

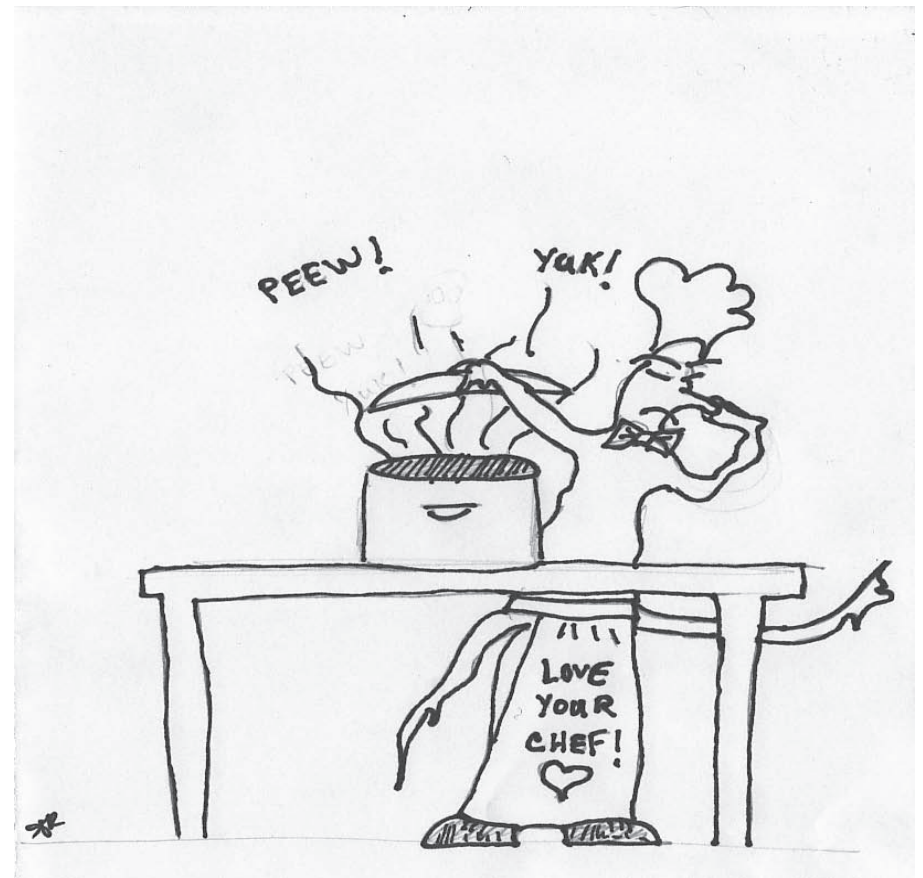
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THE STORY OF FREDDY FUNGUS, ALLISON ALGAE, AND HOW THEY TOOK A LICHEN TO EACH OTHER (A TALE OF TWO ORGANISMS).



Once there was a Fungus named Freddy. Freddy Fungus was a skilled carpenter. Freddy used his abilities to make something every organism needs...a home! After all, without a place to live... it's a cold, cold world. One day it was time to build his own home.



After Freddy had built his home; Freddy realized he had a problem...Freddy couldn't cook at all, and without food he would surely starve. What would Freddy do!?

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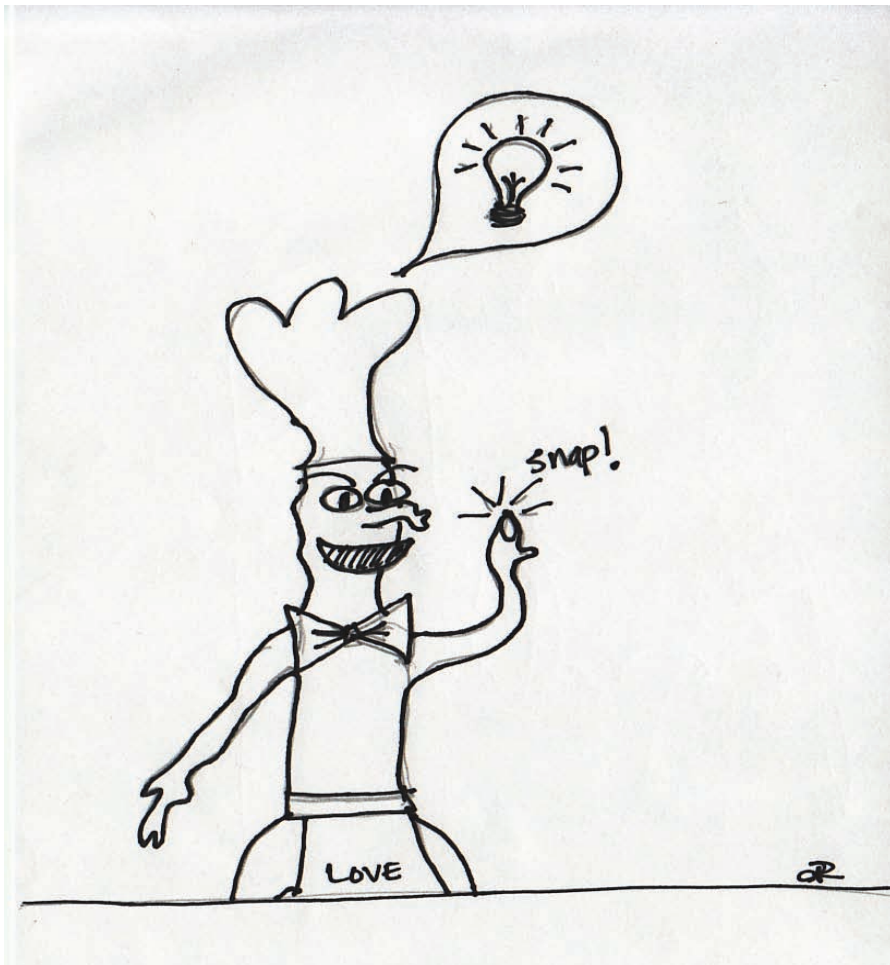
At that moment, he heard a knock at the door. It was Allison Algae! She was the best cook in town! Maybe she could help Freddy.



Freddy begged and pleaded with Allison to make him some food...but Allison Algae was on a mission! She needed to find a place to live and had come over to ask Freddy to build her a home.

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Suddenly, Freddy had a great idea! Allison could live in the house that Freddy built if Allison would cook for them both.



After a while they took a Lichen to each other and got married. Even though their marriage was often on the rocks, they live symbiotically ever after.