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# Pear Tea Cake with Coriander Whipped Cream

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# Ingredients

# Coriander Whipped Cream

- 1 tablespoon Reluctant Trading whole coriander seeds
- 2 cups heavy whipping cream
- ½ cup cane sugar

#### Pear Tea Cake

- Butter, for greasing the pan
- 1 ¾ cup super-fine cake flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder

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- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- ¼ teaspoon kosher salt
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon Reluctant Trading coriander seeds, finely ground
- 6 tablespoons salted butter, softened
- 2/3 cup cane sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- ½ cup Greek yogurt
- 1 large pear, peeled, cored, ¼ inch cubes

## Preparation

#### Step 1

In a small saucepan, over medium heat, toast the coriander seeds. Shake the pan every 15 seconds, for three minutes, until fragrant and you hear a pop. Immediately remove the seeds from the pan and place in a medium bowl. Once cooled, add the whipping cream. Set aside while the bread bakes.

#### Step 2

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Using your fingers and butter, grease an  $8 \times 4$  non-stick loaf pan, coating well. Line the bottom of the pan with a rectangle of parchment paper and grease the top of the paper. Set aside.

#### Step 3

In a medium bowl, stir together flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt, cinnamon, and coriander. Set aside.

## Step 4

In the bowl of a stand mixer, beat together the butter and sugar, until light and fluffy. Beat in the eggs, one at a time. Add the vanilla and Greek yogurt, mixing until blended. Gradually stir in the flour mixture until combined. Fold in the chopped pears with a spatula.

#### Step 5

Bake for 50-60 minutes, until golden brown on top, and a toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean.

#### Step 6

After the bread has baked for 40 minutes, pour the cream through a fine mesh sieve into the bowl of a standing mixer. Add the sugar and whip the cream, on medium speed, until desired stiffness, about 1-3 minutes.

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Serve big slices, while still warm, topped with the coriander whipped cream.

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# Reluctant Resources Used in this Recipe

- Coriander Seeds, Whole
- Milton Modern Mortar and Pestle
- 100 Year Loom Tan Apron
- Corky Modern Glass Spice Jars
- Put a Lid on It Stoneware Salt Cellar