



## MEDENJACI Bosnian Honey Cookies

## Ingredients

- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/2 cup honey
- 2 eggs
- 1/4 teaspoon cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- Pinch of salt
- 3 cups flour
- 1teaspoon baking soda
- 1cup icing sugar for decorating (optional)

## Method

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350 F. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper
- 2. Melt the butter and honey together until just melted and combined. Set aside.
- 3. In a separate bowl mix flour, cloves, ginger, nutmeg, cinnamon, salt and baking soda
- 4. In a bowl, whisk together the eggs and sugar. Add the honey-butter. Then add the combined flour and spices
- 5. Using your hands, mix everything together until combined
- 6. Wrap in plastic and refrigerate for 1-2 hours
- Divide the dough into walnut-size balls and press each one lightly on the baking sheet.
   Alternatively, roll out the dough 4-5 mm thick and use a cookie cutter
- 8. Bake the medenjaci for about 8 10 minutes or until lightly golden
- For the icing, place the icing sugar and 2 tbsp. water into a mixing bowl.
   Stir until smooth
- 10. Cool cookies before icing
- 11. Dip the top of each cookie into the icing or make any pattern you like
- 12. Allow icing to dry thoroughly before storing cookies in an airtight container.
- 13. If you can't wait, you can eat them right away but they are truly best after 4-5 days!

Makes 40 - 50 cookies