

FOR OUR YOUNG READERS.

TWO LITTLE FELLOWS.

I know a little fellow Whose face is fair to see...

BEING A KITTY.

The Experience of a Little Girl Who Wanted to Be a Kitten.

"Oh, dear," said Doty, one bright June morning, "I wish I was a kitty, so I wouldn't have any horrid old spelling-lessons to learn."

"Why, Doty?" said her mamma, looking up in surprise from her sewing.

"Just think what you are saying. You wouldn't like to be a kitten instead of my little girl, would you?"

"Yes, I would," pouted Doty, peevishly. "I think kitties have a lovely time. They don't have anything to do except have a nice-time and run around, and I never begin to play anything that I don't have to stop for lessons. I just hate spelling, so."

"But you can't just run around and play all day, and not have any lessons to do or patchwork to sew."

"Oh, mamma, do you really mean that?" Doty dropped her book and jumped up from her little chair, her face as bright as if a fairy had come and smoothed away the frowns that had been disfiguring it.

"Yes, I mean it," mamma said, gravely. "But if you begin to be a kitty, you must do just as your kitty does all day. You mustn't think you are my little girl, or expect me to do anything for you that I wouldn't do for the kitty."

"And I can really play all day, and run into the garden whenever I want to!"

"Wait until this evening before you say that," answered her mother. "Perhaps you won't like it as well as you think you will. Now run away, for I don't like to have kitties in my sitting-room."

meant that she could not eat her dinner at the table. She would call her in a few minutes, perhaps, so she sat down and waited very patiently.

"Well, I shall be glad to see her back again to-morrow."

"I won't eat her up!" she said to herself, and turned resolutely away from the dinner that was waiting for her on her little plate.

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"Come, wake up, you lazy thing!" exclaimed Doty, as Snowball seemed disposed to curl herself up into a soft white ball again, and finish her nap.

"Wake up, I want you to play with me."

"I was not very long before Snowball was quite as much disposed for a game as her little mistress, and they had a grand frolic together in the garden."

"I am sure I should like to be a kitten every day," the little girl thought to herself.

"If she had been doing her usual morning tasks she would have been stitching away at the patchwork yet, or writing her copy, instead of having all this fun. She chased big yellow butterflies around the garden, she went into the barn and jumped on the hay-bunches, and hunted for eggs, and did exactly as she liked."

"What shall I do now?" she thought. "It is too hot to jump rope, and I am tired of running. I think I will go in and get my dolly and dress her."

RELIGIOUS READING.

MY REFUGE AND COVERT. He shall cover thee with His feathers, and under His wings thou shalt take refuge...

International Sunday-School Lessons. 1st-11th CENTURY. 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