Reader Recipes

Flourless Chocolate Cake

3/4 cup white sugar 1/2 cup water 1/4 teaspoon salt 18 (1 ounce) squares bittersweet chocolate 1 cup unsalted butter 6 large eggs

Preheat the oven to 300 degrees F. Grease a 10-in. round cake pan, set aside. Combine sugar, water, and salt in a small saucepan over medium heat. Stir until completely dissolved, set aside. Melt bittersweet chocolate in a microwave-safe bowl in 15 second intervals, stirring after each interval, until melted. Pour chocolate into the bowl of an electric mixer Cut butter into pieces, beat butter, one piece at a time, into choclate until combined. Beat in hot sugar water. Slowly beat in eggs, one at a time. Pour batter into prepared cake pan. Have a pan larger than the cake pan ready, put the 10in. cake pan into the larger cake pan and fill the larger pan with boiling water halfway up the sides of the 10-in. cake pan. Bake the cake in the water bath in the preheated oven for 45-mins. The center will still look wet. Place cake in the refrigerator 8 hours to overnight. To unmold, dip the cake pan in hot water for 10 seconds and invert onto a serving plate.

Peanut Butter & Jelly Overnight Oats

1/2 cup old fashioned oats

1/2 cup whole milk 1/4 cup vanilla yogurt 1 tablespoon chia

seeds 1 tablespoon honey 1/4 teaspoon vanilla

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1 tablespoon jam 1 tablespoon peanut

butter 1/4 cup diced

strawberries 2 tablespoons chopped peanuts

Place oats, milk, yogurt, chia seeds, honey and vanilla in a medium-size mason jar or glass container. Cover with a lid or plastic wrap. Place jar in refrigerator for at least 2 hours, overnight is best. The next morning, top oat mixture with a layer of jam, then peanut butter, strawberries and peanuts.



Insert the clear Snug Plug in the loose outlet and then your plug. No more plugs falling out while in use.

Simple Fix For Loose Outlets

The Snug Plug is an easy and affordable fix for loose outlets. Co-founder Joel Switzer lived in an apartment with loose outlets, and he didn't have permission to change them. The Snug Plug was his solution. He and his friend Salim Mitri spent 6 years bringing it to market.

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The patented Snug Plugs are sold on the company website and Amazon and are offered in clear and glow-in-the-dark. They're available in 10 and 20-packs for \$10.99 and \$20.99, respectively, and ship free. A lifetime money-back guarantee is offered if the Snug Plug doesn't meet expectations.

With over 9,300 ratings, Amazon reviewers give the Snug Plug 4.3 out of 5 stars. One reviewer says, "This is my second time purchasing. I moved and left the last set in my rental. This product works so well that you forget it's there. It does come out when you pull the plug but pops right back in with ease."

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Snug Plug (www.snugplugstore.com).



MiniGrip is made of silicone rubber and offers a better grip for opening and turning.

Tackle Twist-Tops Easily

MiniGrip was born after the founder was at a gathering and noticed several people asking for help opening various containers. Its patent-pending, tacky gripping surface helps open twist-tops and lids. It goes where you go, as it's small enough to fit in a pocket or clip on a key ring or purse. Some users even keep one in their toolbox.

The dishwasher-safe MiniGrip is 5 in. long and 1.38 in. wide. It's made of silicone rubber and is available in seven colors.

MiniGrip is sold on the company website and on Amazon. The company only ships to the 48 contiguous U.S. states. Pricing starts at \$15.99 for a 3-pack and goes to \$89.99 for a 25-pack. Free shipping is offered on orders over \$29. It comes with a 30-day money-back guarantee. Custom logo orders are available starting at 150 for \$5.99 each. It comes with a 30-day money-back guarantee. Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, MiniGrip (www.myminigrip.com).

Adjustable Jar Opener

We recently spotted an inexpensive tool to help solve a common kitchen frustration - opening a stuck lid on a jar.

There are several models and price points on Amazon for the adjustable stainless steel jar opener. They're all about 8 in. long.

To use, put the main opener on top of the jar lid, adjust it so it's snug on the lid, and clamp it. Firmly hold the jar and turn the handle to remove the lid.

The model we looked at sells for \$6.99 and has an average of 3.8 out of 5 stars. Many reviewers say it takes some getting used to.





Snap on the cap and shake it hard enough for the egg to hit it. Shake until you begin to see the white of the egg.

Peel Eggs With Ease

The Negg Egg Peeler makes peeling hard-boiled eggs easier and more fun. When naming the gadget, the creators considered hard-boiled eggs "naked eggs" and shortened that to "Negg."

The directions for use are simple—add 1/4 cup water and a hard-boiled egg to the Negg. Snap on the cap and shake it hard enough for the egg to hit it. Shake until you begin to see the white of the egg. Reviewers say there's a learning curve for successful use of the Negg.

The Negg is made in the U.S.A. and sells for \$17.95 with free shipping. It's available in seven colors. If you're not satisfied with your Negg, you can return it for a refund within 30 days of purchase.

With over 9,000 ratings, the Negg averages 3.9 stars out of 5 on Amazon. One reviewer says, "The Negg Boiled Egg Peeler works great. It makes peeling eggs easy, and it worked as described. It's easy to clean and easy to use. It's an ideal gadget for those who hate peeling eggs." Reviewers appreciate that it doesn't take up much kitchen space.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Negg Egg Products (ph 203-594-7781; help@peelanegg.com; www.neggmaker.com).



Adjustable opener provides leverage for hard-to-remove jar lids.