BIRTHDAYS

- Gen 40:20-22 Now it came to pass on the third day, which was Pharaoh's *birthday*, that he made a *feast* for all his servants; and he lifted up the head of the chief butler and of the chief baker among his servants. Then he restored the chief butler to his butlership again, and he placed the cup in Pharaoh's hand. But he *hanged the chief baker*, as Joseph had interpreted to them.
- **Job 3:1 (KJ)** After this opened Job his mouth, and cursed his day. And Job spoke, and said, let the day perish wherein I was born...
- **Job 1:4 (LB)** Every year when each of Job's sons had a *birthday*, he invited his brothers and sisters to his home for a *celebration*. On these occasions they would *eat and drink* with great merriment.
- Job 1:13-19 (NIV) One day when Job's sons and daughters were *feasting* and drinking wine at the oldest brother's house, a messenger came to Job and said... "Your sons and daughters were feasting and drinking wine at the oldest brother's house, when suddenly a mighty wind swept in from the desert and struck the four corners of the house. It collapsed on them and they are dead, and I am the only one who has escaped to tell you!"
- Mat 14:6-11 But when Herod's birthday was celebrated, the daughter of Herodias danced before them and pleased Herod. Therefore he promised with an oath to give her whatever she might ask. So she, having been prompted by her mother, said, "Give me John the Baptist's head here on a platter." ... So he sent and had John beheaded in prison.
- Eccl 7:1 A good name is better than precious ointment, and the day of death [is better] than the day of one's birth.