

# **BUTTER PECAN CAKE BARS**

High Protein / Low-Carb / Keto-Friendly

## Recipe by Deedee (@healthyeatswithdeedee) and featured on MariGoldFoods.com

"They use super simple ingredients and are easy to make.

These yummy bars are packed with protein!"

- Deedee

### **INGREDIENTS:**

#### Bars

- 1 C Almond flour
- 1/2 C MariGold Creamy Vanilla Whey Isolate Protein Powder
- 3/4 C sweetener (i.e stevia, allulose or monk fruit)
- 3 eggs
- 1/2 C butter
- 1/2 C almond milk
- · 2 TSP baking powder
- 1 TSP vanilla
- 1/2 TSP salt
- 1/2 C pecans

## **Cream Cheese Icing**

- 4 TBSP butter
- 4 OZ cream cheese
- 3/4 C powdered sweetener (i.e stevia, allulose or monk fruit)
- · 2 TBSP heavy cream
- 1 TBSP vanilla

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- **1. To make the bars:** Mix butter and sweetener until combined. Add eggs, almond milk, & flavorings and mix until combined.
- 2. In a separate bowl combine all dry ingredients. Gradually add dry ingredients to wet and mix until just combined. Stir in pecans.
- 3. Line an 8x8 baking pan with parchment paper and add your batter. Bake at 350 for 30-35 minutes until a toothpick comes out clean.
- **4. To make the icing:** Blend all ingredients together until you have a smooth icing. For a thinner icing add more heavy cream in very small amounts until you get your desired texture. Wait until bars are completely cooled down before adding icing.
- 5. Add pecans to the top and enjoy!



Featuring MariGold Creamy Vanilla Whey Isolate Protein Powder (MariGoldFoods.com)

