

Black Bottom Pie

■ SERVINGS

COOKING TIME

8 60 min

Black Bottom Pie is rich and a yummy way to sweeten up the holidays. With a flaky crust, bittersweet chocolate, and chewy oats, this pie recipe is perfect for entertaining this fall and winter. With a thick layer of chocolate spread across the bottom, every bite is better than the last.

Ingredients

- 1 ½ cups Quaker® Oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
- 1/4 cup heavy cream
- 4 oz bittersweet chocolate, chopped
- 3/4 cup packed light brown sugar
- 1/2 tsp kosher salt
- 5 tbsp unsalted butter, melted
- 1 cup dark corn syrup
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 4 large eggs
- Pie crust (store bought or homemade)

Cooking Instructions

- 1. Position a rack in the center of the oven and preheat the oven to 350°F.
- 2. Toast the oats on a baking sheet for 5 minutes, stir, and put back in the oven to toast for another 5 minutes.
- 3. Set aside to cool.
- 4. Reduce the oven temperature to 325°F.
- 5. To make the chocolate layer, put the heavy cream in a sauce pan and bring to a boil over medium heat.
- 6. Remove from the heat, and add the chocolate pieces.
- 7. Make sure to mix together thoroughly so that the ingredients are combined evenly; let sit for 5 minutes.

- 8. Pour the chocolate mixture over the pie crust, and spread evenly; put the pie crust in the freezer to harden.
- 9. In a large bowl, mix together the brown sugar, salt, and melted butter.
- 10. Add the corn syrup, vanilla, and whisk to combine.
- 11. Add each egg one at a time, making sure to mix each one in thoroughly.
- 12. Stir in the cooled oats previously toasted.
- 13. Take the pie crust out of the freezer and place on baking sheet.
- 14. Pour in the filling.
- 15. Place the pie in the oven on the middle rack and bake for 50 minutes, checking periodically to make sure the pie is not burning.
- 16. The pie is finished when the center (filling) is firm to the touch but has some give.
- 17. Allow the pie to cool for roughly 2 hours on a wire rack.
- 18. Recommend serving with whipped cream.
- 19. Enjoy!