Stabilized Whipped Cream

You will need:

- 1 cup heavy whipping cream
- 1/2 tsp plain gelatin powder
- 1 tbsp cold water
- Optional sweetener and <u>vanilla</u>

Instructions:

- 1. Sprinkle 1/2 tsp of plain gelatin powder into 1 tbsp of cold water. Let it stand for 5 minutes or until the liquid is thickened.
- 2. Now you need to heat the gelatin until all the gelatin is dissolved, but not to a boil. You can do this over low heat on the stove, in a double boiler, or in the microwave. If you use the microwave work in 10-second intervals to make sure it does not boil.
- 3. Let the mixture cool to body temperature. Do not let it get much cooler than that so it does not solidify.
- 4. While it is cooling whisk heavy cream until barely stiff. It should be thick but not yet forming soft peaks.
- 5. Whisk constantly while pouring in the gelatin mixture.
- 6. Once soft peaks form if you want sweetened whipped cream add your sweetener and vanilla. (I suggest 1 tbsp powdered sweetener like xes sweetener or gentle sweet and 1/2 tsp vanilla)
- 7. Continue whisking the cream until stiff peaks form.