

## Good news for first-time pie makers: yes, you can!

Tantalizing home-baked desserts add a special "I care" flavor to holiday get-togethers. Yet, for the first time pie maker the holiday season can add an extra case of the jitters.

Many doubts and fears come to mind as you recall some of the horror stories you've heard.

Will my crust be flaky? How long do I bake a pumpkin pie? How do I spice it?

### Perfect every time

To ease your nerves and make your pumpkin pie a smashing hit for a family holiday feast or as a gift for a friend, here is a fool-proof recipe for perfectly mouth-watering results every time.

It's a variation of Libby's Famous Pumpkin Pie recipe which features delectable taste. It's extra easy to prepare with a no-roll pastry crust and one-bowl Libby's pumpkin filling.

### Tasty holiday touch

The spoon-on garnish of whipped topping with a holi-

day touch of orange liqueur or brandy, if you so choose, can be an elegant special touch complementing the pumpkin which is rich in Vitamin A, plus lesser amounts of iron, Vitamin C and other nutrients.

This holiday home-baked pumpkin pie for enjoying at home or giving as a gift to a friend is especially prized at holiday time and bound to bring you pleasure and praises!

### FIRST TIME EASY PUMPKIN PIE

- 1/2 of one 11 oz. package pie crust mix
- 3 to 4 tablespoons cold water
- 1 can (16 oz.) Libby's Solid Pack Pumpkin
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 2 eggs, slightly beaten
- 1 1/2 teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
- 1 can (13 oz.) evaporated milk (1 1/2 cups)
- Spirited Whipped Topping (optional)

Preheat oven to 425° F.

Prepare pie crust mix with water according to package directions for no-roll crust.

Pat into bottom and sides of 9-inch pie pan.

In bowl, combine pumpkin, sugar, eggs and spice; stir in milk.

Pour into pie crust. Bake 15

minutes.

Reduce oven temperature to 350° F; bake an additional 45 minutes or until knife inserted near center comes out clean.

Just before serving garnish with Spirited Whipped Topping.

Yields about 8 servings.



THIS FIRST TIME EASY Libby's Pumpkin Pie is the first time pie maker's answer for a holiday dessert. It's the fool-proof way to serve or give "I care" flavor at holiday get-togethers with family and friends.

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