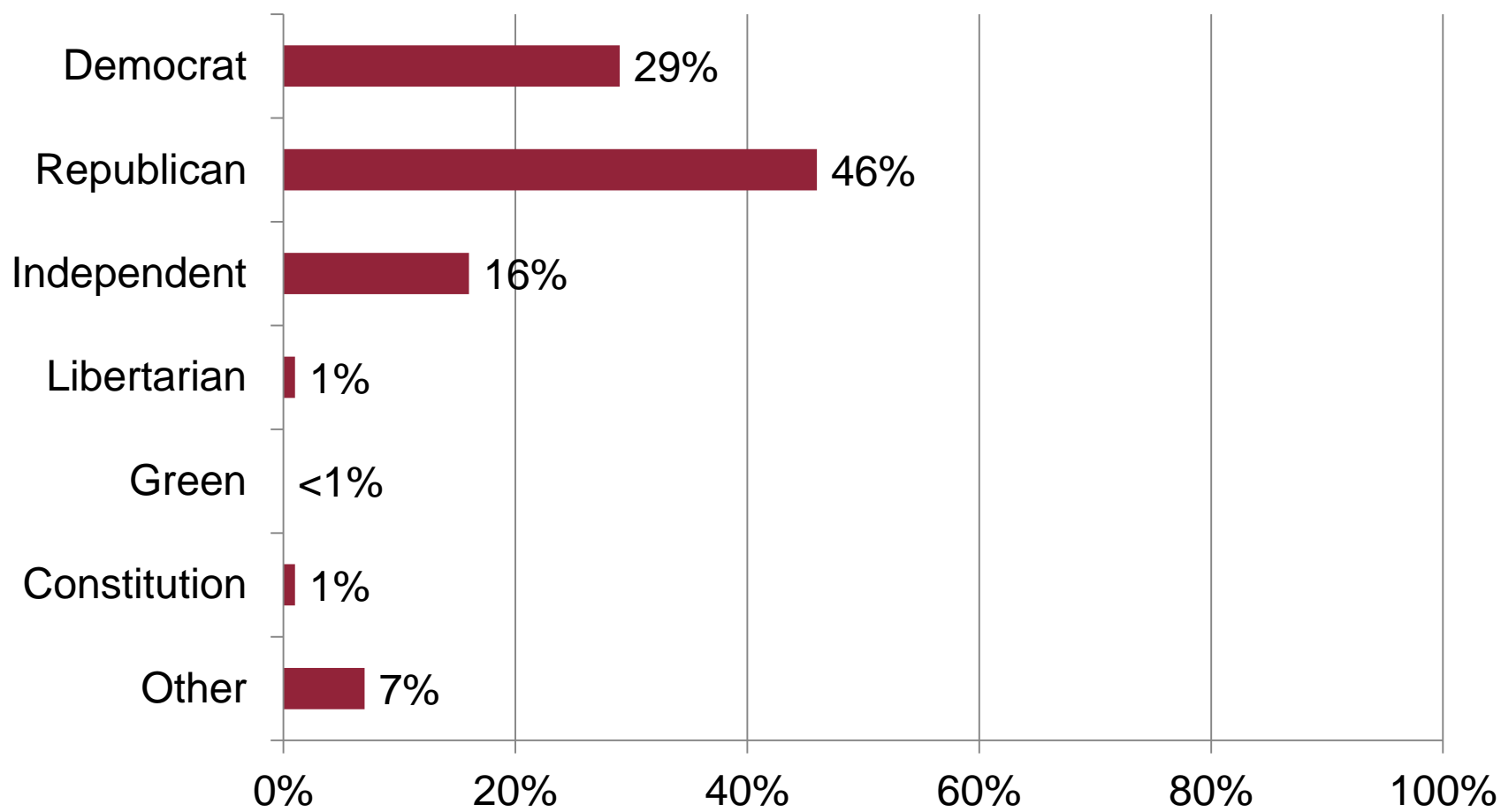
# Demographics

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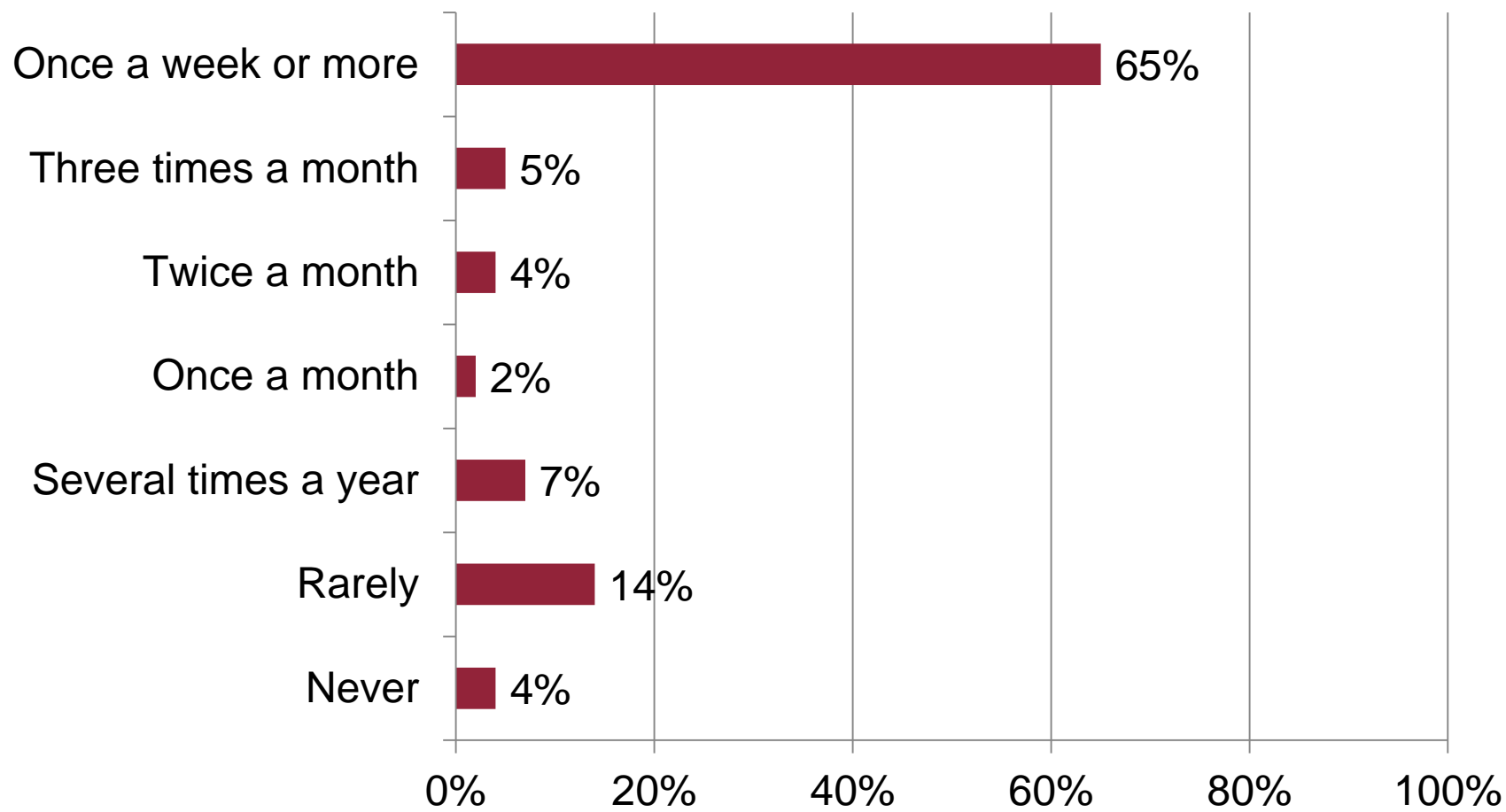
# Political ideology of participants



