

Death in Four Courses

Book 2 of the Key West Food Critic Mysteries

Recipe

My friend Linda Juliani gave me this recipe for hot fudge pie and I've made it many times. It's perfectly fast and easy and yet has all the advantages of a homemade dessert, hot out of the oven.

Ingredients

- 1 stick butter
- 3 squares unsweetened chocolate
- 1 and 1/4 cups sugar
- 4 Tbsp flour
- 3 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- dash salt

Melt one stick of butter and 3 squares of unsweetened chocolate together. (Linda uses the microwave—just be sure to cover the bowl as it will splatter. I use the old-fashioned pan on a stove method.)

Add to the bowl 1 and 1/4 cups sugar and 4 tablespoons flour and a dash of salt. Mix. Then add 3 beaten eggs and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Pour the batter into a greased 9 inch pie plate and bake at 350 degrees for 20-25 minutes.

Serve warm with ice cream.