

Oatmeal Scotchies

Ingredients:

3/4 c. shortening
1 c. brown sugar, packed
1/2 c. granulated sugar
1 egg
1/4 c. milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1 c. all-purpose flour
1 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp ground cinnamon
3 c. old fashioned oats
1 (11 oz) pkg. butterscotch baking morsels
1 c. pecans or walnuts, chopped (optional)

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350°F.

Beat shortening and sugars until smooth. Add egg and vanilla. Mix well. Using a separate bowl, combine flour, salt, cinnamon, and baking soda. Add milk and flour mixture to sugar/shortening mixture. Mix well. Add oatmeal. Stir in butterscotch morsels and nuts.

Drop by teaspoonfuls onto greased cookie sheets.

Bake for 10 to 12 minutes.

Makes 3 dozen.