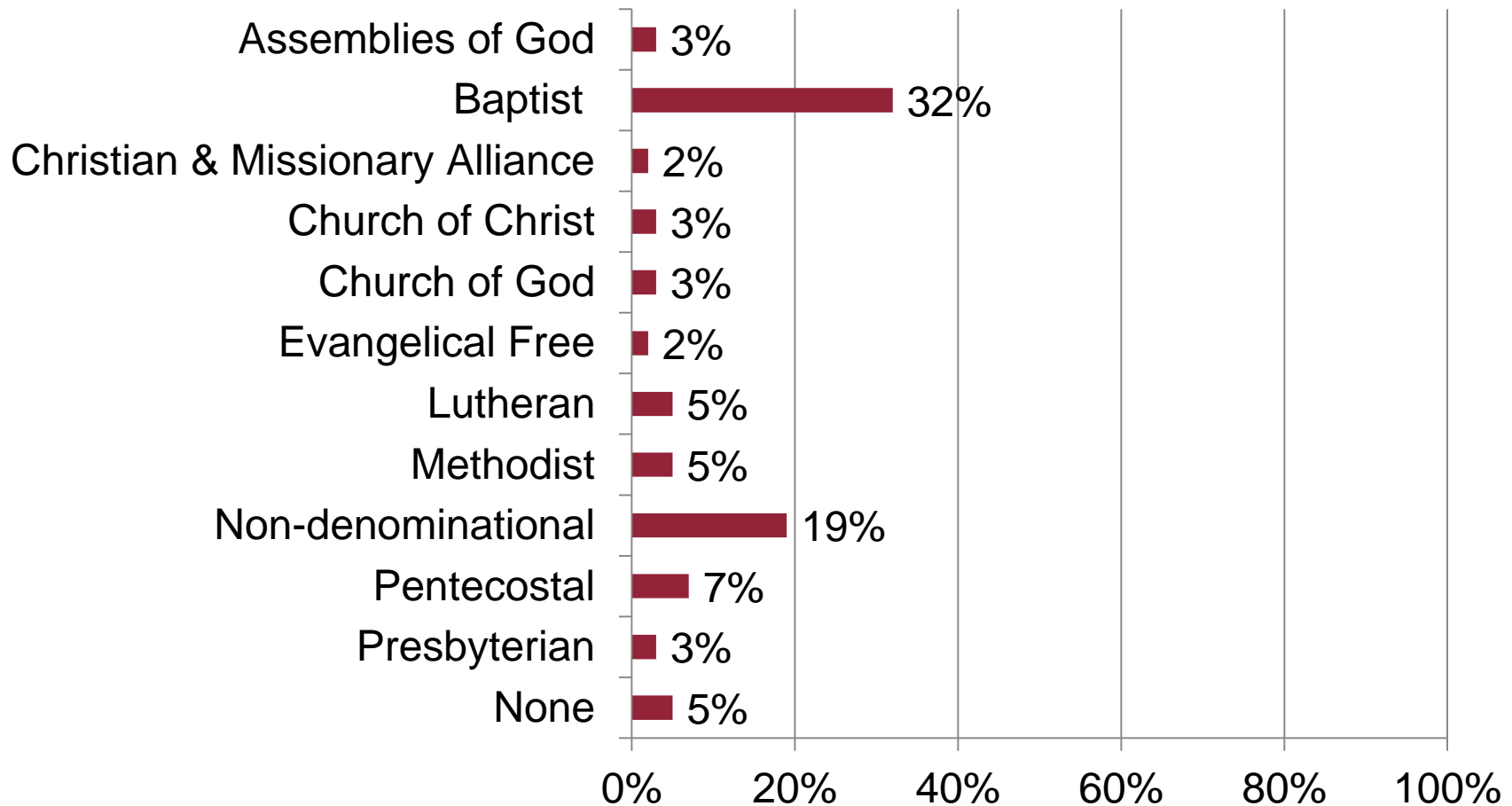
# Political affiliation of participants



# Worship service attendance



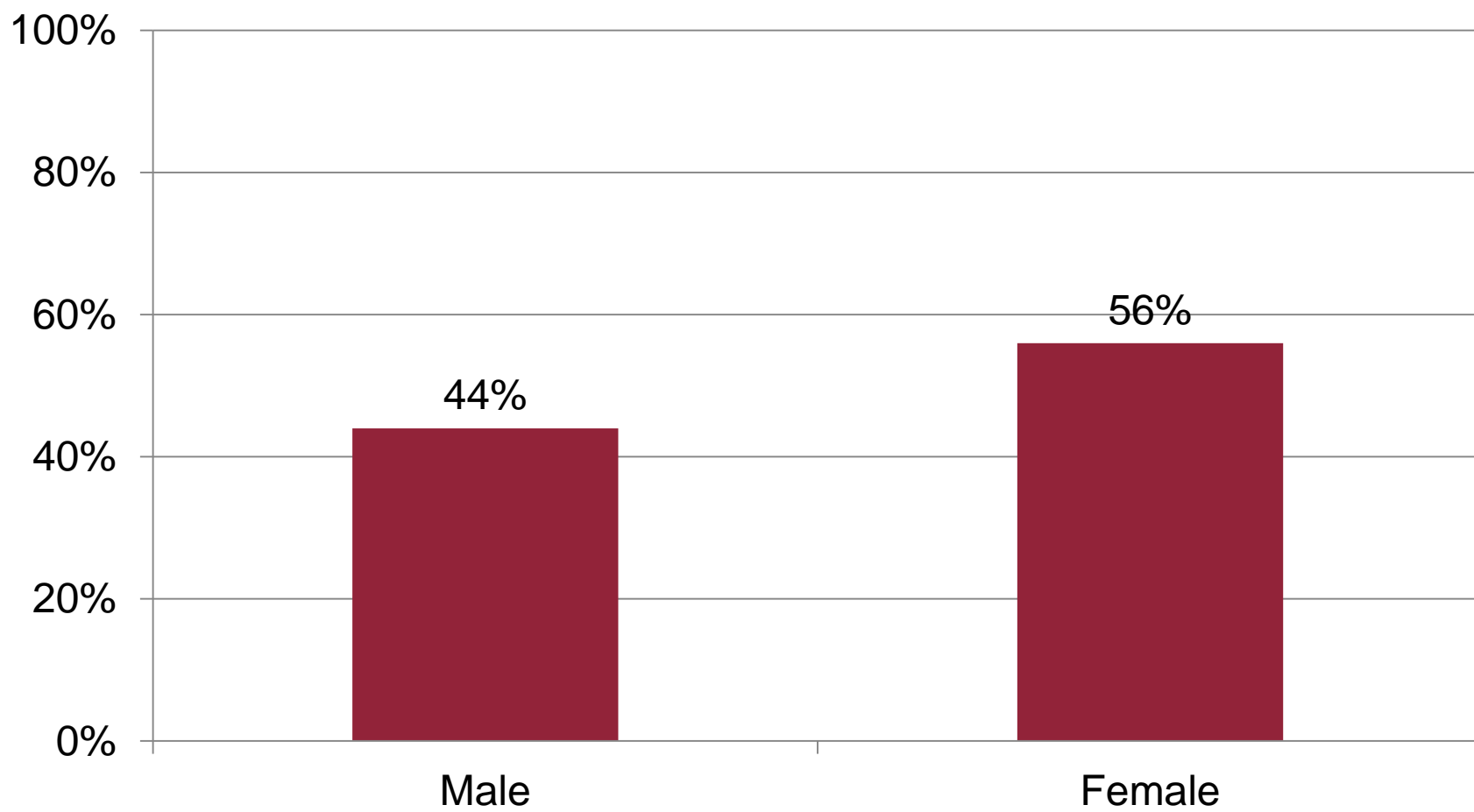
# Denomination of Protestant and non-denominational participants



Denominations receiving 1% or less: African Methodist Episcopal (AME), Anglican, Apostolic, Brethren, Calvary Chapel, Christian Methodist Episcopal, Congregational, Disciples of Christ, Episcopal, Evangelical Covenant Church, Foursquare Gospel, Mennonite, Messianic Jewish, Nazarene, Reformed, Seventh Day Adventist, Vineyard Church, Wesleyan, Other

