Mom's Cheesecake





This dessert was always a favorite at Louise Croy's house. Kids and grandkids always wanted more. The benefits of such a dessert are immeasurable, concerning body and soul!

30 - each: Graham crackers (plain)

1 tbsp. - Confectioners Sugar

1 Package - Lemon Jello Mix *** 1 cup - Water

1/2 cup - Margarine *** 16 oz. - Cream Cheese

1 cup - Sugar *** 1 tsp. - Vanilla Extract

12 oz. - Carnation Evaporated Milk

Servings: 14 ** Serving Size: 1 piece ** Prep. Time: 14 hours

- 1.) Roll Graham crackers till fine, melt Margarine, mix well: Graham crackers, Margarine, and confectioner sugar. Set it aside.
- 2.) Prepare Lemon Jello and water, set aside to cool.
- 3.) Mix Cream Cheese, cup of Sugar, and Vanilla Extract till creamy.
- 4.) Chill Carnation Milk about 2 hours, beat until stiff, add Cream Cheese mixture and fold in Lemon Jello.
- 5.) Line bottom of a 10" x 13" baking pan or dish with Graham Cracker mixture. Save some for topping.
- 6.) Spoon in Cheesecake mixture, sprinkle top with remaining Graham Cracker mixture. Chill for 12 hours.

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Mom Croy's Oatmeal Cake with Coconut Topping





All research failed to uncover the origin of Mom's recipe. It was written on one of her recipe cards, but no notes about its origin. She and her 5 sisters traded many recipes, and her mother was a possibility.

INGREDIENTS:

1 cup Oatmeal ** 1 1/2 cups - Water ** 1 cup - Brown Sugar 1 cup - White Sugar ** 2 - Eggs 1 2/3 cup - Flour ** 1 tsp. Cinnamon ** 1/2 tsp. - Salt 1 tsp. - Baking Soda ** 1 tsp. - Nutmeg ** 1 cup - Margarine DIRECTIONS:

- 1.) Bring the Water to boiling and pour it over the Oatmeal. Let it stand for about 2 minutes.
- 2.) Mix thoroughly the Brown Sugar, White Sugar, 2 Eggs, and Margarine., add Oatmeal and Water mixture, mix thoroughly, add Flour, Cinnamon, Salt, Baking Soda, and Nutmeg, mix thoroughly. Pour into an oiled and floured oblong baking pan, bake at 350° for 45 minutes.
- 3.) Top with Mom's Coconut Topping. Spread the topping over the baked cake and place under your oven broiler until the coconut is toasted. (Careful, just till browned)

Coconut Topping INGREDIENTS & DIRECTIONS

- 1 1/3 cup Coconut ** 6 tbsps. Margarine (softened) ** 1 cup Evaporated Milk
- 1.) Mix thoroughly all the ingredients and spread on your cake

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Ken's No Bake

Sugar Free Cheesecake





No known origin of this recipe. There seems to be hundreds of on-line similar versions. I am sure it appeared in my recipe collection sometime after learning of my diabetes.

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 9inch Graham Cracker Crust
- 1 6oz. package Sugar Fre Lemon Flavored Gelatin
- 1 Cup Water (boiling)
- 1 8oz. package Reduced Fat cream Cheese
- 2 tsps. Vanilla Extract
- 1 cup "Light" Whipping Cream

DIRECTIONS:

- 1.) Dissolve Lemon Gelatin in Boiling Water. Let cool until thickened, but not set. In a large bowl, beat Cream Cheese and Vanilla until till smooth. Blend in Lemon Gelatin. Fold in Whipped Topping.
- 2.) Pour filling into crust. Sprinkle top with Graham Cracker Crumbs. Refrigerate overnight.

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Grandma Thoma's "Over Nite" Coffee Cake





It is unknown if this is her original recipe. This dessert was always a favorite at Grandma Thoma's house!

Cake INGREDIENTS:

3/4 cup - Margarine *** 1 cup - Sugar

1/2 cup - Brown Sugar *** 2 Large - Eggs

2 cups - All Purpose Flour *** 1 tsp. - Baking Soda

1 tsp. - Cinnamon *** 1 tsp. - Nutmeg

1 cup - Sour Cream

2 cups - Jonathon Apple (peeled & chopped)

Topping INGREDIENTS:

1/2 cup: Brown Sugar *** 1 tsp. - Cinnamon

1 cup - Walnuts (chopped)

DIRECTIONS:

- 1.) Cream Cake Margarine and Sugars in a mixing bowl; mix in the remaining Cake ingredients in order. Fold into a 9" x 13" baking pan.
- 2.) Combine topping ingredients, sprinkle over cake mixture. Press the topping on the batter. Cover and refrigerate overnight.

NEXT DAY: Preheat oven to 350 °. Bake 30 to 40 minutes. (until toothpick comes out clean)

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