

Easy Redeye Gravy

This recipe was a special treat for reader Melody Lee during childhood visits to her grandmother's farm. A classic Southern recipe, redeye gravy is served on a biscuit with ham for a hearty breakfast or brunch.



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Yield: Makes 6 servings Cook time:10 Minutes Prep time:10 Minutes

Ingredients

6 frozen biscuits

2 tablespoons butter

6 biscuit-size country ham slices

1 tablespoon all-purpose flour

1 cup strong brewed coffee

1 1/2 tablespoons brown sugar

1/8 to 1/4 tsp. salt

1/8 teaspoon freshly ground pepper

1/4 teaspoon hot sauce (optional)

Preparation

- 1. Prepare frozen biscuits according to package directions.
- 2. Meanwhile, melt butter in large skillet over medium-high heat. Add ham, and cook 3 minutes on each side or until lightly browned; remove ham.
- 3. Add flour to skillet; cook, whisking constantly, 1 minute. Add brewed coffee, brown sugar, and 1/2 cup water. Cook, whisking constantly, 3 minutes or until thickened; return ham slices to skillet. Stir in salt, pepper, and, if desired, hot sauce.
- 4. Split warm biscuits in half. Top bottom halves with ham slices. Pour gravy over ham; cover with remaining biscuit halves. Serve immediately.

Note: For testing purposes only, we used White Lily Southern Style and Buttermilk Frozen Biscuit Dough.

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