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Black Walnut Cake

EQUIPMENT NEEDED:

Medium mixing bowl, two 8" cake pans, rubber spatula, measuring cups, measuring spoons, electric mixer, sharp knife

INGREDIENTS:

For the Cake: 1 box of Bloomfield Farms® Cake Mix 1 stick (½ cup) butter, melted 3 large eggs (or egg substitute) 2 tsp. gluten free vanilla ¾ cup milk (or milk substitute) For the lcing: 6 oz. cream cheese, softened 3 oz. butter, softened 2 cups powdered sugar 4 Tbsp. black walnut extract 2 cups walnuts, finely chopped

PROCEDURE:

For the Cake:

1. Pre-heat oven to 350° F.

- 2. Lightly coat pans with non-stick cooking spray.
- 3. Whisk together butter, milk, eggs and vanilla in a mixing bowl.
- 4. Slowly add entire package of Bloomfield Farms[®] Cake Mix to liquid mixture from Step 3 until a batter forms. *Do not over-mix*.
- 5. Pour equal amounts of batter in two 8 inch pans. Tap pans on counter repeatedly so batter is evenly distributed.
- 6. Bake on middle rack of oven for 23-25 minutes.
- 7. Let cakes cool completely before icing.

For the Black Walnut Icing:

- 1. In a medium bowl, combine cream cheese and butter with a hand mixer until light and fluffy.
- 2. Slowly add the powdered sugar until thoroughly combined.
- 3. Add black walnut extract and mix well.
- 4. Spread icing on cooled cakes. Garnish with chopped walnuts.