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St. Valentine's History

- St. Valentine was a priest who would marry young couples against the orders of the Roman Emperor II who believed that single young men made better soldiers.





- St. Valentine was a good friend for children. They brought him loving notes. Many notes expressed the thought: “Absence makes the heart grow fonder...”

Customs

- Single women could learn their future husbands. In England women wrote men's names on scraps of paper, rolled each in a ball of clay, and dropped them into water. The first paper that surfaced, had the name of the woman's true love.



Valentine's cards.

- Commercial valentines were first made in the early 1800. Kate Greenaway, a British artist, was one of the makers of valentines. Her valentines are known for her drawing of little children.



St. Valentine's symbols

- Cupid
- Roses
- Dove
- Heart
- Chocolate
- Teddy Bears
- Kiss



oving you makes all the difference.

love you with all my heart

