Ukraine energy chief: Russia trying to ‘steal’ nuclear plant

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ANACORTES — Zaza Coffee owner Leo Zaza said there is a Turkish proverb that says, "A cup of coffee makes memories that last over 40 years." He said the proverb refers to the friendships that can be developed and sustained over a simple cup of coffee.

Zaza said the coffee stand has experienced growth. He grew up in a small village in Turkey and worked in the hospitality industry before moving to New York, where he worked off-Broadway productions.

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