

LOVE & CHOCOLATE

[Lyrics: Valentine's Day version]

When someone loves you
And you love them too
There's one special gift that's the best

It's rich and it's sweet
It's our favorite treat
And you can forget all the rest (all the rest)

What is our delight
From morning to night,
The thing about which we all talk a lot?

It's the joy of our life,
Bringing pleasure, not strife.
You KNOW I'm referring to CHO-CO-LATE!
Ohhh . . .

Chocolate, chocolate, chocolate, chocolate!

Bring your sweetie a box,
It's better than bagels and lox
with hearts and flowers on Valentine's day!

Nothing says loving like chocolate does,
It gets your juices flowing.
Sinfully rich in ev'ry bite,
Your hearts will soon be glowing.

Some say chocolate's better than love
I'm not sure I would agree
But if you want to sweeten their mood
Take chocolate and see!

Pleasure and love go hand in glove
But lovers can deceive you . . .
Chocolate, on the other hand
Will never, ever *leave* you!

Chocolate, chocolate, chocolate, chocolate
Makes our life worthwhile
Sweet delicious chocolate will
Bring your love a smile!

Who wants chocolate? "*I do!*"
Who loves chocolate? "*Me, too!*"
Give your love some **Chocolate**.
Ohhh. . .

Chocolate, chocolate, chocolate, chocolate!

Any time of the day
All the pleasures of chocolate
In every wonderful way:

Samplers of chocolates, choices divine,
And few get left behind.
What's your favorite filling?
I still haven't chosen mine

Milk, dark, or semisweet—bliss!
Belgian, French, American, *Swiss*!
When you have a craving, it's for
Chocolate you'll be raving!

Brown-wrapper chocolate bars,
Kisses and truffles and chews from Mars,
Strawberries dipped in chocolate fondue,
It's good for me—and it's good for you.

(*adults*: was it good for you?)

Chocolate, chocolate, chocolate, chocolate
Makes our life worthwhile
Rich delicious chocolate will
Always bring a smile!

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If love is uncertain
There's no need to worry.
If they pop the question
Reply in a hurry:
The answer is wonderful,
marvelous, glorious
Chocolate,
Chocolate,
Chocolate,
Chocolate!
Give us some
Choc- o - late!
RIGHT NOW!

OPTIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT (optionally you can improvise something from the score for the chorus to hum under this if you like): (First word low and all of it 50s radio-announcer ad voice style.)

“**Friends**, do you keep a stash of chocolate in the glove compartment of your car? Do you consider chocolate one of the four basic food groups? Is chocolate part of your complete breakfast? Do you . . . self-medicate with chocolate? Well, you may be a *chocoholic*. But don’t worry, you’ve got company! Chocoholics have a *three*-step program: 1. Get the chocolate. 2. Eat the chocolate! 3. Rinse and repeat.

So, for the ChocoHolidays . . . this piece is for you.”