#### <u>VE Day</u>

"My dear friends, this is your hour. This is not victory of a party or of any class. It's a victory of the great British nation as a whole. We were the first, in this ancient island, to draw the sword against tyranny." – Winston Churchill, 8<sup>th</sup> May 1945



This one of the greatest moments in history, brought tears of joy and an end to the suffering of millions of people around the world. Winston Churchill had just announced that the World War 2 had ended with Nazi Germany's unconditional surrender to the Allied forces.

People partied all day and night while gathering together to celebrate the end of the war. Many were happy but many others remembered with grief the sacrifices by their loved one towards this victory.



This year we will be celebrating the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Victory in Europe. To commemorate their sacrifices, we celebrate the 8<sup>th</sup> of May as the VE day marked by a two-minute silence at 11am along with other celebrations.

## **INVITATION**

Dear Mrs. Kelsey,

How are you? Hope you and family are doing well.

I am planning a themed party to celebrate the VE day and hold a toast towards all the people who sacrificed their lives towards our freedom. It would be a pleasure to have you and your family join us for the party at our home.

Would it be possible to join us on the day?

Yours Sincerely Basil

### **MUSIC**

The *White Cliffs of Dover* was one of popular World War II songs composed in 1941 by Walter Kent but made famous by Vera Lynn 1942 recording.

#### White Cliffs of Dover

There'll be bluebirds over The white cliffs of Dover Tomorrow Just you wait and see There'll be love and laughter And peace ever after Tomorrow When the world is free The shepherd will tend his sheep I know the valley's gonna bloom again And Jimmy will go to sleep In his own little room again Well, there'll be bluebirds over The white cliffs of Dover Tomorrow Just you wait and see Just you wait and see When the world is free Just you wait and see When the world is free When the world is free Come on and wait and see When the world is free You gotta wait and see.

# <u>SPITFIRE</u>

The Spitfire is a British single-seat fighter aircraft used by the Royal Air Force and its allies during World War II. It was manufactured in the United Kingdom during the war times.



It was designed has a short range, high-performance interceptor aircraft. It was famous because of its ground-breaking superior design during its days that gave the allied forces a decisive advantage fighting against German fighters.

