

## Interview with Cassandra 'Perky' Perkins

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The red panda smiled winningly at the camera, "Good morning, viewers, I am Ami Goodeatings with 18U Media, here to conduct an interview. Ma'am, would you like to introduce yourself?"

The female cheetah smiled, one hand sliding down the tie she wore, "Hello. I'm Cassandra Perkins, though most people just call me Perky."

Ami turned to look at Perky, "And why-"

"I know it's an odd nickname, but a lot of people seem to think it fits. My last name being Perkins and apparently I usually have an upbeat, happy look on life, so people just started calling me Perky. It's a cute enough nickname, so I don't mind."

"That's-"

"Speaking of cute, isn't my tie great? I love collecting ties so much, I simply can't help myself. Before I lost my last job as a secretary, I had bought about six dozen different ties. It was a good paying job, so I was able to afford them, and would enjoy wearing a different one to work depending on how I felt."

"Your last-"

"I ended up getting downsized at my last job when it got bought out by another company. At least, that's what the company line is. In actuality, the guy I was going to work under was a complete jerk and I quit. It's how I ended up moving here to GobbleTown!"

"How-"

"You see, the guy was a real creep, but that's getting ahead of myself a bit. I had a hard time keeping a steady job, since things kept happening. Then I got this job as a waitress, and he shows up with several of his business partners. Real creep, started harassing me in front of his friends, so I ended up getting fired for eating him."

"You-"

"Some people would say I overreacted, but really, did I? I was having a hard time keeping a steady job as it was, and when I finally got one, this jerk shows up and starts making my life hell! Anyhow, that's how I ended up coming to GobbleTown, since there's a lot of available jobs here. Pool or ocean life guarding, retail, construction, office work, zookeeper, animator assistant, mailman, cook. I saw the job listings, and there's so many to choose from. I'm certain I'll be able to find a new job here! Speaking of jobs, I thought this was supposed to be an interview. Aren't you supposed to be asking me questions?"

The red panda stared at her, eye twitching, before grabbing Perky by her tie and yanking her forwards. Jaws opening wide, she engulfed Perky's head in her mouth, then began gulping the woman down. Swallow after swallow until the cheetah's tail was slurped down and Cassandra 'Perky' Perkins settled into Ami's stomach. Smacking her lips, Ami glared down at her stomach, then looked to the camera,

“This has been Ami Goodeatings with I8U media. Thank you for tuning in.”

Perky’s muffled voice called out, “So, does this mean I won’t get a follow up interview?”

Ami, “Oh, shut up already!”