Sandwich in a Can: Not as Strange as it Sounds

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Have you

ever found yourself scrambling up Pillar Mountain because there's a tsunami warning and you wished you had brought more with you than just a bag of corn chips to eat? Or have you ever stood in front of a pop machine while studying late, wishing it vended some munchies too? Well, a guy in Utah has you covered.

-- (Candwich 1 machine.")

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"One day I was eating a cookie ... out of the soft drink

What Mark

Kirkland eventually came up with was the Candwich - the sandwich in a can. It's not nearly as weird as it sounds. The peanut butter and jam comes with a bun a little bigger than a dinner roll and large packets of creamy peanut butter and grape jelly. And the taste? Just like a PB&J should.

You might

be wondering at this point how KMXT got turned on to the Candwich and why we're sharing it. Well, every day news people get inundated with email from PR people pitching everything from talk show guests to bacon-flavored gum, and mostly we take a pass on them. But living in a town that's prone to attracting natural disasters, extremely bad weather and occasionally spotty electrical service, a shelf-stable sandwich in a can had its appeal.

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(Candwich 2 time.")	39 sec	"It's not a bunch of preservatives a long period of
has two flavors, the at is more of a "Hot-Pocl	forementioned F ket" type sandw	to develop and sell the Candwich, currently PB&J, and honey barbeque chicken, which ich. Kirkland says you don't necessarily n to enjoy, but it is tasty warm:
(Candwich 3 your car.")	18 sec	"I have a friend who's a doctor let them warm up in
If you're thinking the Candwich the field, Kirkland is w		ll for hunters or the military while out in u:
(Candwich 4 formulation.	23 sec	"The military has spent a lot fine under their

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Kirkland

said there are a dozen more flavors coming out, including burritos and pizza pockets.

The cans

themselves are a lot like a Pringles container, or something you might find the Pillsbury Doughboy on the cover of. Larger cans - about the size of a Rockstar or Monster energy drink - with chips and cookies included are on their way as well.

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