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### The origin of the catfish

Long time ago, a cat named Cathy lived with her owner, who was a fisherman that seeks for new species of fish to sell for a living. One day, Cathy gazed upon the port above the ocean blue, when she suddenly spotted a silver being, swimming around and around. Because of her curiosity, Cathy bent down to look closer at the silver creature until she lost her balance. Cathy fell right into the ocean, even though she couldn't swim at all. "Am I going to die like this," wondered Cathy as she sank deeper and deeper into the big blue.

Suddenly, something smooth slid past Cathy's side, which was the silver being she saw before she fell in. That silver creature just happened to be one of the most beautiful fish ever seen in the ocean. Out of pity, the silver fish called out to his brothers and sisters to assist him into helping Cathy, who still remained unconscious. Using their powers, they chanted their magic to create fins and gills on Cathy so she can survive and breathe underwater in order to stay alive. This process took around three days for the completion to happen.

When Cathy awoke, she found herself lying on some coral along with many different colored fish around her. “My body feels strange,” said Cathy, who just noticed how her body looked different. Her paws and tail became fins and her side had some gills along with really shiny scales covering her body. When she found a reflection to look at herself, she was horrified; her face looked completely different from what she was used to. “What happened to my whiskers? What happened to my ears? What happened to me?” Cathy had so many questions in her head as she wondered what happened to her.

Then, the silver fish returned, finding Cathy swimming around in terror from what she had saw from her reflection. “Please calm yourself! Please understand, I changed you into a fish to save your life from drowning,” said the fish. “Who are you?” inquired Cathy; “My name is Finn, and I found you drowning, so I changed you into a fish,” said Finn the fish. “But I’m a cat though. Why did you change me into a fish?” asked Cathy. “Like I said, in order to prevent you from drowning, I changed you into a fish,” said Finn, who was starting to get annoyed.

Although Finn explained everything to Cathy, she was still concerned about her figure. “I’m so scared. Why did you even save me in the first place?” asked Cathy. “I felt pity for you since you were just enjoying your life like me,” answered the annoyed Finn. Soon, Finn taught Cathy everything on how to be a fish; how to swim, to to eat, and how to survive from predators. After that, Finn’s brothers and sisters welcomed Cathy into their family. Even so, Cathy was still wondering if she is still a cat, or is she a fish.

Three months had passed since Cathy became an unknown species of fish, which caught the fisherman's attention to her, not knowing that the new fish was actually his own pet cat. Because of that, the fisherman decided to catch her and sell her off for money. Soon, Bubbles, Finn's little sister, noticed the fisherman's behavior and decided to warn Cathy and her other brothers and sisters. Once they were warned, Finn called out to everyone to stop the fisherman and his crazy scheme. By doing so, every single fish used their strength and powers to push the boat as much as possible to help Cathy.

They pushed and pushed until the fisherman soon lost his balance and fell right off the boat. Cathy swam up to the fisherman, looked at him for some time, and ate him whole. "I believe I know what I am now." said Cathy, " I am both a cat and a fish, so I shall call myself a catfish." Everyone was pleased with the new name of the new species Cathy has called herself. Years have passed, which we now see the species of catfish in this planet, which now we think back of the origin of the catfish.