**Explain two contrasting beliefs about having weapons of mass destruction as a way to achieve peace. (4 marks)**

Some Christians such as Quakers would say that weapons of mass destruction will never lead to peace. This is because they are pacifists which means they think that violence never solves anything and is wrong.

Other Christians might agree with having, but not using, weapons of mass destruction as a form of deterrent. This means that ultimately peace will be achieved because other nations won’t want to attack us through fear and also respect which fulfils the teaching to ‘love your enemies.’