Coconut Almond Bread

Coconut Almond Bread is a moist coconutty bread with a hint of almond. Perfect for breakfast, dessert, or just for a sweet treat!

2 eggs
1 cup sugar
½ cup shortening
1 tsp. coconut extract
½ c. buttermilk
½ tsp. salt
½ tsp. baking powder
¼ tsp. baking soda
1½ c. flour

½ c. coconut ½ c. chopped almonds

*Topping:

½ c. sugar

¼ c. water

1 Tbsp. butter

1 tsp. almond extract

Beat eggs, sugar, shortening, and extract together. Slowly mix in buttermilk and dry ingredients. Pour into a bread pan coated in cooking spray. Bake for 60 to 70 minutes at 325 degrees until knife comes out clean.

While baking boil sugar and water for a few minutes. Remove from heat and add butter and extract. Pour over cooked bread and let set for two hours before removing from pan.

*I did NOT put the glaze on this bread, but my sweet better half thought it was a bit on the dry side, so it might be advisable to do this.... I simply sugared the top with some granulated sugar.

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