

# Today I Got a Valentine

by Kenn Nesbitt

Today I got a valentine  
from everyone but Kay.  
But that's all right...  
I never liked her that much anyway.

She doesn't like my favorite bands.  
Her socks don't often match.  
She never trades her Oreos.  
She isn't good at catch.

She doesn't play computer games.  
She wears her hair in braids.  
She's something of a teacher's pet  
and always gets good grades.

She dots her i's with little hearts.  
She's always reading books.  
Whenever I'm around, she gives me  
such confusing looks.

But oh my goodness, here comes Kay—  
and what is this I see?  
It seems she has an extra special  
valentine for me.

It's big and red and has the words,  
"Will you be mine today?"  
I've always said there's no one else  
I like as much as Kay!



## Georgie Porgie, Handsome Guy

by Bruce Lansky

Georgie Porgie, handsome guy,  
Won't kiss the girls, and so they cry.  
It breaks their hearts—he loves another.  
He's only five; he loves his mother.



## Georgie Porgie, Pudding and Pie

by Kenn Nesbitt

Georgie Porgie, pudding and pie,  
Kissed the girls and made them sigh.  
He's so cute, they stand in lines  
just to give him valentines.

## Lovely Teacher

by Linda Knaus

(Sing to the tune of "Clementine")

Lovely teacher, lovely teacher—  
eyes of periwinkle blue.  
You are such a pretty creature,  
and I'm so in love with you.

How I long for your attention,  
so I'm acting like a fool.  
Put me down for some detention,  
just don't send me home from school.

Oh, I'm filled with pain and sorrow,  
for my teacher is so cute,  
but she won't be here tomorrow,  
'cause she's just a substitute.

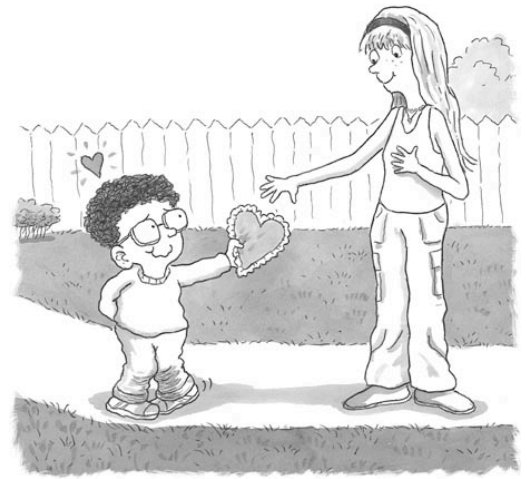


## Lovesick

by Bruce Lansky

I wrote a love note to Sarah.  
She bought some chocolates for Matt.  
He sent six roses to Lisa.  
She baked pink cookies for Pat.

He called Samantha "my darling."  
She told me, "I love you dear."  
Valentine's Day drives me crazy.  
I'm glad it comes just once a year.



I think you're cute.  
I really do.  
I like your face  
and figure, too.

I like your eyes.  
I like your nose.  
Don't change a thing—  
except your clothes.



**I Love You!**  
By Anonymous

I love you, I love you,  
I love you, I do.  
But don't get excited,  
I love monkeys, too!

## Oh My Darling, Valentine

by Kenn Nesbitt

In a toy store  
on a Sunday  
with a dollar forty-nine,  
I need something,  
just a dumb thing,  
for my brand-new  
valentine.

Oh my darling,  
oh my darling,  
oh my darling,  
valentine.  
I'm uneasy,  
kind of queasy,  
but you're still my  
valentine.

Yes, it happened  
in the classroom  
when you said,  
"Will you be mine?"  
I was muddled  
and befuddled,  
so I answered,  
"Yeah, that's fine."

Then you called me  
in the lunchroom.  
You had saved a  
place in line.  
And I knew that  
it was true that  
I was now your  
valentine.

I went shopping  
for a present,  
and I saw this  
blinking sign:  
"Here's a pleasant  
little present  
for a brand-new  
valentine."

So I bought it,  
and I brought it  
in my backpack  
right at nine.  
Do you like it?  
It's a spy kit  
with a flashlight  
you can shine.

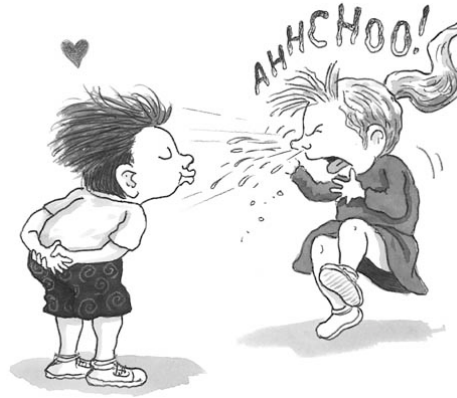
I could tell you  
didn't like it  
when you said I  
was a swine.  
How exciting!  
I'm delighting.  
I have no more  
valentine.

Till another  
person stopped me,  
and she asked,  
"Will you be mine?"  
This is crushing!  
Oh, I'm blushing.  
I've another  
valentine.

## Kiss Me Not

By Bruce Lansky

Roses are red.  
Violets are blue.  
Please don't kiss me.  
I've got the flu.



## Katie Kissed Me

By Christine Lynn Mahoney

Katie kissed me!  
Yuck, it's true!

My face took on a greenish hue!  
My knees, like jelly, started shaking!  
Then my stomach started quaking!  
Slobber slithered down my cheek!  
My consciousness was growing weak!  
My ears were ringing, my head was spinning!  
But, all the while Katie was grinning!  
My heart was pounding through my shirt!  
My tongue felt like I just ate dirt!  
Though you may think I've lost my brain!  
I wish she'd kiss me once again!