

Evolved consciousness
required to see bhakti
present in other
shashtras

Vedic scriptures

Verses talk about

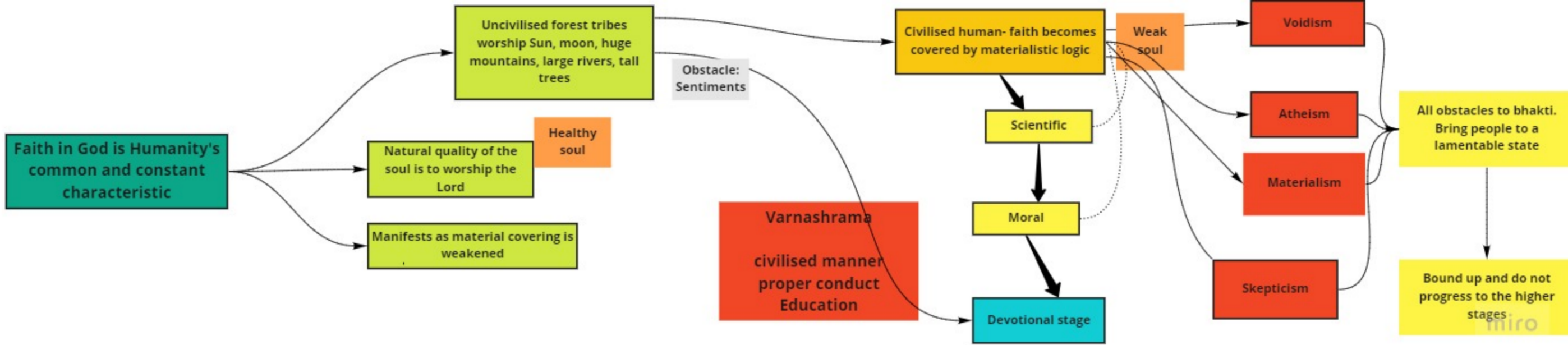
Karma

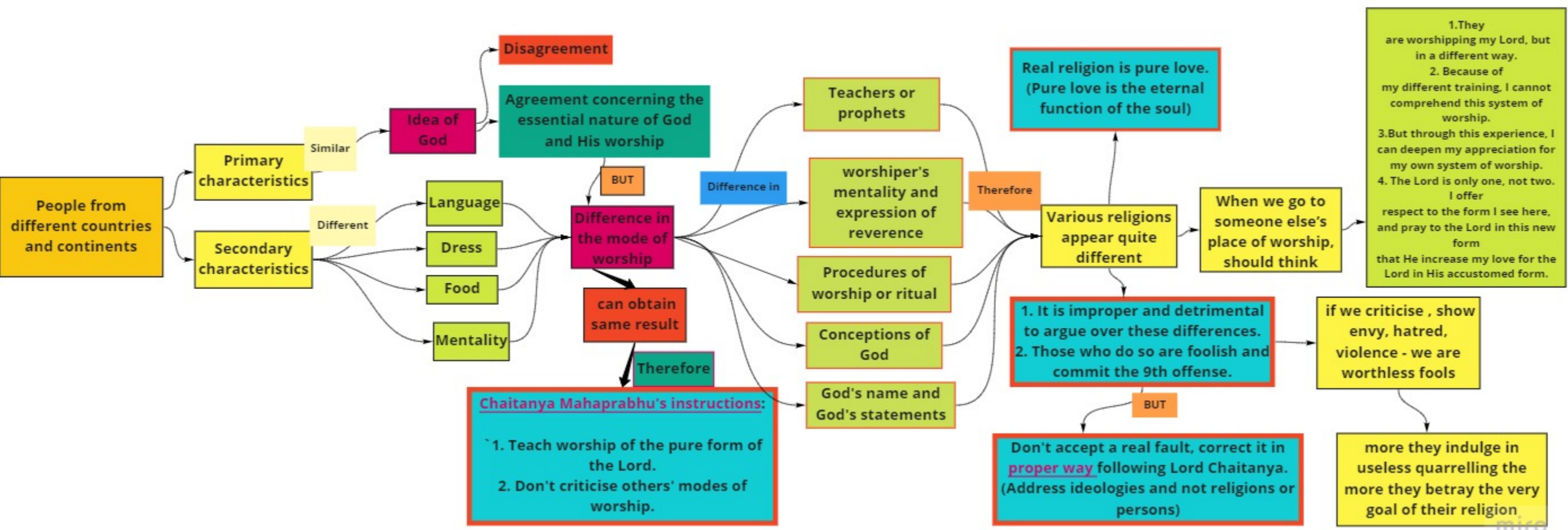
jnana

Bhakti

Other vaishnav sampradayas, in their
presentation of philosophy, their
acharyas sometimes present bhakti
slightly mixed with jnana ,yoga ,karma.

Uniqueness of Gaudiya sampradaya:
Our acharyas talk with total clarity
about bhakti. Bhakti strands are totally
separated.





People from different countries and continents

Primary characteristics

Secondary characteristics

Idea of God

Disagreement

Agreement concerning the essential nature of God and His worship

BUT

Difference in the mode of worship

can obtain same result

Therefore

Chaitanya Mahaprabhu's instructions:
 1. Teach worship of the pure form of the Lord.
 2. Don't criticise others' modes of worship.

Teachers or prophets

worshiper's mentality and expression of reverence

Procedures of worship or ritual

Conceptions of God

God's name and God's statements

Real religion is pure love. (Pure love is the eternal function of the soul)

Therefore

Various religions appear quite different

When we go to someone else's place of worship, should think

1.They are worshipping my Lord, but in a different way.
 2. Because of my different training, I cannot comprehend this system of worship.
 3. But through this experience, I can deepen my appreciation for my own system of worship.
 4. The Lord is only one, not two. I offer respect to the form I see here, and pray to the Lord in this new form that He increase my love for the Lord in His accustomed form.

1. It is improper and detrimental to argue over these differences.
 2. Those who do so are foolish and commit the 9th offense.

if we criticise, show envy, hatred, violence - we are worthless fools

more they indulge in useless quarrelling the more they betray the very goal of their religion

Don't accept a real fault, correct it in proper way following Lord Chaitanya. (Address ideologies and not religions or persons)

