

## Pear Baked Oatmeal with Cranberry & Maple Sugared Walnuts



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When your mornings get busy, this recipe for Pear Baked Oatmeal with Cranberries & Maple Sugared Walnuts is ready in less than 30 minutes. Sweet pears and tart cranberries make for a unique breakfast choice when you want to switch things up.

## **Ingredients**

- 3 Cup(s) Quaker® Oats-Old Fashioned
- 1 Cup(s) brown sugar
- 1 Tablespoon(s) Cinnamon
- 1 Tablespoon(s) Baking Powder
- 1/2 Tablespoon(s) Salt
- 3/4 Cup(s) milk
- 2 Tablespoon(s) oil
- 1/2 Cup(s) dried cranberries
- 1 Egg(s)
- 1 Whole fresh pear, diced

## For the Maple Sugared Walnuts:

- 1/2 Cup(s) Butter
- 1/2 Cup(s) Sugar
- 1/2 Cup(s) Chopped Walnuts
- 1 Tablespoon(s) real maple syrup

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1. Combine the oats, brown sugar, cinnamon, baking powder and salt in a bowl.

- 2. Add the egg, milk and oil and stir until combined.
- 3. Fold in the diced pear and cranberries, then pour into a greased 9×9 inch casserole dish.
- 4. Meanwhile, melt the butter over low heat in a small skillet.
- 5. Add the sugar and continue cooking over low heat, stirring frequently, until smooth, about 5 minutes.
- 6. Add the walnuts and cook an additional minute.
- 7. Remove from heat and stir in the maple syrup.
- 8. Pour the walnut mixture on top of the oatmeal in the casserole dish and back at 350 degrees for 20-25 minutes, until set and lightly golden brown around the edges.
- 9. Serve warm, with a splash of milk, if desired.
- 10. Enjoy!.