

## *Family : God's gift*

The family is the first great gift of God to humanity.

The family is the first component of society.

The family is the result of the love between a man and a woman.



The family has the duty to pass on human life throughout the ages.

The family is a treasure that is preserved only with much love, patience and sacrifice.

The family is the first school of life for every human being.

The family is the place where we learn to love and respect each other, to support each other and acquire self-control.

The family is the place where we accept and forgive each other, share one another's joys and sorrows, plans and hopes, where we pray together, search for the truth, advocate freedom, defend each other, build peace.