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THE WORLD'S FINEST RANGE COOKERS

Pear and Ginger Steamed Pudding by David Pengelly

Ingredients Pudding

2 Pears, peeled, cored and chopped into small pieces

3 Bulbs Stem ginger, chopped

2 Tbsp. Ginger syrup from the jar

115g (4 oz.) Butter, softened

115q (4 oz.) Caster sugar

175g (6 oz.) Self-raising flour

2 Eggs

Sauce

300ml Double cream 115g (4 oz.) Butter 175g (6 oz.) Soft brown sugar

Method

- Melt the butter for the sauce and cook the pears in the butter for 3 mins.
- Remove from the heat (leave the pears in) and add the brown sugar and cream. Return to the heat and simmer for 5 minutes.
- Spoon the pears and 1/3rd of the sauce into a 2 pint (1.1 litre) buttered pudding basin.
- Beat the butter, sugar, flour, eggs, ginger and syrup together until pale, spoon over the pears and cover with buttered foil.
- Place into a saucepan 1/3rd filled with water, bring to the boil then simmer on the simmer plate for 5-8 minutes moving to the **AGA** simmering oven (or **Everhot** lower oven set to 110°C-120°C) for 3 hours.
- Turn out and serve with the remaining sauce.