ALCATRAZ

Natalie's Favorite Lemon Cake



- 1 ½ cups sugar
- 2 cups flour
- 1 tsp baking soda
- ½ tsp salt
- 1 cup buttermilk
- 2 T lemon juice

The zest of one lemon

3 eggs

LEMON FROSTING (GLAZE)

- 1 ½ cups powdered sugar
- 1 stick butter
- 1 T lemon juice

The zest of one lemon

- 1. Preheat oven to 325°.
- 2. Melt butter.
- 3. Mix melted butter with sugar, flour, baking soda, salt, buttermilk, lemon juice and lemon zest.
- 4. Set aside a spoonful for kids (real kids or the grown-up kind) who like to taste the batter.
- 5. Mix eggs in a separate bowl.
- 6. Add eggs to batter.
- 7. Grease cake pan. $(8\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2})$ inch pan works nicely.)
- 8. Bake 45-50 minutes. You should be able to stick a knife in the center and have it come out clean.

FROSTING (GLAZE) PREPARATION

- 1. Melt butter.
- 2. Mix with powdered sugar, lemon juice and lemon zest.
- 3. While the cake is baking, put the frosting in the refrigerator.
- 4. When the cake is cool, frost.



