

## Oatmeal Cake

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1-1/4 cups boiling water  
1 cup oatmeal  
1 cup white sugar  
1 cup brown sugar  
1/2 cup margarine  
2 eggs  
1/1/2 cups flour  
1 t. soda  
1/2 t. salt

Pour boiling water over oatmeal and let stand for 20 minutes.

Mix into oatmeal in order given:

1 cup white sugar  
1 cup brown sugar  
1/2 cup margarine  
2 eggs  
1-1/2 cups flour  
1 tsp. soda  
1/2 tsp. salt

Bake in 9 x 13 pan at 350° for 40-45 minutes.

Pour frosting on cake immediately. Cool

Frosting:

6 T. margarine  
1 cup brown sugar  
4 T. milk  
1/2 cup chopped nuts  
1 cup coconut  
Boil for one minute.

**Personal Notes:** This is easy and delicious. I made it almost every time either Jack and Sandy Elliott or Bev and George Rademacher came for Sunday dinner. They always loved it and the kids always asked for it.