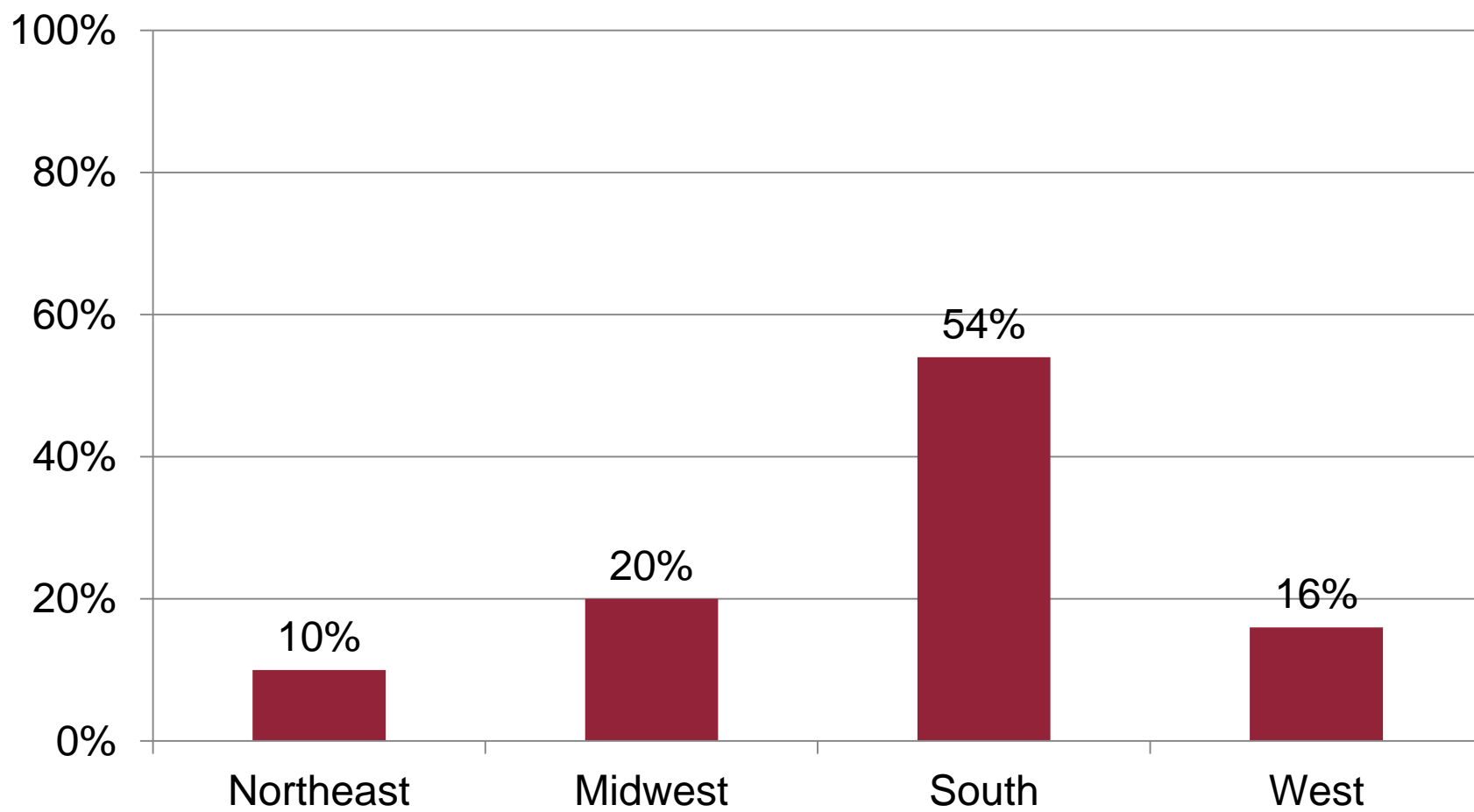
Q48: "What specific religious group or denomination type do you prefer?" n=1740

