

# Banana Split Pie

## Ingredients:

1 stick butter, melted  
1 box graham cracker crumbs  
1 stick butter, softened  
2 eggs  
2 cups confectioners' sugar  
5 bananas, sliced  
1 (15 ounce) can crushed pineapple, undrained  
1 (16 ounce) container Cool-Whip, thawed  
1 (4 ounce) jar maraschino cherries, stemmed  
1/2 cup pecans, chopped  
Chocolate Syrup, optional

## Instructions:

In a 9×13 glass or porcelain dish, combine 1 stick of melted butter and graham cracker crumbs. With a fork, incorporate the butter until the crumbs are coated. Firmly press into a crust in the bottom of the pan.

In a medium bowl, cream together the other stick of softened butter, eggs and confectioners' sugar; beat for 15 minutes. Spread evenly on the graham cracker crust. Layer banana slices evenly on top of butter/sugar mixture; layer pineapple on top of the bananas. Evenly spread the Cool-Whip and garnish with cherries and pecans. Drizzle optional chocolate syrup over the top. Refrigerate at least 2 hours or overnight. Keeps well refrigerated for about a week.

Note: we prefer this without the chocolate syrup