

## **“THINKABOUTIT” THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**

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Being a lover of sweets, I really enjoy Valentine’s Day. It is one of the few days of the year we feel justified eating candy. Hey, if someone cared for us enough to give us a treat, it would be an insult NOT to eat it!

One of the great gifts of this day is chocolates. I like most kinds of chocolates – as long as they are solid chocolate all the way through. I have been known to poke through (then pass up) those chocolate creams and have had more than one false hopes when biting into a chocolate heart only to find it hollow inside.

People are a lot like chocolates. On the outside most of us look good; but, the true test comes from what’s on the inside. There are a lot of people who look appealing on the outside; but, are as hollow a chocolate shell when it comes to what’s inside them. Others, similar to the chocolate creams, look like the real thing on the surface; but, deep down, they are something much different.

Let’s make it a point to be solid – filled with good inside and out.

Think about it! For the Madison Avenue Church of Christ; this is Charlie Wharton.