# Gender of participants

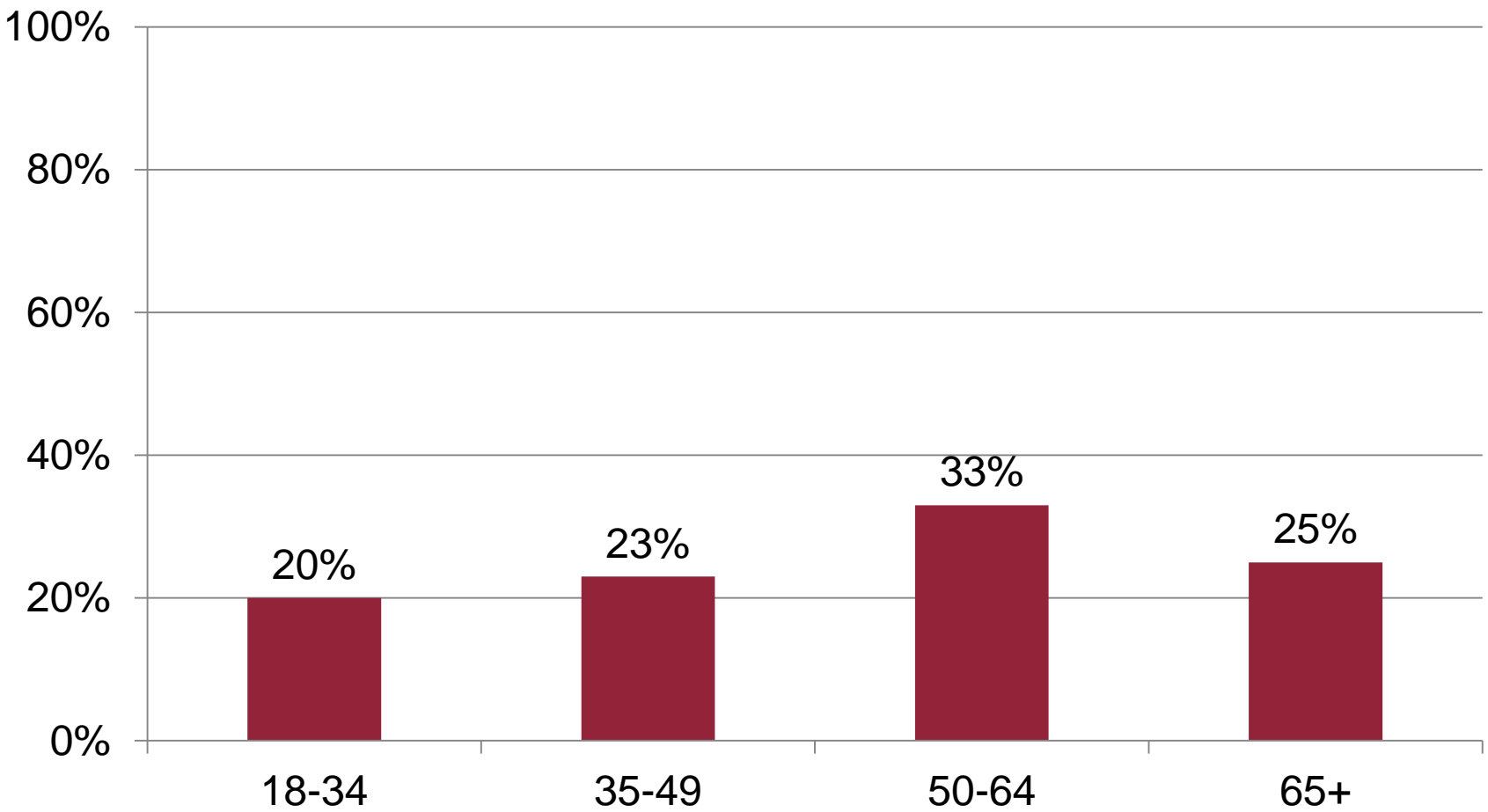




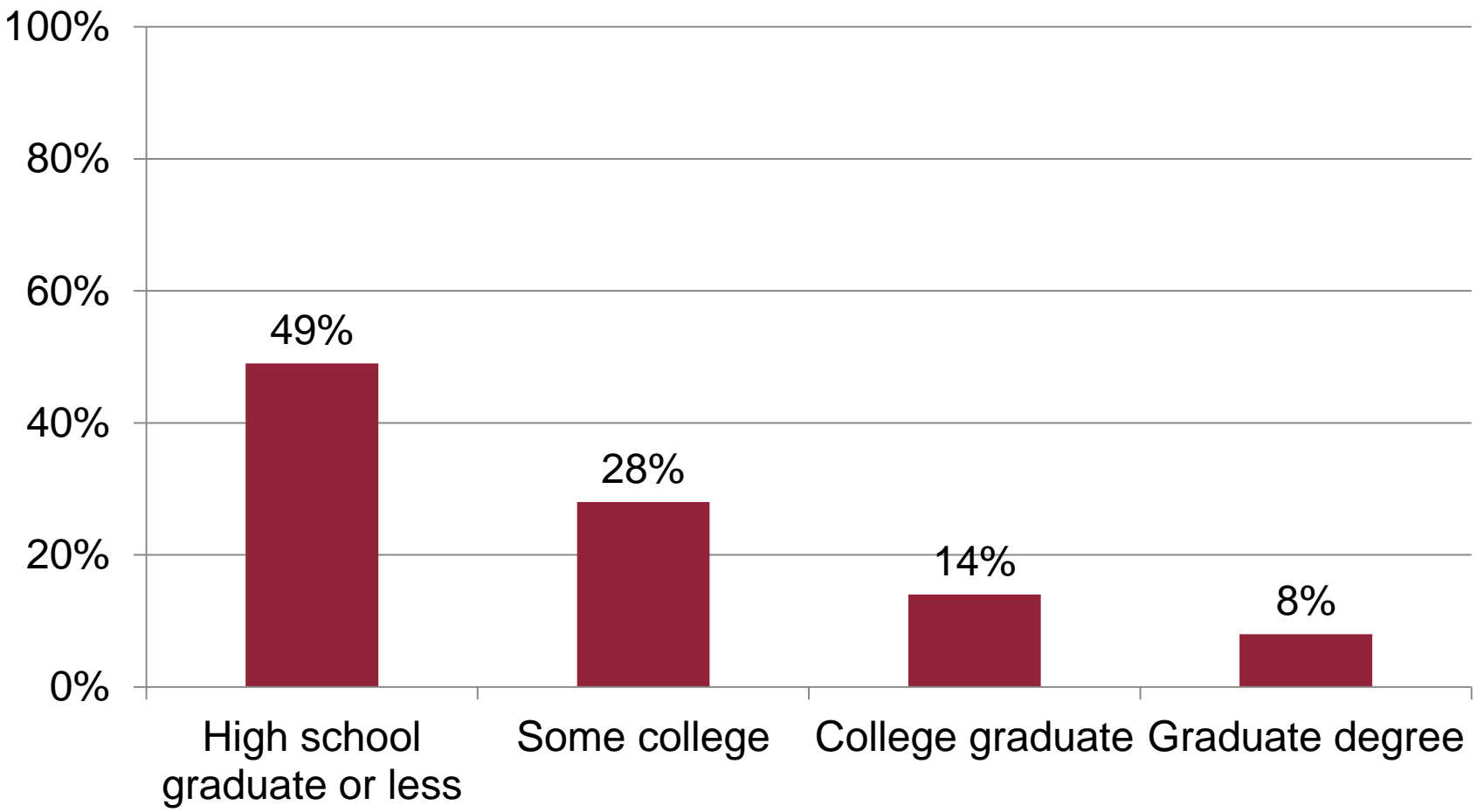
# Region of participants



# Age of participants



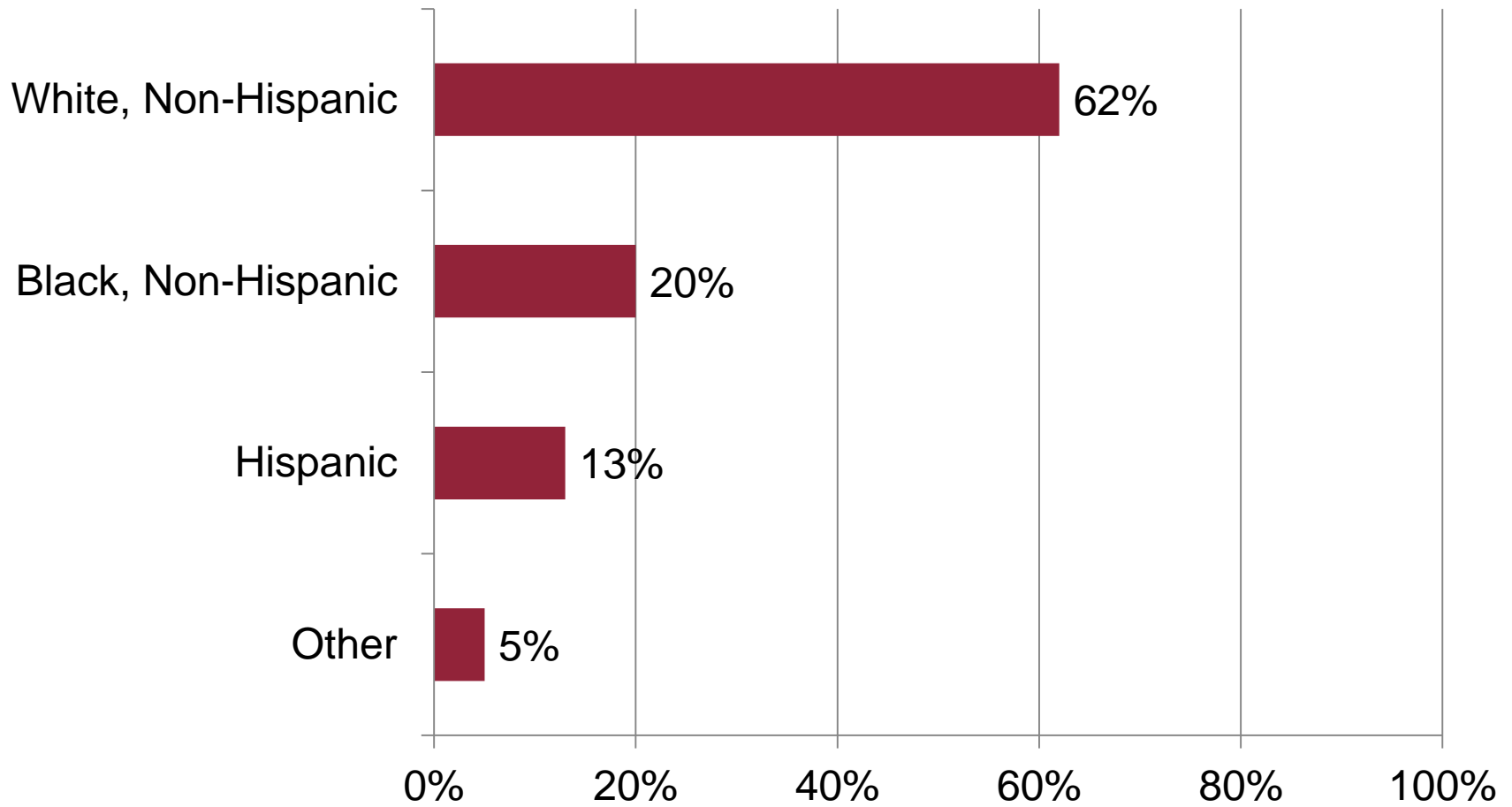
# Education level of participants



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# Ethnicity of participants

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# Significant Differences

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Gender  
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# Significant Statistical Differences

Comparisons were made to determine if there are any significant statistical differences among gender, region, age, ethnicity, and education.

| Gender | Region    | Age   | Ethnicity              | Education                       |
|--------|-----------|-------|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Male   | Northeast | 18-34 | White,<br>Non-Hispanic | High School graduate<br>or less |
| Female | Midwest   | 35-49 | Black,<br>Non-Hispanic | Some college                    |
|        | South     | 50-64 | Hispanic               | Bachelor's Degree               |
|        | West      | 45-54 | Other<br>Ethnicities   | Graduate Degree                 |
|        |           | 65+   |                        |                                 |

Note: Region is defined by US Census locations

# “Overall what is your perception of the country of Israel today?”

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- Males (76%) are more likely to select “Positive” than females (61%)
- Those in the South (69%) and West (72%) are more likely to select “Positive” than those in the Northeast (61%) and Midwest (61%)
- Those age 65+ are the most likely age group to select “Positive” (76%)
- Black , Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to select “Positive” (50%)
- Those who have a Bachelor’s (75%) or a Graduate Degree (76%) are more likely to select “Positive” than those who are high school graduates or less (64%) or have some college (67%)

