

## *The Sham That Is Valentines Day*

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*It's all one big sham, you know –  
The six long-stem red roses  
To prick yourself on,*

*The cute fluffy toys  
To cuddle while you're supposedly thinking of him,*

*The dinner at a classy restaurant  
To show everyone that he's not a tight-ass,*

*The mushy "You're my sunshine" cards  
To over-shadow his laziness to write down their own feelings,*

*And last but not least, the chocolates in a heart-shaped box  
To reinforce that you really are sweet enough for him.*

*But let me just say,  
Valentines Day won't be a sham  
On the day when all of these things happen to me!*