

Noreen's Kitchen

## Baked Macaroni & Cheese

## **Ingredients**

- pound elbow macaroni, cooked
  pound + 1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
  cup parmesan cheese, grated
  tablespoons butter
  tablespoons flour
  cups milk
  cup sour cream
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire Sauce

teaspoon Tabasco sauce (optional)
 tablespoons Dijon mustard
 teaspoon dry mustard powder
 teaspoon garlic powder
 teaspoon onion powder
 teaspoon salt
 teaspoon cracked black pepper
 1/4 teaspoon grated nutmeg

## **Step by Step Instructions**

Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees.

Butter a  $9 \times 13$  baking dish and set aside.

Melt butter over medium heat in a large, heavy bottomed saucepan.

Add flour and whisk until it is slightly browned and bubbly.

Add milk and whisk until thickened.

Add dry spices and wisk to combine.

Add Worcestershire and Dijon mustard and wisk well.

Add all but 1 cup of shredded cheddar along with 1/2 cup of parmesan cheese.

Stir until all the cheese is well combined and melted and the sauce is very smooth.

Add in the sour cream and blend well.

Pour the cheese sauce over the cooked macaroni and stir to combine.

Pour the macaroni mixture into the buttered baking dish and top with the remaining 1 cup of shredded cheddar and 1/2 cup of parmesan cheeses.

Bake, uncovered for 30 minutes until browned and bubbly and the top is nice and crispy.

Serve and enjoy!

## Enjoy!