

Vegan Coconut Cupcakes

It can be a challenge to find a quality low-fat coconut dessert, but this one will satisfy your sweet tooth and not leave you feeling guilty in the morning. It's also vegan, so it makes a nice one-size-fits-all treat for your guests. And the chef in this video is so likeable that you may want to make it tonight!

Vegan Coconut Cake and Cupcakes Recipe Yields: 12 cupcakes or one 9 inch round

Ingredients:

1 ½ cups all-purpose flour

2 tsp. baking powder

½ tsp. salt

3/4 cup granulated sugar

1/4 cup Earth Balance Margarine

1/4 cup coconut flakes

34 cup coconut milk

1/4 cup applesauce

1 tbsp. white vinegar

½ tsp. vanilla extract

Preparation Process:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2. In a larger mixing bowl, cream together Earth Balance Margarine and granulated sugar with an electric mixer
- 3. Next, mix in coconut milk, applesauce, white vinegar, and vanilla extract
- 4. In a separate bowl, whisk together all-purpose flour, baking powder and salt
- 5. Add the wet ingredients to the bowl with the dry ingredients and mix until well combined
- 6. Bake for 20 -- 25 minutes for cupcakes and 25 -- 30 minutes for cakes.

Vegan Coconut Buttercream and decoration

Ingredients:

1/4 cup Earth Balance Margarine

1/4 cup vegetable shortening

1 3/4 cup powdered sugar

1 tbsp. coconut milk

1 cup coconut flakes

Preparation process

- 1. Use an electric mixer to cream together Earth Balance Margarine and vegetable shortening
- 2. Continue to mix while adding in powdered sugar.
- 3. At the end, mix in coconut milk until smooth.
- 4. Use the prepared mixture to frost a cooled cake or cupcakes
- 5. Lightly press coconut flakes onto the frosting

Bonus Items

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