

# THE FABULOUS BAKED ALASKA WITH GRAND MARNIER

# The Recipe

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The ultimate cake for Ice Cream lovers, with Grand Marnier and Almond flavors.... a real treat

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Servings: 10

Preparation Time: 1 H

Cooking Time: 20 Minutes

Ready in: 4 H

Skill: Experienced Level Cuisine: French Cuisine

Courses: Frozen Dessert, Dessert,

# Ingredients

For the mold Silikomart "TOR250X80 GIANDUIA" :9.84" (or 9 27/32" or 25 cm) (W) x 3.14" (or 3 5/32" or 8 cm) (L), 3.54" (or 3 35/64" or 9 cm) (H)

- 1 Genoa Sponge For the recipe, see HERE
- 3 1/4 Cups Grand Marnier Ice cream (1 kilogram) For the recipe, see HERE
- 3 2/3 Cups Italian Meringue (600 grams) For the recipe, see HERE
- \*Decoration

Candied oranges

1/4 lbs Dark Chocolate (100 grams) To temperate

Gold dust

### For a 11.81" (or 11 13/16" or 30 cm) x 4.33" (or 4 21/64" or 11 cm) bûche

- 1 Genoa Sponge For the recipe, see HERE
- 5 Cups Grand Marnier Ice cream (1.6 kilograms) For the recipe, see HERE
- 6 Cups Italian Meringue (990 grams) For the recipe, see HERE
- \*Decoration

Candied oranges

6 oz Dark Chocolate (165 grams) To temperate

Gold dust

### For a 8.66" (or 8 21/32" or 22 cm) x 2.75" (or 2 3/4" or 7 cm) bûche

1 Genoa Sponge For the recipe, see HERE

2 1/4 Cups Grand Marnier Ice cream (700 grams) For the recipe, see HERE



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2 3/4 Cups Italian Meringue (462 grams) For the recipe, see HERE

\*Decoration

Candied oranges

3 oz Dark Chocolate (77 grams) To temperate

Gold dust

# **Steps**

## The Almond Cake, the «Genoa Bread»

- 1. Start by baking the Genoa Sponge: The recipe is HERE
- 2. Then cut a rectangle you will use as the "base"
- 3. If you are using the mold from Silikomart "TOR250X80 GIANDUIA", the rectangle should be 9.84" (or 9 27/32" or 25 cm) (L) and 2.75" (or 2 3/4" or 7 cm) (W)
- 4. Wrap with plastic wrap and keep aside

#### The Mold

- 5. Let's talk about the mold. I am using a perfect mold, as it's made out of Silicon, which allows you to pop out the frozen ice cream easily. Its triangle shape is perfect as well for this recipe
- 6. The brand of this silicon mold is Silikomart, and the model is "TOR250X80 GIANDUIA". Dimensions: 9.84" (or 9 27/32" or 25 cm) x 3.14" (or 3 5/32" or 8 cm), height: 3.54" (or 3 35/64" or 9 cm): To purchase online, see HERE
- 7. If you don't have this particular mold, just use a Yule Log mold, and you can always "cheat" by shaping the dessert into a mountain shape with the meringue
- 8. I recommend to place plastic wrap inside the mold: this will make the unmolding easier

### **Grand marnier Ice Cream**

- 9. You will need the Grand Marnier Ice cream (3 1/4 Cups or 1 kg): The recipe is HERE
- 10. The best option that I recommend, is to make the recipe yourself

#### With an ice cream from the stores

You may decide to go faster, here's how:

- You may buy an orange ice cream and add grand marnier
- Or you may choose to buy an ice cream with a different flavor

### **Assembling**

- 11. If you want to realise the Grand Marnier Ice cream (3 1/4 Cups or 1 kg) yourself, that's probably the best option. You will need to make the ice cream, churn it and then use it right away after churning
- 12. If you want to go fast, you may buy a quality ice cream in a good store. It may be too hard, and you will need to soften it in the fridge a few hours
- 13. You will need 3 1/4 Cups or 1 kg of ice cream
- 14. Pour the Grand Marnier Ice cream (3 1/4 Cups or 1 kg) inside the mold



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- 15. Place and gently push down the Genoa Sponge (that you had cut to dimensions)
- 16. Make sure to push the cake into the mold
- 17. Transfer the mold in the freezer and wait at least 6 hours!

### **Unmolding**

- 18. 6 hours later, unmold the dessert
- 19. Take off the plastic wrap
- 20. Transfer the dessert to a plate, the same you will use to serve
- 21. Place the plated dessert into the freezer

## The Italian Meringue

- 22. You will need the Italian Meringue (3 2/3 Cups or 600 g): The recipe is HERE
- 23. Once realized, do not stop the whisk! The meringue would "fall"
- 24. Fill a Pastry Bag fitted with the large star tip, with the meringue
- 25. We need a Pastry Bag and a decorating tip. We will need to use a decorating tip called a "star tip" like this one. The tip must be pretty large to make nice and big lines
- 26. Push and squeeze the Pastry Bag inside the tip firmly to avoid the batter to go out the Pastry Bag while you are transferring your batter

### Last steps...

- 27. Pipe the meringue onto the ice cream in a decorative fashion, making big vertical lines, from the bottom to the top
- 28. Let's now finish piping some meringue on the top...
- 29. Inspect your beauty, and make sure to not leave any "hole" behind

### **Blowtorch**

- 30. Let's brown the meringue with a blowtorch
- 31. To decorate, you may use candied oranges
- 32. Keep in freezer until you serve the dessert

### Suggestions to improve this recipe...

I also tried other flavors like chocolate and cherry ice creams, which was delightful as well!