# “Which of the following have influenced your opinions about Israel?”

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## The media

- Those age 65+ are the least likely age group to select (22%)
- Those with some college (29%) or a Bachelor’s Degree (35%) are more likely to select than those who are high school graduates or less (24%)

## Friends and family

- Those age 18-34 are the most likely age group to select (26%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to select (5%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s Degree are most likely education group to select (32%)

## Positions of elected officials

- Those age 50-64 (9%) and 65+ (9%) are more likely to select than those 18-34 (4%)



# “Which of the following have influenced your opinions about Israel?” (continued)

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## Your local church

- Those age 35-49 are the least likely age group to select (18%)
- Black , Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to select (13%)

## The Bible

- Those in the South (58%) and West (60%) are more likely to select than those in the Northeast (48%) and Midwest (50%)
- Those age 65+ are the most likely age group to select (65%), followed by those age 50-64 (58%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (60%) and Hispanics (55%) are more likely to select than Black, Non-Hispanics (45%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s Degree (64%) are more likely to select than those who are high school graduates or less (52%) or with some college (56%)

## National Christian leaders

- Those age 35-49 are the least likely age group to select (10%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (18%) are more likely to select than Black, Non-Hispanics (9%) and Hispanics (13%)

# “Which of the following have influenced your opinions about Israel?” (continued)

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## Personal experiences with Jewish people

- Those age 65+ (13%) are more likely to select than those 18-34 (8%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to select (6%), followed by those with some college (10%)

