Pearl's Gum Drop Bread

Carole Laughary

2 tsp soda in 2 T. hot water

1 cup orange juice

4 cups flour

2 beaten eggs

1-1/4 cup sugar

2 cups gum drops (halved - no black or white)

2 T. baking powder 3 T. shortening

1 t. salt

1 cup chopped nuts

Mix shortening (oil) and sugar. Then add eggs, then liquid. Mix. Add remaining ingredients.

Bake at 325° for 1 hour.

(2 loaves)

Personal Notes: Do you remember this bread? Grandma Pearl almost always had it on hand. You kids loved it because it was so colorful.

Zuccini Bread

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3 eggs, beaten

1 cup oil

2 cups sugar

2 cups grated zuccini

2 tsp. vanilla

3 cups flour

1 tsp. soda

1/2 tsp. baking powder

1 tsp salt

1 tsp cinnamon

Preheat oven to 325°