



Dessert Cookbooks

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Chocolate from the Cake Mix Doctor By Anne Byrn

Read by Kerry Cundiff

Reading time 14 hours, 52 minutes

Author of *The Cake Mix Doctor* (RC 52035) turns her attention to chocolate.

Starting with a supermarket-packaged cake mix, Byrn offers 150 easy recipes for deep, dark, delicious cakes from devil's food to the Tunnel of Fudge. 2001.

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Cake Keeper Cakes: 100 Simple Recipes for Extraordinary Bundt Cakes, Pound Cakes, Snacking Cakes, and Other Good-to-the-Last-Crumb Treats

By Lauren Chattman

Read by Kerry Dukin

Reading time 6 hours, 15 minutes

Pastry chef's introduction covers equipment, ingredients, and techniques for quality cake baking. Recipes provide step-by-step directions for preparing and storing moist, unadorned cakes for everyday eating using foods and flavors from around the world. Includes espresso-hazelnut bundt cake, pineapple and toasted coconut cake, and chocolate gingerbread. 2009.

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Cookies For Christmas by Jennifer Darling

Read by Kerry Cundiff

Reading time 7 hours, 42 minutes

Collection of more than one hundred Christmas cookie recipes from the Better Homes and Gardens test kitchen. Includes cutout, shaped, sliced, dropped, and bar cookies that feature old world favorites and new cookie ideas with a flavor twist. 1999.

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Death By Chocolate the Last Word on a Consuming Passion By Marcel Desaulniers

Chef of the Trellis Restaurant in Colonial Williamsburg reveals recipes for his famous desserts. Desaulniers's instructions, appropriate for home kitchens, include his version of standards such as brownies and chocolate chip cookies, as well as recipes that may cause "chocolate dementia." The author adds "bits and pieces of information about chocolate" and accompanies most recipes with "the chef's touch."

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Mrs. Fields Cookie Book 100 recipes from the Kitchen of Mrs. Fields By Debbi Fields

Read by Jill Ferris

Reading time 4 hours, 46 minutes

The author, famous for her international cookie business, provides recipes to be made at home. Aimed at casual as well as avid bakers, the collection includes dropped, fancy, filled, and bar cookies. It also offers other special treats such as cheesecake and apple pie.

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Bake and Make Amazing Cookies By Elizabeth MacLeod

Read by Kerry Cundiff

Reading time 1 hours, 22 minutes

Step-by-step recipes for thirty-two kinds of cookies, squares, and treats.

Includes holiday and seasonal specials as well as choices for gifts and just-for-fun eating. Includes a list of ingredients and numbered instructions for making and baking. For grades 4-7. 2004.

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Chocolate Holidays: Unforgettable Desserts for Every Season By Alice

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Read by Barbara Pinolini

Reading time 4 hours, 22 minutes

Triple winner of the Cookbook of the Year award presents more than fifty recipes for chocolate desserts, for each holiday of the year and special occasions. Designed to follow the calendar, the recipes include chocolate pecan pie, breakfast Valentines, Passover brownies, chocolate Easter baskets, and chocolate-dipped strawberries. 2001.

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Also available on cassette RC063535

The Big Book of Diabetic Desserts: Decadent and Delicious Recipes

Perfect for People with Diabetes By Jackie Mills

Read by Kerry Cundiff

Reading time 7 hours, 55 minutes

Dietitian offers suggestions for using the right types and amounts of sugar and fat to create a variety of satisfying desserts that stay within the carbohydrate and calorie targets of those living with diabetes. Includes recipes for cakes, cookies, pies, puddings, fruit dishes, frozen treats, and other sweet-tooth delicacies. 2007.

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Small-Batch Baking When Just Enough for 1 or 2 ... is Just Enough! By

Debby Maugans Nakos

Read by Kerry Cundiff

Reading time 14 hours, 15 minutes

Food writer provides more than 250 recipes for cakes, pies, cookies, cobblers, puddings, and breads that yield two or three servings. Offers tips on selecting equipment, such as cans for baking cakes and muffin pans for baking individual quick breads; measuring techniques; and storing leftover ingredients. 2004.

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Great Old-Fashioned American Desserts By Beatrice A. Ojakangas

Read by Catherine Byers

Old-time desserts with colorful names: cobbler, fool, pandowdy, slump, rolypoly, and berry tumble. Pies, cakes, and cookies round out this eclectic collection of historic favorites updated for modern kitchens.

Available on cassette RC026870

Martha Stewart's Cookies: The Very Best Treats to Bake and to Share,

Martha Stewart Living By Martha Stewart

Read by Madelyn Buzzard Reading time 11 hours 52 minutes.

Presents 175 cookie recipes with textures such as soft and chewy, crumbly and sandy, and chunky and nutty. Covers easy-to-make traditional drop cookies as well as fruit bars, meringues, icebox spirals, biscotti, and more. Includes ideas for packaging and information about tools and techniques. Bestseller. 2008.

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