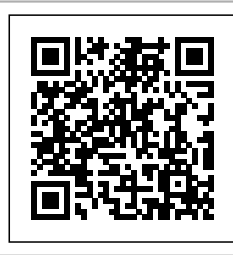


Dutch Apple Pie



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Serves 8 to 10

Prep Time: 20 minutes

Cook Time: 1 hours 0 minutes

Ingredients

__ 9 inch Pie Crust, homemade or store bought, fitted in a greased 9 pie plate
__ 2-1/2 lb of Apples, peeled, cored and thinly sliced (I prefer Honeycrisp Apples)
__ 1/4 cup of Granulated Sugar
__ 2 Tbsp of Lemon Juice
__ 1/3 cup of All Purpose Flour
__ 2 tsp of Cinnamon
__ 2 tsp of Vanilla Extract

For the topping:

__ 1/2 cup of Brown Sugar
__ 1/2 cup of Granulated Sugar
__ 1 Stick (1/2 cup) of cold Unsalted Butter, cut into small pieces
__ 1 cup of Flour

1) In a large bowl, toss together the apples with the sugar, lemon juice, flour, cinnamon, and vanilla and set aside for 15 minutes.

2) Preheat your oven to 375 degrees, brush the surface of the pie crust with a beaten egg. Place the pie plate on a foiled lined baking sheet and set aside.

3) To make the topping, add all the topping ingredients to a bowl and using a pastry cutter cut the butter in the dry ingredients until the mixture resembles coarse crumbs.

4) To assemble the pie, gently gather handfuls of the apple mixture with your hands and squeeze out any excess moisture and place them in the prepared pie crust (discard all the liquid) then top with the coarse topping, pop it the oven (I like to bake my pies on the lower third rack in the oven) and bake for 45 minutes to an hour or until deeply golden brown. Allow to cool completely before serving.

NOTE: Just a quick mention that in the video I stated the oven temperature to be 350 degrees and I meant to say 375. Sorry about that, looks like I needed an extra cup of coffee that day!

