

ACADEMY REPORTER

Jesus Be My Valentine



Perhaps some of you have noticed all the red and pink hearts decorating everything that comes within your view. That's right, it is Valentine's Day. For some it is an exciting holiday, and by some I mean couples, but for others like me it's really just a cruel reminder of what your missing out on by being single. Actually, the only high light of this holiday for me is walking up and down the aisles at the store setting off all the musical animals, and driving every employee and customer crazy! (this year I plan on getting to the musical cards before getting kicked out of Walgreens) So I do suppose I find some enjoyment in this holiday. After all, I have not as of yet, gone insane like some girls. For instance, I don't mail myself cards addressed in my handwriting saying: from your secret admirer. (that's just weird).

I suppose my reason for sanity, is that I don't need a boyfriend or a secret admirer to tell me that they care about me by giving me a stuffed bear or roses. The roses will wilt and die, and the bear will only last so long until my dog uses the thing as a chew toy, but what I have will last forever. I have someone who never forgets me, and doesn't wait for a holiday just to do something special for me. He loves me so much that He could never break my heart, but instead causes it to overflow with His love. So for this Valentine's Day my prayer (since I can't send cards to heaven) is: Jesus be my valentine!



THE PRINCIPAL'S PUZZLER

This week's winner: No One

This week's hint: He sure was generous! How giving!

This week's puzzle: A man buys rice at \$1 a pound from American growers and sells them at \$0.05 a pound in India. As a result of this he becomes a millionaire. How come?

BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION

All Boxtops need to be turned in by Friday, February 12. The ten-cents we get from each label adds up very quickly when we all work together. Thank you for your ongoing support!

SPIRIT WEEK

Spirit Week starts Monday with Holiday Day. Tuesday is Create-a-Hat Day, Wednesday is Literary Character Day, Thursday is Steal-a-Heart Day and Friday is Pair Day. We encourage everyone to participate in the fun!

REMINDERS

February 8-12 — Spirit Week
February 15 — President's Day, No School
February 15-17 — Local IHC



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I'LL NEED A FEW HUNDRED BOUQUETS UNLESS YOU HAPPEN TO HAVE SOMETHING IN A CONCUBINE GROUP ARRANGEMENT

I have seen and read the Friday Letter.

Parent Signature _____

Please cut out, sign, and return this box to school.