## **THE CUPCAKE SERIES**



Go on a happy journey to a big old refrigerator where they find lots of new friends.

However, Minty Chocolate Chip doesn't like any of it. He thinks he's better than the other cupcakes because of the flavor of his frosting.

One after the other, the cupcakes begin to disappear. Each time, he blames it on them for not following his rules.

In the end, he finds himself all alone, cowering in fear. Then, the one he hates the most, comes to his aid and saves him.

THE LESSON?

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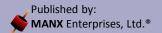
a good person.

(Or Cupcake!)

## WARNING!

This book is fictional. However, some may be upset as the cupcake characters disappear from their box.

Parents should consider how this may affect their children and not buy this book if they object to its contents.



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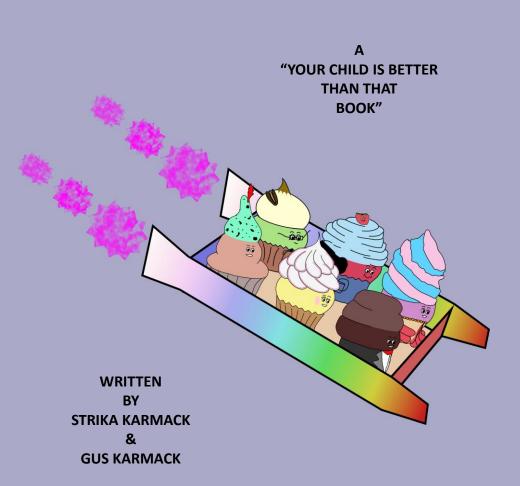
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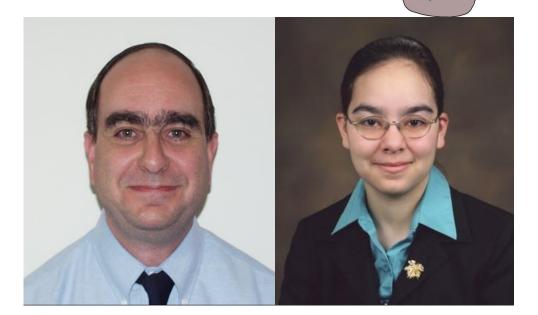


ILLUSTRATED **BY NAVOS KARMACK** 



I hear it's a delicious book!

That's because it // Includes my frosting!



## THE KARMACKS ARE A FATHER AND DAUGHTERS TEAM.

Gus was born in Washington D.C. and grew up in Chevy Chase Maryland. There he attended public schools graduating from Bethesda Chevy Chase High School in 1972. He went on to obtain a B.A. in History at Amherst College in 1976 and a Medical Doctorate at The George Washington School of Health Sciences in 1980. Following this he entered active duty service as a Captain. After that, he worked in both the private and public fields of healthcare before retiring into writing and publishing.

As a young child Gus loved to draw cartoons but not so much write poetry. However, he comes from a family of poets and his younger daughter, Strika started to write poetry at age twelve. So, a few years ago, they decided it was time to write a book of poetry together. During the project Gus discovered that his older daughter, Navos, was also drawing cartoons like he had. She was invited to do the illustrations you see in this flyer.

When he's not writing, Gus devotes his time to drawing, wood working, computer programming, photography, playing way down blues on his beat up old tenor saxophone, and occasionally paying attention to his lovely boss (wife). He is especially thankful for getting the chance to be dad to two wonderful daughters that he loves dearly.

Strika was born just outside of Washington D.C. and grew up in Maryland, Florida, New York, and Maine. She attended public schools all over the place and ended up at the University of Maine where she earned degrees in Biology and Psychology. Presently, she works as a certified nursing assistant while attending nursing school.

In her spare time Strika likes to do sedate things like sky diving, extreme camping, and running marathons. She presently loves all things Otter!

Navos grew up in Maryland, Florida, and New York, before making Marlborough, Massachucetts her home. She works as a software engineer and has a masters in Electrical and Computer Engineering from WPI.

When not working, she tries to find time to pursue a number of hobbies, including reading, origami, eating chocolate, reading, drawing funny characters, and...reading.

They're all berry nice people!

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