

# Tomato Spice Cake



A unique depth of flavor to wow your guests!

## **Timing**

Prep time Total time Skill level 20 mins 65 mins Medium

#### What You'll Need

- > 2 Medium tomatoes, pureed to make 1 1/3 cup puree
- > 2 Eggs
- > 1 Cup sugar
- > ½ Cup veg oil
- > 1/8 Cup molasses
- > 2 Cups flour
- > 1 tsp. Baking soda
- > ¾ tsp. Salt
- > 1 ¼ tsp. Cinnamon
- > 1 ¼ tsp. Nutmeg
- > ¾ tsp. Ginger

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- > ½ Powder sugar
- > 3 tbsp. Lemon juice
- ¾ tsp. Nutmeg
- > ¼ tsp. Cinnamon
- > Optional: candied red, yellow & orange peppers.

### **Directions**

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 350°F. Line an 8 x 8 cake pan with parchment paper.
- 2. Grease parchment paper as well as the inner side of the pan.
- 3. Puree tomatoes, seeds, and all using a blender or hand mixer.
- 4. Beat 2 eggs (by hand) with 1 cup sugar. Add ½ cup veg oil, then 1/8 molasses.
- 5. In a separate bowl, mix 2 cups flour, 1 tsp. baking soda, ¾ tsp. salt, 1 ¼ tsp. cinnamon, 1 ¼ tsp. nutmeg & ¾ tsp. ginger.
- 6. Sift all ingredients into egg mixture.
- 7. Slowly fold in the dry ingredients and add tomato puree until batter is evenly incorporated.
- 8. Pour ingredients into the prepared pan and level.
- 9. Bake for 40-50 minutes or until a toothpick pulls out clean.

#### Glaze

- 1. Sift icing sugar and spices into a bowl and whisk in lemon juice.
- 2. Drizzle over cake diagonally with a fork or pastry bag.