## Crème Brûlée







## **INGREDIENTS:**

3 c. heavy cream

1 tbsp. vanilla

6 lg. egg yolks

 $\frac{1}{4}$  c. Sugar

 $\frac{1}{2}$  c. brown sugar



## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 2. Separate eggs and save whites for another dish.
- 3. Heat cream with vanilla (usually best if done in a double boiler). Do not allow to boil. There should be a ring of bubbles around the edge of the pan when ready.
- 4. Stir the white sugar into the yolks.
- 5. Stir a small quantity of the hot cream into the eggs, stirring constantly, and then add all the cream while continuing to stir.
- 6. Strain into an  $8 \times 8$  or  $9 \times 9$  dish. (Individual Ramekins can also be used.)
- 7. Set the custard dish in another pan and add cool water until it comes halfway up the outside of the custard dish.

- 8. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 35 minutes.
- 9. Chill for 3 to 4 hours after cooling.



## FINISHING:

- 10. Place brown sugar in a strainer and press through onto the custard, spreading evenly over the surface.
- 11. Broil about 4 to 6 inches from the heat source until it begins to glaze, watching carefully that it doesn't catch fire or burn. Chill until a crust is formed. Serve very cold (do not freeze!)