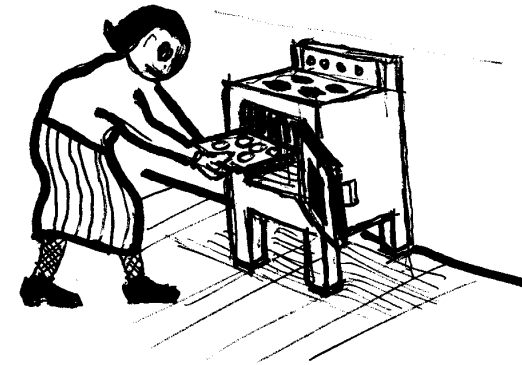


Mrs. James and the Hot Cross Buns



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What is that smell? It smells like Hot Cross Buns. Mrs. James bakes the best Hot Cross Buns in town.

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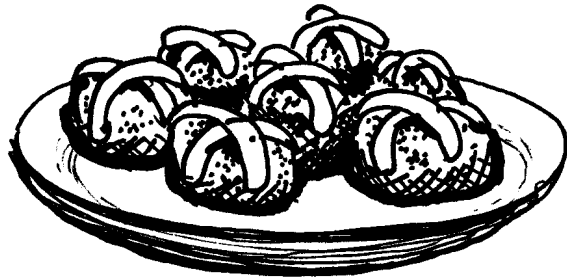
Before she bakes the buns, Mrs. James places crosses on top of the buns. The crosses are made from a mix of white flour and water.

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After she bakes the buns, the buns are brown but the crosses stay white.

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Mrs. James sets out the buns on a plate. When the buns are not too hot, she shares them with her friends.

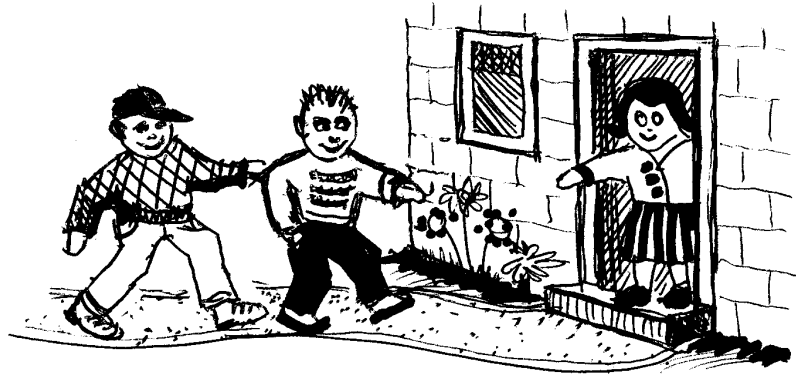
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Sam and Tim are at the gate. They want to try some of Mrs. James' hot cross buns.

"Come in Sam and Tim," says Mrs. James.

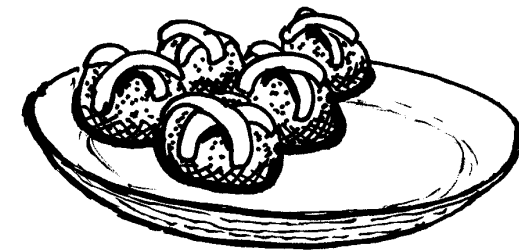
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"Are we too late?" asks Tim.

"No," says Mrs. James. "Try my Hot Cross Buns. They taste quite nice."

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Sam and Tim each take a bun from the plate. They take a bite. They taste VERY nice.

"Thank you, Mrs. James," they say.
"This is has been a good day!"

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