## Personal experiences with Muslim people

- Those age 18-34 (5%) are more likely to select than those 50-64 (2%) and 65+ (2%)

## Teachers or professors

- No significant differences

# “Which one of the following has influenced your opinions about Israel the most?”

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- Those age 65+ are the least likely age group to select “The media” (11%)
- Those age 50-64 (49%) and 65+ (56%) are more likely age group to select “The Bible” than those 18-34 (35%) and 35-49 (39%)
- Hispanics (20%) and Other Ethnicities (24%) are more likely to select “The media” than White, Non-Hispanics (12%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (49%) are more likely to select “The Bible” than Black, Non-Hispanics (36%) and Hispanics (42%)

# “Palestinian people have a historic right to the land of Israel.”

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- Males (53%) are more likely to Disagree than females (41%)
- Those in the West are most likely to Disagree (58%)
- Those age 50-64 (48%) and 65+ (53%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (41%) and 35-49 (41%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (53%) and Other Ethnicities (58%) are more likely to Disagree than Black, Non-Hispanics (28%) and Hispanics (40%)
- Those with a Bachelor's Degree (53%) or a Graduate degree (54%) are more likely to Disagree than those who are high school graduates or less (44%) or with some college (45%)

# “Jewish people have a historic right to the land of Israel.”

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- Males (74%) are more likely to agree than females (66%)
- Westerners (75%) are more likely to agree than Midwesterners (67%) and Southerners (68%)
- Those age 50-64 (72%) and 65+ (80%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (61%) and 35-49 (62%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (54%)

# “Jewish people have a biblical right to the land of Israel, but also have a responsibility to share the land with Palestinian Arabs.”

