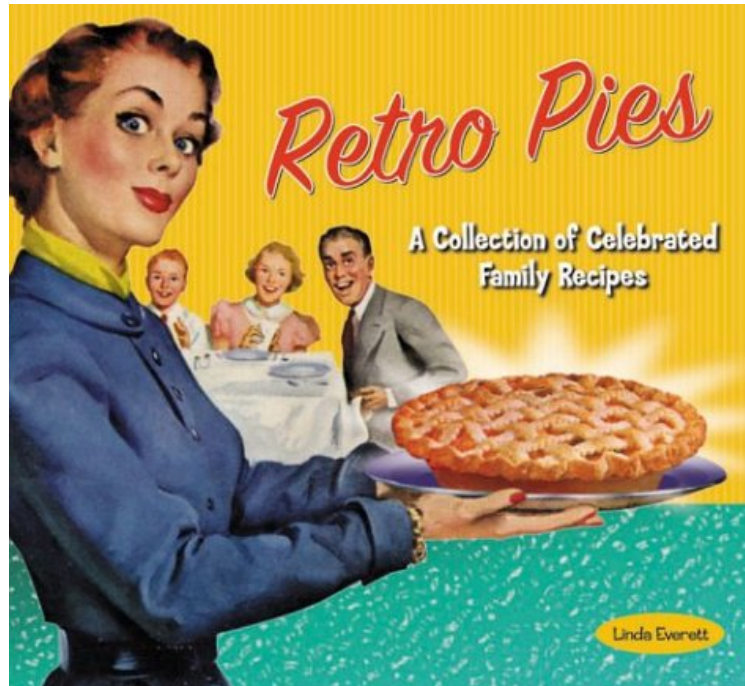


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Linda Everett : Retro Pies: A Collection of Celebrated Family Recipes before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Retro Pies: A Collection of Celebrated Family Recipes:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Beautiful drawings and pictures By Josie James Great recipes, but I really mostly bought this book for the quality drawings and pictures. 0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Four Stars By Adina Liberatore Some of the pies are so old fashioned, you cannot make them because such ingredients no longer exist. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Delightful and Delicious By Customer I've owned this book for a number of years and bake out of it every now and then. I always forget how great the pies from it are until I make one. So far they've all turned out very well. The only recipe I had some issues with was the one using all lard in the crust. The crust was sure flakey but it had slight porky undertones to it that didn't compliment that fruit filling of the final pie. The recipes are accurate but do assume the cook has some pre-existing baking skills. A novice pie maker or baker might have a little difficulty but probably not much. Other than the one little problem with the crust recipe I've been very happy with the outcome of the rest of the pie recipes I've made from this cookbook. It's a delightful and delicious addition to the category of pie cookbooks.

Queen of retro Linda Everett takes us back to a time when all meals were made from scratch and mealtimes were a family affair. From the colonial New England coast to the Wild West, RETRO PIES takes readers on a sojourn for the ultimate in comfort food. Classics such as Miz Lizziersquo;s Chess Pie, Beacon Hill Apple Pie, Martharsquo;s Cherry Pie, and Red Brick Cafersquo;s Banana Cream Pie are sure to become favorites all over again. From fruit pies to custard and cream fillings, from the hearty main course meat pies to a pie-dough clinic, RETRO PIES is the definitive

guide to pies in America.

From Publishers Weekly Chock full of color-saturated vintage illustrations of cheerful women and lattice-topped pies, this book offers more to a collector of memorabilia than to a serious baker. Though the "pie crust clinic" does contain marginally helpful tips-like, "if the crust doesn't taste right: too much or not enough salt was used"-the book is short on technique and long on Americana. There are anecdotes about Abe Lincoln's favorite lemon pie and Martha Washington's cherry pie, but only four recipes for crusts. The book is separated into Main Dish Pies, Fruit Pies and Custard Pies, and includes an alphabetized list of each section (though it would have been helpful to index pies by ingredient rather than by ambiguous recipe titles like Peninsula Surprise Pie). The recipes themselves are from the good ol' days, and hence are heavy on fat and sugar; while most encourage use of fresh ingredients, New England Leftover Turkey Pie requires condensed soup, frozen peas and stuffing mix. Light on content, heavy on layout, this book offers little practical information that cannot be found in Betty Crocker, or any basic cookbook, the recipe for schintz being the only notable exception. That said, the pictures are delightful, and should make any baker feel nostalgia's sweet pangs. Copyright 2003 Reed Business Information, Inc. There are enough delightful recipes to keep your family eating double- and single-crust beauties for a very long time. -- New York Daily News, December 10, 2003 You could easily keep Retro Pies on the coffee table as a conversation piece. -- NW Palate Magazine, Feb 2004 About the Author LINDA EVERETT is the author of several books in addition to being an award-winning watercolor artist. She has done freelance writing and research for several prominent media companies, including Aersquo;s Biography and MSNBC. Hailing from a family of cooks, she currently makes her home in Ocean Park, Washington, amidst a large collection of cookbooks and recipes.