**Key Stage 2 Upper: What does “Christian love” require of a person?**

**Love – Agape The Good Samaritan**

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| **Objective** | **Enquiry Question** | **Progress** | **Exemplar Expectations** |
| **A2**Develop their understanding of ethical and moral questions and extend their knowledge of the moral codes upon which faiths are based | **What does “Christian love” require of a person?** | Emerging | **Pupils will be able to use some religious words and** **phrases to:** |
| * Recall Jesus great commandments
* Recall the Christian Greek word for love is agape
* Recall the parable of the Good Samaritan
* Recall how the parable shows love of your neighbour
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| **Content Outline:** |
| * know that Jesus said that the greatest commandment was to “love one another as I have loved you ” (John 15:12
* understand that the word for “love” used in John 15:12 is the Greek word “agape” and that this word is often used in the New Testament for “Christian love”
* recall the parable of “The Good Samaritan” (Luke 10:25-37) and show understanding of the following:
1. the Samaritan provides an example of a higher type of love that is “Christian love” (or “agape”)
2. the Samaritan demonstrates “agape” - this higher type of love by stopping. He puts himself in great danger risking his own life
3. By taking the man to safety the Samaritan makes a sacrifice and accepts cost to himself to help not a friend but a person who most Samaritans would regard as an enemy
4. the Samaritan does not expect to get anything back in return – it is not a favour which is likely to be returned
* know the that Christians believe that God has this higher form love towards humankind that this is expressed in the words, “For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life” (John 3:16)
* understand that “agape” or “Christian love”:-
1. is not the same as romantic love or passionate attraction (that would be “eros”)
2. involves freely giving kindness or help to another person including the outcast, the rejected, even an enemy
3. involves not expecting to get anything back in return
* may involve effort, cost, risk and danger
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| **Learning Outcome**Discuss and apply their own and others’ ideas about ethical questions, including ideas about what is right and wrong and what is just and fair, and express their own ideas clearly | Secure | * Identify the Greek word for love agape
* Identify the sacrifices made by the Good Samaritan for the injured man
* Identify the help given by the Samaritan as selfless
* Identify the difference between the romantic love (eros) and Christian love (agape)
* Identify that Christians should show compassion to any human being in need without prejudice
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| Exceeding | * Describe that fact that “Christian love” may involve going the extra mile
* Describe that the love agape is not given in return for anything but involves freely giving kindness
* Describe the connection between the sacrifice of the good Samaritan and the sacrifice of Jesus
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