

THE SUPER CAT (FINAL DRAFT)



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People generally had kept either cats or dogs as pets. But people didn't have something really special about them. This story is about a girl named Riya who

had kept a peculiar cat as a pet. It had many various types of powers! Now if you're excited, read on the tale of The Super Cat!

IN THE BACKYARD

Two girls named Riya and Anya kept a dog as a pet. They played fetch with it. This was the dog's favourite game. But soon when days past by, the house was scattered with rats! Riya decided to keep the dog in charge to chase the rats from the house. But the dog did not like this duty. Riya wished she had a pet cat to do this important task.

Just then, she heard a honk. Her father had just come from work. He looked happier than usual. "Come everyone, I have a great news!", he said joyfully. The whole family had come to the garden to see what was happening. As Riya came closer, she could see a mother cat with its small white kitten. An old woman wanted to sell these cats, he explained. I thought it would be a good idea to buy them because the cat would chase the rats and when the kitten is grown, it will do this task to.

CAT AND DOG

Riya was extremely happy. It had seemed like her wish just came true! But the dog did not like this idea. It thought the kitten would scratch its fur because it could not control its claws or maybe try to steal its food!

But as the kitten grew older, it did not fight with the dog. With that, the dog started helping the cat, like pushing an object like a brick so that it could climb the table and drink some milk if it was thirsty. Even the cat started helping the dog and the rest of the family by chasing the rats so that they could play fetch with no rats scurrying around. The cat and the dog were now starting being friends.

SOMETHING'S MAGICAL

The next morning when Riya woke up, her sister Anya came to her room. Riya, I was just looking for the cat, but I couldn't find it anywhere, Anya said. Don't worry,

Riya said, it will be somewhere in the house. Or maybe you didn't look carefully enough. But it turned out that Anya was right. The cat was nowhere to be seen. Not even the kitchen, front room or the garden!

Riya was shocked. But the gate is locked, she said. Where could it **RIYA!!!** There was a scream, it came from Anya! **RIYA! THAT STOOL I-ITS MOVING BY ITSELF!** And indeed, it was. Then it stopped. Now it was near the chair and above the chair was a table with milk. Both Riya and Anya observed what was happening. There were now ripples in the milk bowl and in half a minute, the milk was almost over!

Anya was scared but Riya was a bit brave. She went closer to the table and put her hand above the bowl. She felt a soft and fluffy thing under her palm though she couldn't see it. Then she could see it turning white and on top a little bit black. It was now forming into a shape. The colours increased and now it was forming the shape ... of their cat! Both the girls were amazed. They understood that the cat moved the stool so that it could climb the chair to reach the table and drink the milk! Now the cat was on the table licking its paws.

They quickly ran and told their parents about what had happened. Mother or Father could not believe them completely. Mother reached out to the house camera and saw what happened. "Isn't it fascinating Mother?", Anya asked. It's fantastic, cried mother. There is something very suspicious about this cat, said Father. The family went to the garden to give food to the dog. But there were still plenty of rats. Don't worry, said Riya, I know exactly what to do.

SUPER CAT

Riya put the cat near the rat places. Everyone thought the cat would chase the rats but it didn't. It put its right paw towards the rats and one or two of them got attracted to its paws like a magnet! "Our cat has super powers!", cried Anya. Come everyone, see this! Most of their neighbours came to see the cat's super powers. This was even recorded in the TV and news! And now the cat got its new nickname, The Super Cat!

THE END

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FATHER BOUGHT A CAT WHICH HE NEVER KNEW IT HAD MAGICAL POWERS. WOULD HIS DAUGHTERS REVEAL THE SPECIALITIES OF THEIR CAT OR NOT?

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