In Piteå we have a slogan. It goes like this: "This is where you come when you come home"







Classic food in Piteå

"Det är hit man kommer när man kommer hem"

"This is where you come when you get home"





Surströmming is a fermented herring. You eat it with potatoes, onion, tomatoes and sour cream. If you want to you can put everything on a piece of flatbread and eat it.

It doesn't smell so good. It pretty much smells like vomit. But you can't judge it before you have tried it.

In some apartment houses in the south of Sweden it is not legal to open a can of fermented herring.



Palt is a real classic here in Piteå. Here we eat it all the time but in other city's it is not very well known. I see a lot of people in Stockholm or Gothenburg having no clue what this dish is.

It is basically a round ball made off potatoes, flour some salt and obviously water. There is also some pork in the middle.

You can eat it with jam and butter. You split the palt in half and then you take out the pork. When you have done it you have two pieces of palt. In the middle of the pieces you put butter so it melts. Some people even eat it with syrup.

It might not sound so good but it is a real hidden gem



Steaked pork with brown beans. Some people like it some people don't. It's hard to explain the taste.

You eat brown beans with the steaked pork. People who don't like brown beams often eat stewed macaroni to the pork.

It's more common that old people like this dish because when they were young they ate it more often then now. A few young people like it but it's really rare.

