Burnaby Village Museum

Heritage Baking

Ginger Sparkle Recipe for Modern Stoves

What you need:

2 ¼ cup all-purpose flour 2 ½ tsp ground ginger 1 tsp baking soda ¾ tsp ground cinnamon ¼ tsp salt¾ cup softened butter1 egg

¼ cup molasses

½ tsp ground cloves

1 cup + 5 tbsps. sugar

Directions:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 2. Combine flour, ginger, baking soda, cinnamon, cloves and salt. Set aside.
- 3. In large bowl, beat butter 30 sec. Add 1 cup of sugar. Beat until fluffy.
- 4. Add egg and molasses, beat well. Add half flour mixture, beat until combined.
- 5. Stir in remaining flour with wooden spoon.
- 6. Shape into 1 inch balls. Roll balls in the 5 tbsp. of sugar. Place on ungreased cookie sheet 2 inches apart.
- 7. Bake 10 min or until lightly brown and puffed (cookies will flatten and "crackle" as they bake). Let cool on cookie sheet for 2 min.
- 8. Transfer to cooling rack.

