CREAM CHEESE POUND CAKE

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INGREDIENTS

One cup softened butter

One-half shortening

Four ounces softened cream cheese

Two and one half cups sugar

Five eggs

Three cups flour

One tsp baking powder

One half tsp salt

One cup butter milk

One tsp vanilla

One tsp lemon juice, optional, exclude lemon juice and use two tsp vanilla

PREPERATION

Pre heat oven to 325 F

Grease and flour Bunt or 10 inch tube pan. Note: when using a Bunt pan there is enough extra batter to make a small cake.

Cream butter, shortening and cream cheese

Add sugar and beat until fluffy

Combine dry ingredients, add alternately with buttermilk

Add vanilla and lemon juice

NOTE: this is a heavy thick batter, it can be adjusted with additional buttermilk

Spoon into Bunt or tube pan

Bake at 325 for one to one and a half hours, check for doneness