



Lone Star Gas Company of Waco Chocolate Chip Oatmeal Cookies

This recipe is from Cousin Pat, who clipped it from the Waco, Texas newspaper from way back in the day when she was a student at Baylor University.

Ingredients:

1 ½ cups flour	2 eggs
1 ¼ teaspoon baking soda	1 teaspoon hot water
1 teaspoon salt	1 cup chopped nuts
1 cup shortening (2 sticks of butter)	12-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate chips
¾ cup brown sugar firmly packed	2 cups quick cooking oatmeal
¾ cup sugar	1 teaspoon vanilla

Preparation:

Cream together butter and sugars. In a separate bowl add flour, soda, and salt. Add eggs and water to butter mixture and then dry ingredients. Add nuts, chocolate, oatmeal, and vanilla and stir until it all comes together. Using a teaspoon drop on a greased cookie sheet.

Bake at 375 degrees for 8-10 minutes.