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African-American Sermon Responses to the

September 11th Tragedy

20 Years Later

Lessons **LEARNED** | Lessons **OVERLOOKED**



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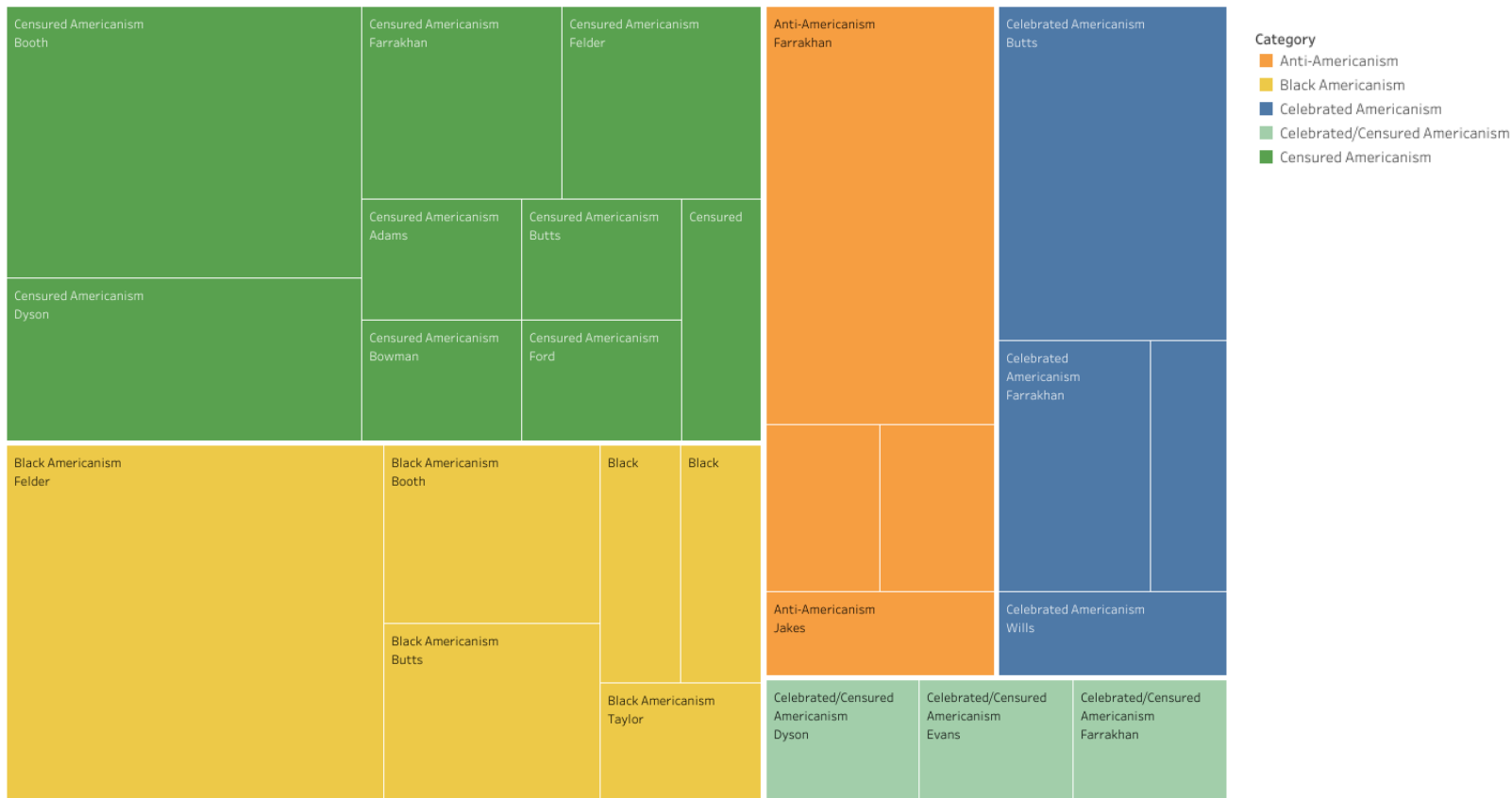
Preacher	Statement
Jackson	We mourn the wreckage of monuments, the Twin Towers symbolizing our money, the Pentagon symbolizing our might. Symbols of economic prosperity and military prowess
McKenzie	What happened on Tuesday-three airplanes used as cruise missiles, destroying two symbols of financial power and tarnishing the symbol of American military might...
Thomas, W	In a matter of minutes, the security we enjoy was snatched from us as we saw the symbols of the economy and the military struck by commercial jets hijacked and turned into weapons of mass destruction.
Wright	...why it is we are feeling what we feel after the trauma and the tragedy of the attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon, symbols of what America is money and the military

Table 1: References to America's Symbols of Power & Money

Sermonic Fugue Results

Sermonic Fugue: Americanism

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“Come Home to Roost”

Preacher	Statement
Booth	How can God forgive us if there is not a willingness on our part to repent? And it might be that chickens have come home to roost in America. What's done in the dark will one day come to the light. The Bible puts it this way: "Whatsoever a man soweth." Let me rephrase that: Whatever a nation soweth that shall the nation also reap.
Jakes	So here we are—in America, from which we have often gone to rescue other countries from these tragedies. It has come home to roost.
Wright	[Ambassador Peck] pointed out that what Malcolm X said when he got silenced by Elijah Mohammed was in fact true, "America's chickens are coming home to roost."... We have supported state terrorism against the Palestinians and black South Africans, and now we are indignant because the stuff we have done overseas is now brought right back into our own front yards. "America's chickens are coming home to roost."

Table 1: “Come Home to Roost” Statements

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**Lessons Learned |
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From African-American Sermon Responses

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