

Cider Wassail Submitted by: Maryellen Hays

"This recipe came from a dear friend in Fort Wayne, Indiana, where we lived for many years. Since it's warm, wonderful and non-alcoholic, we've even served it at church. It's also perfect for a holiday open house."

PREP TIME: 30 Min READY IN: 30 Min Original recipe yield: 10 servings

INGREDIENTS:

2 quarts apple cider 1 1/2 cups orange juice 3/4 cup pineapple juice 1 tablespoon brown sugar 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice 2 cinnamon sticks (3 inches) 1 dash ground cinnamon 1 dash ground cloves

DIRECTIONS:

In a large saucepan, combine all of the ingredients. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 20-30 minutes. Discard cinnamon sticks. Serve hot in mugs.