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- Those age 65+ (48%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (37%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (38%)
- Those with a Graduate Degree (49%) are more likely to Agree than those who are high school graduates or less (40%) or with some college (39%)

## “Which of the following statements best represents your personal views?”

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- Females (39%) are more likely to select “I have no strong views about the State of Israel” than males (25%)
- Those in the West (49%) are more likely to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel but don’t feel the need to support everything Israel does” than those in the Northeast (38%) and South (39%)
- Those age 65+ (29%) are more likely to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel no matter what Israel does” than those 18-34 (22%) and 35-49 (22%)
- Those age 65+ are the most likely age group to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel but don’t feel the need to support everything Israel does” (48%)
- Those age 18-34 (41%) are more likely to select “I have no strong views about the State of Israel” than those 50-64 (33%) and 65+ (22%)

## “Which of the following statements best represents your personal views?” (continued)

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- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least ethnic group likely to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel no matter what Israel does” (14%) and the most likely to select “I have no strong views about the State of Israel” (52%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (46%) are more likely to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel but don’t feel the need to support everything Israel does” than Black, Non-Hispanics (32%) and Hispanics (38%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s (57%) or a Graduate Degree (56%) are more likely to select “I support the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel but don’t feel the need to support everything Israel does” than those who are high school graduates or less (34%) or with some college (43%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the most likely education group to select “I have no strong views about the State of Israel” (39%)



# “Which of the following reasons, if any, contribute to your support for the modern State of Israel?”

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## Every nation has a right to exist

- Those in the Northeast (58%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those in the South (46%)
- Those age 18-34 (54%) and 50-64 (51%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those 35-49 (43%)
- Hispanics (58%) and Other Ethnicities (59%) are more likely to select “Yes” than White, Non-Hispanics (46%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s (53%) or a Graduate Degree (55%) are more likely to select than those who are high school graduates or less (45%)

## Jesus was a Jewish person

- Those age 35-49 are the least likely age group to select “Yes” (28%)
- Hispanics (43%) are more likely to select “Yes” than White, Non-Hispanics (33%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the most likely education group to select “Yes” (41%)

# “Which of the following reasons, if any, contribute to your support for the modern State of Israel?” (continued)

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## Israel is the historic Jewish homeland

- Those in the West (67%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those in the Northeast (56%) and South (58%)
- Those age 35-49 are the least likely age group to select (50%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (62%) and Other Ethnicities (72%) are more likely to select “Yes” than Black, Non-Hispanics (48%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s Degree (69%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those who are high school graduates or less (56%) or have a Graduate Degree (58%)

## Israel is the United States’ closest ally in an unstable region

- Males (50%) are more likely to select “Yes” than females (36%)
- Those age 65+ (49%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those 35-49 (39%) and 50-64 (41%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to select “Yes” (27%), followed by Hispanics (37%)
- Those with a Bachelor’s Degree (49%) or a Graduate Degree (49%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those who are high school graduates or less (40%)

# “Which of the following reasons, if any, contribute to your support for the modern State of Israel?” (continued)

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## **The Bible says Christians should support Israel**

- Those age 18-34 (45%) and 50-64 (47%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those 35-49 (37%)
- Other Ethnicities (51%) are more likely to select “Yes” than Black, Non-Hispanics (36%) and Hispanics (38%)

## **The Bible says God gave the land of Israel to the Jewish people**

- Those age 50-64 (66%) and 65+ (68%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those 35-49 (55%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (66%) and Other Ethnicities (68%) are more likely to select “Yes” than Black, Non-Hispanics (52%)

## **Israel is important for fulfilling biblical prophecy**

- Those age 65+ (60%) are more likely to select “Yes” than those 18-34 (47%) and 35-49 (42%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (53%) and Other Ethnicities (61%) are more likely to select “Yes” than Black, Non-Hispanics (43%)

# “Which of the following reasons is the most important reason for your support for the modern State of Israel?”

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- Those in the Northeast are most likely to select “Every nation has a right to exist” (30%)
- Those in the South (35%) and West (37%) are more likely to select “The Bible says God gave the land of Israel to the Jewish people” than those in the Midwest (26%)
- Those age 35-49 (20%) are more likely to select “Every nation has a right to exist” than those 65+ (13%)
- Those age 18-34 are the most likely age group to select “The Bible says Christians should support Israel” (24%)
- Those age 50-64 (36%) and 65+ (37%) are more likely to select “The Bible says God gave the land of Israel to the Jewish people” than those 35-49 (26%)
- Those age 18-34 are the least likely age group to select “Israel is important for fulfilling biblical prophecy” (6%)
- Hispanics (21%) and Other Ethnicities (24%) are more likely to select “Every nation has a right to exist” than White, Non-Hispanics (14%)
- Those with a Graduate degree (14%) are most likely to select “Israel is the United States’ closest ally in an unstable region”

# **“Which of the following best represents your personal views? My support for the existence, security, and prosperity of the State of Israel has”**

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- Those age 65+ (29%) are more likely “Increased over the last 5 years” to select than those 18-34 (19%) and 50-64 (23%)
- Those age 18-34 (75%) are more likely to select “Stayed the same over the last 5 years” than those 65+ (67%)

# “Biblical passages about Jewish people having a right to the land of Israel no longer apply today.”

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- Those in the Northeast (22%) are more likely to Agree than those in the South (13%) and West (14%)
- Those age 50-64 (65%) and 65+ (72%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (58%) and 35-49 (55%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics (20%) and Other Ethnicities (23%) are more likely to Agree than White, Non-Hispanics (13%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are most likely to Disagree (70%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to Disagree (57%)

