

Miri Girgerbread Burdt Cakes * with Orange-Varilla Sauce

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INGREDIENTS

Gingerbread Mini Bundt Cakes (Makes 12 (4"x1.75") or 24 (2.7"x1.18") Mini Bundt Cakes)

- 1 2/3 cup all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 4 large eggs
- 3/4 cup vegetable oil
- 2 1/2 teaspoons zested fresh ginger
- 12-ounce bottle amber lager beer
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 1/4 cup molasses
- 1 1/2 cup brown sugar

Orange-Vanilla Sauce

- 1/2 vanilla bean
- 1 1/4 cup milk
- 1/4 cup granulated sugar
- 3 egg yolks
- Zest of 1/2 orange
- 1 teaspoon orange oil

DIRECTIONS

For Gingerbread Bundt Cake

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F. Spray mini Bundt cake cavities with non-stick cooking spray and set aside.
- 2. Sift flour, baking powder, salt, ground ginger, cinnamon, and nutmeg into medium bowl. Set aside.
- 3. Beat eggs, oil, and fresh ginger in small bowl and set aside.
- 4. Heat beer in large saucepan over medium-high heat until boiling. Remove from heat and slowly add baking soda. Once beer stops foaming, add molasses and brown sugar. Stir in flour mixture, 1/3 at a time, mixing well after adding. Stir in eggs until combined. Batter will be thin.
- 5. Pour into prepared Bundt pans, filling each cavity 2/3 full. Bake for 20-22 minutes, until toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean.
- 6. Cool completely on wire rack before removing from pan.

For Orange-Vanilla Sauce

- Cut vanilla bean in half and scrape out seeds using a knife.
 Set aside.
- 2. Combine milk, sugar, and vanilla bean scrapings in medium saucepan and cook over medium heat until hot, but not boiling.
- 3. Whisk egg yolks in a medium bowl. Slowly pour in half of the hot milk mixture while whisking the eggs. Pour eggs into saucepan with milk mixture and cook over medium heat, whisking constantly for 2-3 minutes, until thick enough to coat the back of spoon.
- 4. Remove from heat and continue to whisk for 3 minutes.
- 5. Pour into glass bowl and set glass bowl on top of an ice bath. Once sauce is at room temperature, add orange zest and orange oil.
- 6. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

For Glaze

- 1. Whisk powdered sugar, milk, and vanilla in small bowl until smooth. If glaze is too thick, add 1/4 teaspoon of milk at a time until desired consistency.
- 2. Drizzle glaze onto cooled cakes.

To Serve: Fill center of each mini Bundt cake with Orange-Vanilla Sauce.