

Shortbread Recipe

Recipe found on Ann's Entitled Life

Prep Time: 15 minutes plus 12 hour refrigeration

Cook time: 30 minutes

Ingredients:

• 2 sticks unsalted Butter, softened

- 1/4 cup Confectionery Sugar
- 2 cups Flour
- dash of Salt

Directions:

- In a mixing bowl, using the paddle mixer attachment, cream together butter and sugar.
- Combine flour and salt in a separate bowl.
- Gradually add flour mixture into butter mixture on low speed. It will eventually come together.
- Turn out onto counter make a ball.
- Cover the entire ball of dough with plastic wrap and refrigerate chill overnight. Remove from refrigerator and allow to sit on counter for at least 15 minutes before rolling and cutting.
- Preheat oven to 350°.
- Roll out dough to 3/8" thick and cut into shapes, bars or wedges or pat in a spring-form or tart pan at 1/2-3/4" thick.
- Bake for 15 minutes at 350°
- Reduce heat to 300° and bake for another 15-20 minutes or until light golden brown around the edges.
- Cool on a wire rack.
- Store in an air tight container.

Makes 16-24 Shortbread Cookies or one large Shortbread