## **Gingerbread Loaf**

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Gingerbread Loaf (Soft, moist, molasses quick bread with ginger & nutmeg)

## **Specifications**

Total time: 55 minsPrep time: 10 minsBake time: 45 mins

• Yield: 1 loaf

• Oven temp: 350 F

## **Ingredients**

- 2 cups all-purpose flour 240 grams
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 teaspoons ginger
- 3/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup brown sugar (packed)
- 1/2 cup butter (softened)
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 large eggs
- 1 cup buttermilk\*
- · powdered sugar for dusting the top if desired

## **Directions**

- Preheat the oven to 350 degrees.
- In a mixing bowl, thoroughly stir together the flour, baking soda, ginger, nutmeg and salt. Set aside.
- In a large mixing bowl, cream together the sugar and butter until well combined. Add the molasses and vanilla. Mix well. Add the eggs, one at a time, until well mixed.
- Add the flour mixture to the sugar mixture alternately with the buttermilk, stirring just until blended after each addition.
- Spoon the batter into a greased 9x5 inch loaf pan and bake at 350 degrees for 45-50 minutes.
- Cool in the pan for 10 minutes.
- Remove from the pan and cool.

- In place of buttermilk, you place one tablespoon of vinegar in the bottom of a 1 cup measuring cup. Fill the rest of the cup with milk. Allow the mixture to sit for 5 minutes before using.
- I used almond milk and it came out alright.