VICTORIAN

FAMILY

+

CLASS

Home.

the Victorian family — (paragon)

'respectability'
, domestic ideals.
'the lower orders'

(pop psych) ——— patri-centred / women

ideal / reality ——— (poetry)

the word codes
carefully + expressive
sexual + reproductive

fallen women
domestic
prostitutes.
poetry.

lower middle.

'trade'

landed interest: gentlemen
service
deference.

the aristocracy/gentry/human science.
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the entrepreneurs. self-made men.
remaking the world.
'bourgeois'

(novels) "men of property"

~~the lower middle classes~~.

~~trade~~

thrift
energy
work
discipline
the practical
empirical.
ordinary

adulterous
public decency
exhibitionism
the occult
Distant.

District / Radicalism.

Pr. Rd } revolution

The crisis of Love:

1790's — 1820's. EPT.

The Reform Bill — (1832) — Condition of England / Chartism

framework of Legislation.

The mid Victorian sound & political order.

Liberal / Conservative — Reform Sound Legislation.

Peel / Disraeli / Palmerston / Gladstone.

reputability
independence
But 259

—

crime
protect
disqualific.
class eg.

defence — respectful, reputable
poor.

reputably
But 260

~~Not~~. Improvement + Reform

= Social change =

A class – & wider society as in
Renaissance.

Improvement — Breaking up past.
discipline from the
transition.
fruits of prosperity.

education
Literacy
religion — convert.
Self-Help.
trade union societies.
Medical Institutes
Gospel of work.
Improving literature.
Poor Law
police

Lodged in the low order

Mid
campaign.

religious assurance.
Salvation.

Arminian – High Day.
"proselytizing movement"

Methodism – Wesley
– pietistic emphasis.
– Holy Spirit dynamic
Lay preaching

Span the "middle ground"
of Christ.

respectable
puritan discipline
cultural discipline
Puritan. ——— Puritan

Self-sufficient —