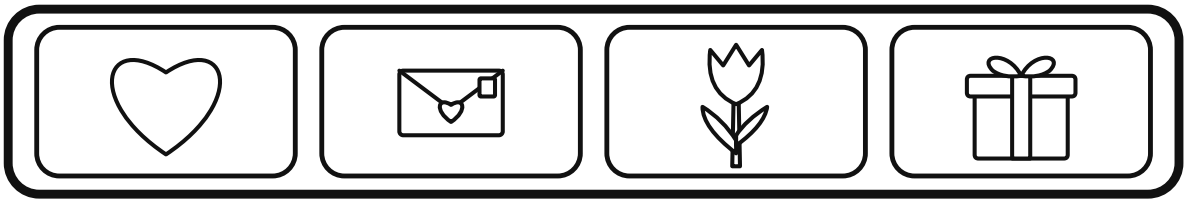
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Read the book, then answer the questions.



Words: kindness | Saint | poems | valentines | homemade

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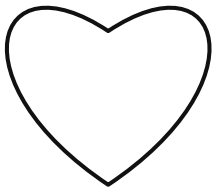
4. **What is 14 February called in Finland?**

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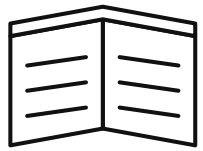
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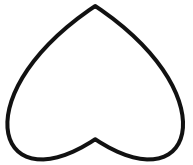
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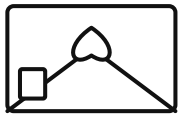
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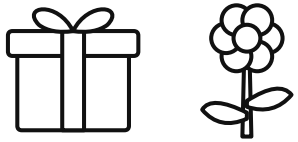
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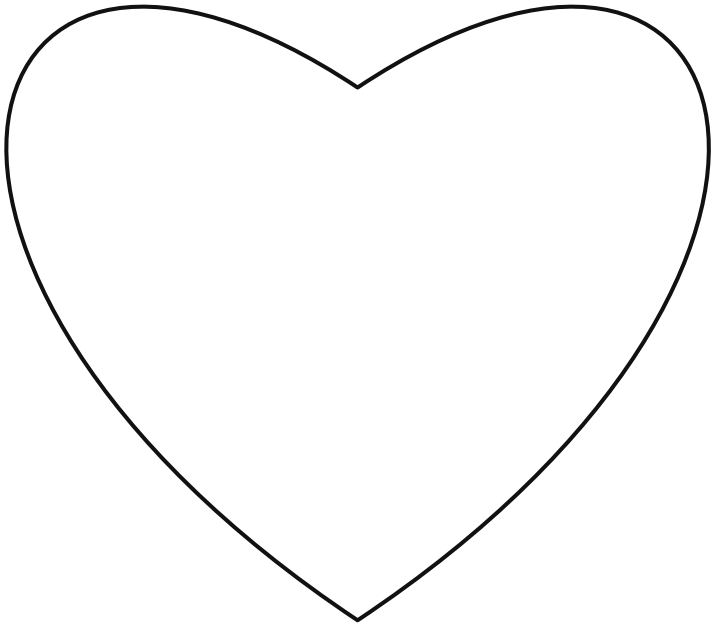


