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North has gotten into baking!



As the thunderstorm is over, and everything is getting back to normal, North has been able to go to the store and get the ingredients for one of his favorite things to do. Baking.

Image above - North, telling Harvey about all of the sweet treats you can bake.

This story starts out with North's love of cinnamon buns and tarts. They are very sweet, very soft, and warm when fresh. North loves them so much that he wants to recreate the taste himself, so he has gotten into baking. Harvey supports this passion strongly, mostly because he gets to eat some of whatever North bakes. And so, North has been practicing his baking, and he is getting a lot better. North can make a good cinnamon bun

now, and he is getting better at tarts. But North is ready to turn his attention to a more complicated topic. Cupcakes.

Cupcakes are very popular among kittens, and also adult cats. They are so sweet, and sometimes they have sprinkles or icing spread across the top in a swirl. North could make a living on making and selling cupcakes, because kittens would buy them in bulk. However, cupcakes are as hard to make as they are delicious. North was imagining perfectly made store-bought cupcakes, but his first result was far from that. The delicate cupcakes fell apart in the oven, creating slightly burnt bites of cake in little plastic cups. North let Harvey go to town on the cupcake bits, while he thought about how to improve on his recipe.

Both Rudy and Judy have asked if North knows how to make a pie, because they both want one very much. A pie is the perfect thing to throw in someone else's face, because it splatters, and it is hard to wash off. Rudy and Judy were disappointed when North told them that he didn't know how to make a pie. That wasn't true, but North knows Rudy and Judy too well to bake them each a pie.

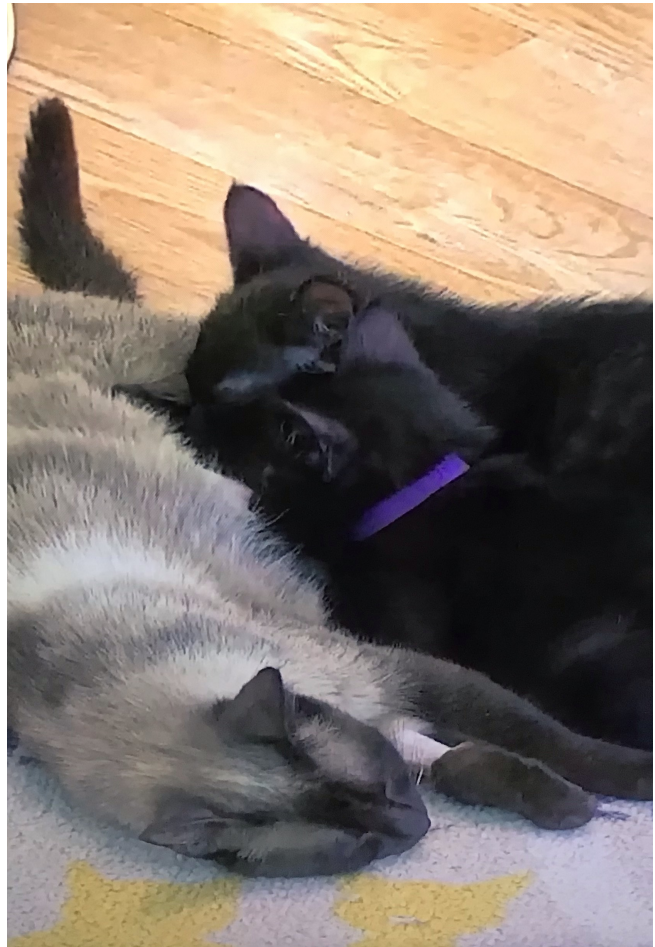


Image above - Lunch, who would be willing to sell North's baked goods at her Luncheon.

“North's tarts are pretty good — and they're also easy to steal.”

- NAYA

Some cats who have tried North's cinnamon buns and tarts have said that he should set up a stand for baked goods. North has told those cats that he likes the idea, but he is too busy with work and he doesn't have the time to make multiple batches of cinnamon buns or other baked goods. This has disappointed some cats, including some of North's co-workers, who love his baked goods and would also love to eat more of them. But work is work, and for now North simply does not have the time to bake more. However, cats like Harvey are still hopeful that North will bake more, because he can really bake.

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