## ALMOND MACAROONS

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In a mixer with a paddle, mix sugar, almond paste, and salt until smooth, approx 3 min.

Add egg whites gradually and mix until incorporated, approx 1 min more.

Spoon onto sheet pan lined with parchment paper about 2 in apart. Place two almond slices in the center of each.

Bake at 325° for approx 15 min or until light golden brown. Cool and dust with confectioners' sugar.

## INGREDIENTS

1¾ cups sugar
14 oz almond paste
pinch of coarse salt
¼ cup egg whites
¼ cup sliced almonds
¼ cup confectioners' sugar

## DEEDEE'S NOTES:

• Macaroons may be prepared earlier in the day or the day before. They will remain chewy. If you make them further in advance, they will be more crispy than chewy.



My very favorite macaroons are served at the Linville Golf Club. Their recipe forms the foundation of this favorite that you can make and enjoy at home!