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Happy Valentine's Day!!!

Valentine's Day is a festival that cherishes love and romance. The festival falls on February 14 every year and is celebrated in several countries across the world including US, UK, Canada, Japan, France, China and India. Though the festival commemorates the martyrdom of a Christian saint called St Valentine, the festival as it is celebrated today has little religious significance. In present times, Valentine's Day has assumed a secular

and global flavor and is celebrated by people of all ages and races.

Another noticeable factor in Valentine's Day celebration of present times is that the festival celebrates love in all its forms and is not just restricted to romantic love.

People therefore exchange Valentine's Day greetings with their parents, teachers, siblings, friends,

sweethearts or anyone



special or close to them. The commonest way of expressing love on Valentine's Day is through exchanging

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I Want to be Your Valentine..

Oh precious oh precious please be mine

I want to be your Valentine

I'll do everything to be your rose

I want to be the Valentine you chose

Legend of Valentine's Day

One legend says that Valentine was a priest who served during the third century in Rome. When Emperor Claudius II decided that single men made better soldiers than those married, he outlawed

marriage for young men.

Valentine, realizing the injustice of the decree, defied Claudius and continued to perform marriages for young lovers in secret. When Valentine's actions were discovered,

Claudius ordered that he be put to death. And Valentine's Day is celebrated in the middle of February to commemorate the anniversary of Valentine's death, which probably occurred

How to Know if He Loves You?



Girls are a bit apprehensive when it comes to their relationship with a guy. It has been noted that men hesitate to express their love or feelings and end up laying a false belief for themselves. It is not only difficult but even more complex to analyze what a man desires and what is going in his mind. The question whether he loves me or not usually bothers every girl. But, with one ideal solution it is possible to know the actual love of the

Attention is the most basic form of love, through it we bless and are blessed.

John Tarrant

- If he gives more importance to his friends even if you are sick or in need of him shows his lack of interest in you.
- Changing of topic when you discuss your future with him is not a good sign.
- If he doesn't want to spend time with you or doesn't ever want to go out with you in public and never introduces you to his friends means he does not love you.
- When he calls you or messages you just to chitchat with you it means he deeply loves you and is finding any reason to talk to you.
- If he is really concerned about you and loves you then he would always take out time from his busy schedule.
- When he keeps looking at you when you are around and suddenly takes off his eyes when you look at him shows he's in love with you.



Valentine's Day Flowers

According to popular legends red rose is considered to be a favorite flower of Venus - the Roman mythological Goddess of Love and Beauty. Hence the red Rose came to be associated with love and romance. Historians believe that the tradition of giving red rose on Valentine's Day became popular in the 1700s when Charles II of Sweden introduced the Persian custom of "the language of flowers" to Europe. Books giving details about meanings of particular flowers were published which demonstrated to people how entire conversations could be

carried out using just the flowers.

Meaning of Different Colors of Roses

Rose of different colors symbolizes different emotions and

Happy Birthday and Happy Valentine's Day to Natalia Aleksandrovna!



feelings. One therefore needs to be careful while presenting a rose to loved one:

- Red Roses** - Love and passion
- White Roses** - True love, purity of the mind and reverence
- Yellow Roses** - Friendship, celebration and joy
- Pink Roses** - Friendship or Sweetheart, admiration
- Peach Roses** - Desire and excitement or appreciation
- Lilac Roses** - Love at first sight and enchantment
- Coral Roses** - Desire
- Orange Roses** - Enthusiasm and desire
- Black Roses** - Farewell or "It's Over"