The Best Classic Meatloaf Recipe

Prep Time	Cook Time	Total Time
10 mins	55 mins	1 hr 5 mins

Servings: 10 slices **Calories:** 164 **Author:** Amanda Finks

Ingredients

1 lb. 90% lean ground beef

1 cup dried bread crumbs

1/2 cup diced yellow onion

1/2 cup milk

1 large egg

2 tbsp. ketchup

1 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce

1 tsp. dried parsley leaves

3/4 tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. garlic powder

1/4 tsp. ground black pepper

For the Topping:

1/4 cup ketchup

2 tbsp. packed light brown sugar

1 tbsp. red wine vinegar

Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350° Fahrenheit.
- 2. In a large bowl, add the beef, breadcrumbs, onion, milk, egg, 2 tablespoons ketchup, Worcestershire sauce, parsley, salt, garlic powder, and pepper. Use your hands to mush and mix these ingredients together until well combined.*
- 3. Add the meat mixture to a loaf pan. Pat the meat down into an even layer.
- 4. In a small bowl, add 1/4 cup ketchup, the brown sugar, and vinegar. Stir to combine. Pour the sauce on top of the meatloaf and spread it into an evenlayer.
- 5.Bake uncovered for 55 minutes.
- 6. Let the meatloaf rest for 8-10 minutes before serving (or it may fall apart).**

Notes

*Be sure to mix the meat really well. This is a very moist meatloaf recipe sounder mixing can cause the meatloaf to be too soft/mushy.

**I use two thin spatulas to remove the meatloaf from the pan and transfer it to a cutting board. You could also slice and serve the meatloaf directly from the loaf pan, or use parchment paper to line the pan for easy removal.

Nutrition

Serving: 1/10th of the meatloaf | Calories: 164kcal | Carbohydrates: 14.8g | Protein:11.7g | Fat: 5.7g | Saturated Fat: 2.2g | Cholesterol: 49.9mg | Sodium: 399.3mg | Fiber: 0.6g | Sugar: 6.7g