# Grandma's Lemon Meringue



One 9-inch pie 30 Min - Prep time 10 Min - Cook time 40 Min - Total

## **INGREDIENTS**

1 cup white sugar

2 tablespoons all-purpose flour

3 tablespoons cornstarch

♠ 1/4 teaspoon salt

1 1/2 cups water

2 lemons, juiced and zested

2 tablespoons butter

🔑 4 egg yolks, beaten

🔎 1(9 inch) pie crust, baked

4 egg whites

6 tablespoons white sugar

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. **Preheat Oven:** Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C).
- 2. Make Lemon Filling: In a medium saucepan ...
  - Whisk together 1 cup sugar, flour, cornstarch, and salt.
  - Stir in water, lemon juice and lemon zest.
  - Cook over medium-high heat, stirring frequently, until mixture comes to a boil. Stir in butter.
  - Place egg yolks in a small bowl and gradually whisk in 1/2 cup of hot sugar mixture.
  - Whisk egg yolk mixture back into remaining sugar mixture.Bring to a boil and continue to cook while stirring constantly until thick.
  - Remove from heat.
  - Pour filling into baked pastry shell.
- 3. Make Meringue: In a large glass or metal bowl ...
  - Whip egg whites until foamy.
  - Add sugar gradually, and continue to whip until stiff peaks form.
  - Spread meringue over pie, sealing the edges at the crust.
- 4. Bake: Bake in preheated oven for 10 minutes, or until meringue is golden brown.

#### **USER COMMENTS**

This is a very fun recipe to follow, because Grandma makes it sweet and simple. This pie is thickened with cornstarch and flour in addition to egg yolks, and contains no milk.

- Emilie S.
- Q: What do you call an ape who loves pie?
- A: A meringue-utan.
- Vickie K.

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