## **POUND CAKE**

"I love this pound cake.....the brown sugar gives this cake a beautiful color, excellent flavor and great texture.

This is a cake wonderful on its own or with an accompaniment."

## **INGREDIENTS / DIRECTIONS**

Set 1Set 2Set 33 c. all purpose flour, measured<br/>then sifted1 stick butter<br/>2 c. dark brown sugar1 t. vanilla<br/>6 eggs

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> t. baking powder 1 c. light brown sugar

½ t. salt 8 oz. cream cheese, room temp.

Tools: non-stick spray, medium bowl, large bowl, electric beater Bundt pan

- 1. Spray the non-stick Bundt pan with non-stick spray. **Do not preheat the oven.**
- 2. Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt in a medium bowl.
- 3. In large bowl, beat the butter, sugar and cream cheese till light and fluffy. Beat in the vanilla and the eggs, one at a time, mixing completely after each addition.
- 4. Pour the #2 mixture into the #3 mixture and beat on low till combined.
- 5. Pour batter into the Bundt pan and place the cake in the oven. Set temperature to **350 degrees**. Bake for 70-80 minutes, a few minutes longer if necessary. Once done (toothpick test), turn off oven, leave cake in the oven for 15 minutes.
- 6. Remove from the oven and cool in the pan for 15 minutes. Turn over onto a wire rack to cool.

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