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Flowers For Algernon

Charlie a 37 year old guy that has a dream to becoming smart like the other because people don't like him and he also wants to be none as a normal guy and not a dumb guy.

“Flowers For Algernon” a short story written by Daniel Keyes and he shows a lot of very life lessons in his stories. He got inspired by young man that was dumb and since then he got a good idea. In his story many people treat the character really bad because he was dumb and they would abuse him. Also the character believed that the others liked him but really not they only liked him for his dumbness. The theme in the story is Change, Humility and conflict. Because the main character had to go threw all of those to accomplish he life dream.

Charlie had diffrent selves of himself and it made the story a little weird so i choosed change because he makes very different selves of him. When he got the operation and it ended he said “ i was mad at miss kinnian because we didn't come and visit me” she told him she was gonna visit him but she didn't. Before he got the surgery he was very dumb and he changed a lot after the surgery and nobody really liked him his new self but people think he's weird and not the same. When Joe and Frank said “a policeman beat you up last night” charlie believed them. After his changes he started to get smarter he notice more things and he new in the club joe and frank kept tripping Charlie in the dance floor. After he was smart people say that “He’s not normal and

he is more weird". When Charlie went to visit Algernon he noticed algernon is changing and algernon bit him. Charlie changes a lot in the story and he makes a lot of selfs of him.

Meanwhile Charlie was getting humiliated by all the workers at the factory they would make fun of him. Joe and Frank and the other workers are make Charlie feel really bad. They don't even like him because they bully him. They treat him bad because they do things to him and even make him do things for them that he doesn't suppose to do . That how much they hate him that they even started a phrase that says "stop trying to be a Charlie Gordon" that means that if a worker is being dumb and messing around they tell them that so they could stop and they will stop because they won't want to be called Charlie Gordon. Joe and Frank made charlie buy them things and Charlie bought them coffee and their newspapers and they ditched him. They even beat him up and that's what explains that the next morning charlie woke up with a big lump on his head. The good thing charlie got the surgery so he would not get humiliated. Humiliation to charlie is really bad because that happened to him. The first time Charlie got humiliated he was really sad at himself. He even wanted to get them back he was that angry at them because they would treat them really bad.

Finally I have found out that in the story a lot of conflict takes place. Many people would bully charlie and say bad things to him or say to other like weird dumb and more. Also when charlie goes to work it's not an easy job his job is hard to be a janitor he always has to lean. Throughout the story the conflict shows an argument with all the characters. Many people think he dosent belong their but their is some people that like him. For example his teacher his doctor and even his phsycologist think his alright. Frank and Joe are a big peice of conflict in the story becasue they bully poor charlie and they keep on doing that. They always disagree with charlie

call him names and much more bad things. Miss Kinian his very nice teacher from night school loves how he is and she supports him a lot. People should start to believe Charlie the way he is and go along with what he says. They say he's not good and he doesn't work at any job so that's what makes Charlie feel really bad and he starts to get really sad and people don't see him in the good way.

To conclude Charlie had a very not so good life with his illness but he was a really tough guy. He was that tough that he was ready and prepared for the surgery and he was really happy that he was gonna get a surgery. The theme in the story was really important to us because it helps us see things so we would never do such a thing to a person or a thing like they did to the character in the story Flowers for Algernon. The moral is to treat people like you want to be treated because they would pick on Charlie and what if Charlie picked on them and they could see how it feels when they do that.