

L'amour c'est quoi?

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A young boy asks his grandmother, "What is love?" Unable to answer, she prompts him to go on a journey around the world to find out the answer for himself.

Each person he meets offers a unique, yet unsatisfying perspective. Is love a fish, an applause, or the night, or is it something familiar? This humorous and tender story offers a fresh take on the theme of love, told from a child's viewpoint.

It's relatable, surprising, and engages readers with its distinct narrative voice, making it a delightful read for all ages..

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1. l'amour [la-moor]: love
2. le pêcheur [luh peh-shewr]: the fisherman
3. scintiller [suhn-tee-yeh]: to sparkle
4. éclabousser [eh-klah-boo-seh]: to splash
5. gluant [glew-wahn] (silent n and t): slimy
6. soupirer [soo-pee-reh]: to sigh
7. comprendre [kon-pruhn-dreh]: to understand
8. la charpentière [sharp-uhn-tyehr]: the carpenter (female)
9. marteler [mar-teuh-leh]: to hammer
10. trembler [tram-bleh]: to tremble, shake
11. ajuster [ah-joo-steh]: to adjust
12. gaiement [geh-yeh-mahn] (silent n and t): happily, joyfully
13. vieillir [vye-yir]: to grow old
14. grandir [gran-deer]: to grow up
15. la réponse [reh-pawn-seh]: the answer

1 ENG: Can you name some of the definitions of love that were used by the different people the boy spoke to?

Do you agree with any of them? Why?

FR: Peux-tu nommer quelques mots utilisés par les différentes personnes du livre pour définir l'amour?

2 ENG: Why did they each have such different answers when it came to defining love?

FR: Pourquoi étaient leurs réponses si différentes quand il s'agissait de définir l'amour?

3 ENG: Do you think the little boy found out what love meant to him by the end of the book? What was it?

FR: Penses-tu que le petit garçon a trouvé ce que voulait dire l'amour pour lui à la fin du livre? Qu'est-ce que c'était?