## BANANA LOAF

## Ingredients

- 1. 1/2 cup olive oil
- 2. 1 1/2 cups sucanat with honey or 1/2 cup honey
- 3. 2 eggs
- 4. 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 5. 2 cups whole wheat flour soft pastry
- 6. 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 7. 1/2 cup ground flax seed -- optional
- 8. 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 9. 3/4 teaspoon baking soda
- 10.1 cup chopped nuts
- 11. 1 cup banana -- mashed
- 12. 1/4 cup yogurt

## Instructions

1. Cream oil and add sucanat, eggs, vanilla. Combine dry ingredients and add to liquid mixture. Add mashed bananas last and then add nuts. Stir lightly. Grease 1 large or 2 small loaf pans or 1 bundt pan. Bake approx. 40 minutes.

## Variations

- 1. 1. Olive oil may be replaced with 1/2 cup yogurt, making it a total of 3/4 cup yogurt.
- 2. 2. One stick of butter may be substituted for both olive oil and yogurt.
- 3. 3. Nuts can be replaced with mini chocolate chips.