

Miss Hattie's Vanilla Pound Cake with Berry Sauce



In Twice a Bride, Miss Hattie drew her Cripple Creek friends into a celebration of new beginnings with her vanilla pound cake. Don't forget her berry sauce.

Ingredients for Cake

3 cups flour 2 cups sugar 1 cup oil 1 cup buttermilk 2 teaspoons butter 2 teaspoons vanilla extract 1 teaspoon salt 1⁄2 teaspoon baking soda 4 eggs



Ingredients for Berry Sauce

1 cup water 1 cup sugar 3 cups berries, one variety or mixed 1 tablespoon cornstarch or arrowroot powder

Instructions for Cake

Bake in a pie dish or loaf pan at 350°F for about 1 hour and 15 minutes. Cool enough to cut, add berry sauce and serve.

Instructions for Berry Sauce

In a medium saucepan, combine water and sugar. Bring to a slow boil then boil for 5 minutes, stirring frequently.

Slice or dice any berries like strawberries, raspberries, and blueberries can remain whole. Add berries to syrup, reduce heat and simmer another 5 minutes.

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In a small bowl, stir together the cornstarch or arrowroot powder with the water. Slowly add to syrup, bring to a boil and cook until thickened.

A cup of coffee goes perfectly with this berry rich dessert.

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