

## **CARROT CAKE**

## **Ingredients:**

½ cup canola oil 1 teaspoon baking soda

½ cup unsweetened applesauce 2 teaspoons cinnamon

2 Tablespoons sugar substitute 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

4 egg substitute equivalents ½ teaspoon salt (optional)

½ cup water ½ cup chopped pecans

2 cups flour 3 cups grated carrots

1 teaspoon baking powder

## **Directions:**

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350°F. In a large mixing bowl, beat together the oil, applesauce, sugar substitute, and eggs until well blended.
- 2. Add the water, flour, baking powder, baking soda, cinnamon, nutmeg, and salt and mix well.
- 3. Stir in the pecans and carrots. Coat a 3-quart tube pan with nonstick cooking spray. Pour in the batter and bake for 35 to 40 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the cake comes out clean
- 4. Let the cake cool 10 minutes in the pan, then invert cake and let cool completely. If you like, frost with low-fat cream cheese frosting.

Yield: 16 servings

Nutritional Information per Serving: Calories 155, Carbohydrate 15g, Fat 9g, Cholesterol 0mg, Sodium 173mg, Protein 3g, Fiber 1g.

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