CARAMEL APPLE CUPCAKES

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Caramel Apple Cupcakes made with a spiced apple cupcake and topped with caramel icing. They melt in your mouth and are such a delicious apple dessert idea!

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Prep Time: 30 minutes Cook Time: 19 minutes Total Time: 49 minutes Yield: 22-24 Cupcakes

1x Category: Cupcakes

Cuisine: American

INGREDIENTS

APPLE SPICE CUPCAKES

12/3 cups all purpose flour

1/2 cup brown sugar

1/2 cup sugar

1/4 tsp baking soda

11/4 tsp baking powder

1 tsp cinnamon

1/8 tsp nutmeg

3 egg whites

2 tsp vanilla extract

1/2 cup sour cream

1/2 cup milk

3/4 cup salted butter, slightly melted

1 large apple, peeled and chopped



Method: Oven

CARAMEL BUTTERCREAM

1 cup salted butter

1 cup shortening

8 cups powdered sugar

3/4 cup + 2 tbsp <u>caramel sauce</u>

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- 2. Whisk together flour, sugars, baking soda, baking powder, cinnamon and nutmeg in a large mixing bowl.
- 3. Add egg whites, vanilla extract, sour cream, milk and butter and mix on medium speed just until smooth. Do not over mix.
- 4. Stir in chopped apples
- 5. Fill cupcake liners about 3/4 full.
- 6. Bake 17-19 minutes.
- 7. Allow to cool for 1-2 minutes, then remove to cooling rack to finish cooling.
- 8. To make the buttercream, bombine butter and shortening and mix until smooth.
- 9. Add 4 cups of powdered sugar and mix until smooth.
- 10. Add caramel sauce and mix until smooth.
- 11. Add remaining powdered sugar and mix until smooth.
- 12. Top cupcakes with icing and a drizzle of caramel.

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 1 Cupcake Serves 24

Amount Per Se	rving		
Calories			540
		%	Daily Value*
Total Fat 22.9g			29%
Cholesterol 37.8mg			13%
Sodium 169.4mg			7%
Total Carbohydrate 85.3g			31%
Sugars 80	.3g		
Protein 1.8g			4%
Vitamin A	14%	Vitamin C	0%