

## **Egyptian Sweet Cookies**

A new twist on a traditional cookie recipe from Egypt. This twist uses melted butter instead of ghee and adds cinnamon and nutmeg for a hit of warmth and spice. This recipe makes around 40 cookies.

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## Ingredients/Supplies

4 cups flour

2 1/2 sticks unsalted butter, melted

½ cup powdered sugar, plus more for dusting

¾ teaspoon baking powder

Pinch salt

¼ teaspoon vanilla extract

¼ teaspoon cinnamon

¼ teaspoon nutmeg

½ cup milk, room temperature



## **Directions**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F and line 2-3 baking sheets with parchment paper.
- 2. In a large bowl or mixer, mix together all the dry ingredients: flour, sugar, baking powder, salt, cinnamon and nutmeg.
- 3. With mixer set to low speed, slowly add vanilla followed by melted butter and continue mixing pausing just before the dough fully forms.
- 4. Pour in milk and mix until all ingredients are fully incorporated.
- 5. Scoop a rounded tablespoonful of dough and roll into a ball. Place on a cookie sheets. Make a cross hatch on the top using a fork, pressing down slightly.
- 6. Bake each batch for 12-15 minutes, or until bottom edges are slightly browned. Cool completely before dusting generously with powdered sugar.