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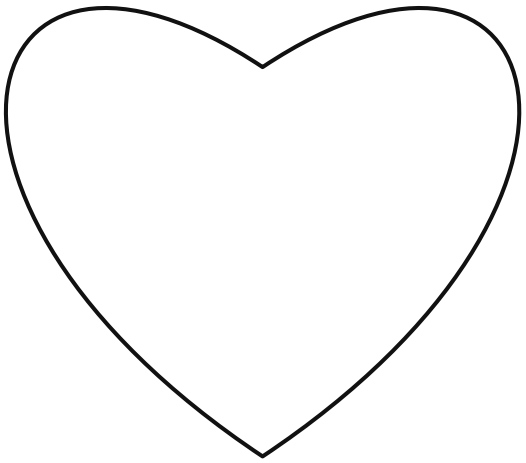
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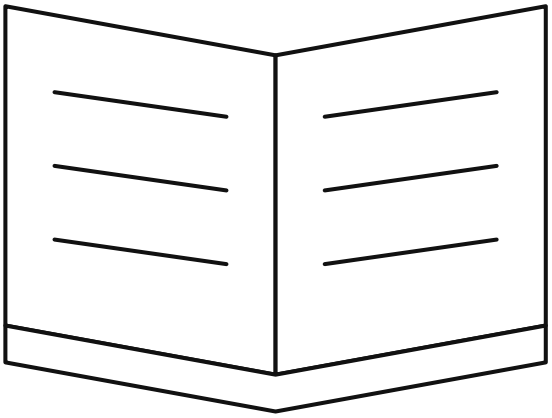
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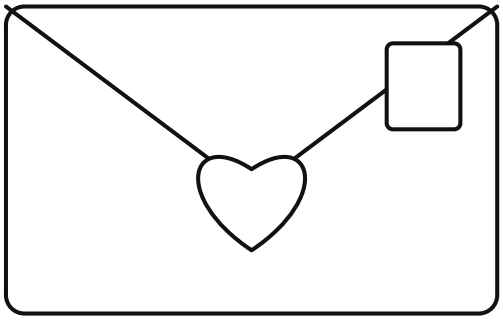
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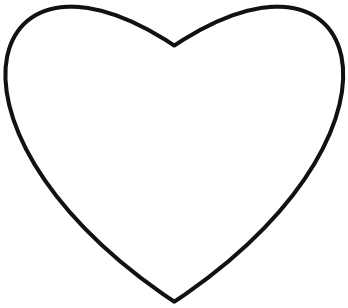
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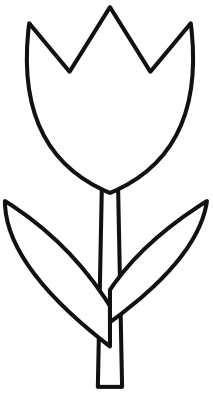


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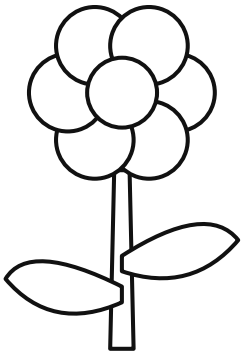


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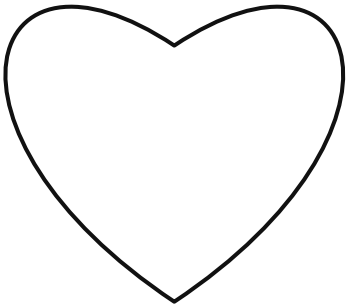


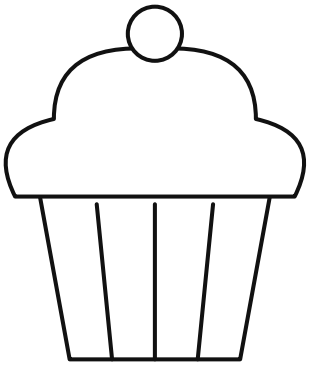


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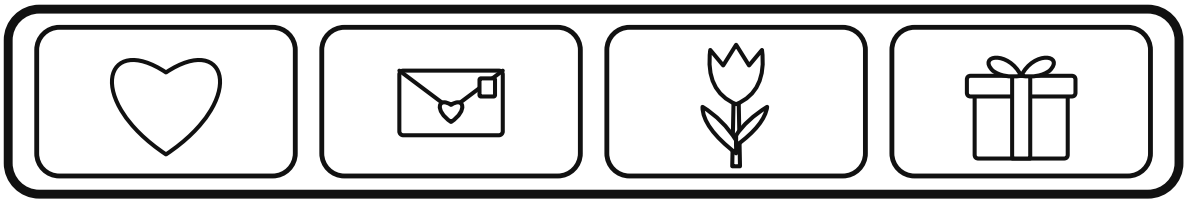
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Answers

Answer key: What is Valentine's Day?



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   14 February

2. Who is Valentine's Day named after?

   Saint Valentine

3. What are valentines?

   Cards, often with hearts and kind words

4. What is 14 February called in Finland?

   Friend's Day

5. How could you show kindness on Valentine's Day?

   Possible answer: make a card, help someone or say something kind

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