

A REFERENCE FOR YOUR POCKET

THE FIVE TESTS AT A GLANCE

Before acting in the name of love, pause and ask:

I **CONSENT**

Is this care invited? Can they say no without punishment, withdrawal, or threat?

II **DIGNITY**

Does this protect their personhood, or erase who they are for their own good?

III **HUMILITY**

Can I admit I might be wrong? Am I willing to listen, learn, and be changed?

IV **HARM**

If fear, shame, or injury is occurring, will I stop, even if I am convinced I am right?

V **ACCOUNTABILITY**

If I cause harm, do I repair, or justify myself through intention, belief, or authority?

If it fails consent, dignity, or harm, it is not Agape.
Full stop.

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