# “When God promised Abraham and his descendants the land of Israel, the promise was for all time.”

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- Those age 50-64 (83%) and 65+ (86%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (72%) and 35-49 (75%)

# “Christians should support the right of the Jewish people to live in the sovereign state of Israel.”

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- Those age 50-64 (77%) and 65+ (86%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (68%) and 35-49 (68%)
- Other Ethnicities are the most likely ethnic group to Agree (90%), followed by White, Non-Hispanics (78%)



# “The Jewish people lost the promise of the land because they rejected Jesus.”

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- Those in the Northeast (27%) are more likely to Agree than those in the Midwest (18%) and South (20%)
- Those age 35-49 are the most likely age group to Agree (27%)
- Those age 50-64 (56%) and 65+ (61%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (45%) and 35-49 (40%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the least likely to Agree (16%)

# **“The state of Israel should sign a peace treaty that allows the Palestinians to create their own sovereign state in the West Bank and Gaza.”**

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- Those in the Northeast (32%) are more likely to Agree than those in the Midwest (23%) and South (21%)
- Those in the West are most likely to Disagree (42%)
- Those age 50-64 (36%) and 65+ (34%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (25%) and 35-49 (27%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (20%)

# “When you think of the modern rebirth of the State of Israel in 1948 and the re-gathering of millions of Jewish people to Israel, which of the following statements best represents your personal views?” <sup>75</sup>

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- Those age 50-64 (82%) are more likely to select “These events were fulfillments of Bible prophecy that show we are getting closer to the return of Jesus Christ” than those 35-49 (76%)
- Other Ethnicities are the most likely ethnic group to select “These events were fulfillments of Bible prophecy that show we are getting closer to the return of Jesus Christ” (91%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less (82%) or with some college (81%) are more likely to select “These events were fulfillments of Bible prophecy that show we are getting closer to the return of Jesus Christ” than those with a Graduate Degree (73%)

# “The modern rebirth of the State of Israel has been a terrible injustice to the Arab people in the Middle East.”

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- Males (58%) are more likely to Disagree than females (43%)
- Those in the West (57%) are more likely to Disagree than those in the Northeast (43%) and South (48%)
- Those age 55-64 (55%) and 65+ (62%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (34%) and 35-49 (43%)
- White, Non-Hispanics (59%) and Other Ethnicities (55%) are more likely to Disagree than Black, Non-Hispanics (22%) and Hispanics (43%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to Disagree (43%)

# “Christians should do more to love and care for Palestinian people.”

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- Those in the Northeast (66%) and the West (66%) are more likely to Agree than those in the South (55%)
- Those age 18-34 (66%) are more likely to Agree than those 50-64 (57%) and 65+ (54%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Disagree (7%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to Agree (53%)

# “Modern Israel has been unfair to the Palestinian people.”

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- Males (48%) are more likely to Disagree than females (35%)
- Those in the West (50%) are more likely to Disagree than those in the Northeast (34%) and South (39%)
- Those age 50-64 (45%) and 65+ (49%) are more likely to Disagree than those 18-34 (32%) and 35-49 (35%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (17%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Disagree (18%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to Disagree (36%)

# “Christians should support Israel’s defense of itself from terrorists and foreign enemies.”

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- Males (81%) are more likely to Agree than females (67%)
- Those in the West are most likely to Agree (82%)
- Those age 50-64 (74%) and 65+ (83%) are more likely to Agree than those 19-34 (66%) and 35-49 (67%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (57%)
- Those a Bachelor’s (83%) or a Graduate Degree (86%) are more likely to Agree than those who are high school graduates or less (69%) or with some college (72%)

# “I am concerned for the safety of Christians in areas under the control of the Palestinian Authority.”

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- Males (80%) are more likely to Agree than females (68%)
- Those in the West (80%) are more likely to Agree than those in the Midwest (71%) and South (70%)
- Those age 50-64 (76%) and 65+ (75%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (68%)
- Black, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (59%)
- Those a Bachelor's (84%) or a Graduate Degree (81%) are more likely to Agree than those who are high school graduates or less (68%) or with some college (73%)



# “Sharing the Gospel with Jewish people is important.”

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- Males (89%) are more likely to Agree than Females (84%)
- Those in the Northeast (92%) and West (92%) are more likely to Agree than those in the Midwest (83%) and South (85%)
- Those age 65+ (91%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (82%) and 35-49 (84%)
- Other Ethnicities are the most likely ethnic group to Agree (97%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less are the least likely education group to Agree (83%)

# “The Bible teaches that one day most or all Jewish people, alive at that time, will believe in Jesus.”

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- Those in the Midwest are least likely to Agree (48%)
- Those age 50-64 (59%) and 65+ (62%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (47%) and 35-49 (47%)
- Hispanics (61%) are more likely to Agree than White, Non-Hispanics (52%)
- Those with Bachelor's Degrees are the least likely to Agree (42%)

# “Jewish people continue to be significant for the history of redemption as Jesus will return when the Jewish people accept Jesus.”

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- Males (51%) are more likely to Agree than Females (43%)
- Those age 50-64 (51%) are more likely to Agree than those 18-34 (44%) and 35-49 (44%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the least likely ethnic group to Agree (42%)
- Those who are high school graduates or less (48%) or with a Graduate Degree (54%) are more likely to select than those with a Bachelor's Degree (40%)

# “The Christian church has fulfilled or replaced the nation of Israel in God’s plan.”

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- Those in the Northeast are the most likely to Agree (39%)
- Those age 18-34 (34%) and 35-49 (31%) are more likely to Agree than those 50-49 (24%) and 65+ (23%)
- White, Non-Hispanics are the most likely ethnic group to Disagree (45%)
- Those a Bachelor’s (46%) or a Graduate Degree (55%) are more likely to Disagree than those who are high school graduates or less (37%)

# “I wish I knew more about what the Bible teaches about Israel’s future.”

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- Those age 65+ are the most likely age group to Agree (79%)
- Other Ethnicities are the most likely ethnic group to Agree (87%)

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