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• **Holiday Wreaths**

This is a great holiday cooking activity for your child to do with you, an older sibling, or loved one. It gives young children the opportunity to learn and help someone they look up to. By following your lead, just as Kyla's younger sister did, your child will capture a sense of pleasure and maybe even teach you a thing or two about cooking!



What you need:



- 1/2 cup margarine or butter
- 6 cups corn flakes cereal
- 10 ounces marshmallows
- red cinnamon candies
- 1 teaspoon green food color

Melt margarine in large saucepan over low heat. Add marshmallows and cook, stirring constantly, until marshmallows melt and mixture is syrupy. Remove from heat. Stir in food coloring. Add corn flakes. Stir until well coated. Portion warm cereal mixture using 1/4 cup measure. Using buttered fingers, quickly shape into individual wreaths. Dot with red cinnamon candies.

Other Books For Children

- The Cat Barked?* by Lydia Monks
- Changes, Changes* by Pat Hutchins
- Chester's Way* by Kevin Kenkes

***Don't forget to visit your local library!!! ***

