SAINT VALENTINE'S ORIGINS:

First watch this video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rs6xesanxNM

Answer these questions after watching the video:

1. What historical events are the basis of this day?
2. Mid-February and Romance? How is it explained?
3. What two gods are mentioned?
4. What did Romans do in their festivity?
5. When was this festivity Christianised?

6. Who was Valentine?
7. Why did Claudius ban marriage for soldiers?
8. What did Valentine do?
9. What did the emperor do when he realized?
10. What did couples do when they visited him in prison?
11. What happened to Valentine in jail?

12. Where did he write "to my Valentine"?
13. Who was Cupid for Romans?
14. How many roses are sold in USA these days?
15. How many heart-shaped candy boxes?
16. What is the benefit for retailers?

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