

# Christmas Wine Cake Trifle

...from the kitchen of Southern Charm Winery

## *christmas (cranberry) wine cake*

1 box white Cake Mix

6 oz. Blackberry Fusion jello mix

4 eggs

3/4 c. oil or applesauce

1 c. Southern Charm Christmas in Dixie wine

\* Pre-heat oven to 325°

\* Mix cake mix and jello mix - set aside

\* Beat eggs; add oil/applesauce & wine

\* Add cake mixture; beat well

\* Pour into greased & floured Bundt Cake pan

\* Bake at 325° for 1 hour or until done

\* Cool completely.

## *cranberry-clementine sauce*

4 clementines or 2 oranges

(2) cans Whole Berry Cranberries

1/2 cup sugar

2 tbsp lemon juice

\* Using a vegetable peeler, remove a 5x1 inch strip of peel from a clementine; place peel in a 4-qt saucepan. Peel clementines, and holding fruit over bowl to catch juices, cut segments away from membrane; cut segments in half and place in bowl. Set aside.

\* Add cranberries and sugar to saucepan. Bring to a boil; reduce heat. Simmer, uncovered, for 10 minutes or until mixture is thickened.

\* Transfer cranberry mixture to bowl with clementines. Add lemon juice and stir gently.

\* Cool slightly. Cover and chill.

## *Trifle Assembly*

You will need:

- trifle dish or glass bowl

- cranberry wine cake

- cranberry-clementine sauce

- large tub Cool Whip

\* Cut cake in bite size pieces

\* Place layer of cake in bottom of trifle/bowl

\* Add layer of cranberry-clementine sauce over cake

\* Add layer cool whip over cranberry-clementine sauce

\* Add another layer of cake

\* Spoon cool whip over top cake layer; add any remaining sauce in center.

\* Refrigerate until ready to serve

