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# Dear Friends,

<u>Amaretto Cheesecake</u> is the fabulous dessert our family enjoys every Christmas Eve and throughout the winter months. This crowd pleaser is super easy and truly impossible to mess up!

The recipe was shared by Tommi Jones, who was the VP, Human Resources at Jefferson-Pilot Communications, where I enjoyed a wonderful career. Tommi broke glass ceilings as the first female VP, and she was a respected leader and mentor to many. One of Tommi's good friends was Jack Bowden, who owned the Blair-Bowden house in Charlotte, and he shared this recipe with her. Tommi and Jack

are no longer with us, but they each left a legacy of kindness and friendship that I remember whenever I serve this fabulous dessert. Remembering all those who have gone before us and whose legacies continue to bless us at this special time of year!

Merry Christmas from our family to yours!



# Amaretto Cheesecake

Serves 12

JACK BOWDEN

### **INGREDIENTS**

#### **CRUST**

1 pkg + 4 crackers cinnamon graham crackers, ~½ 14.4 oz box 1 stick butter, melted ¼ cup sugar

#### **FILLING**

4 8-oz pkgs cream cheese, softened 1½ cups sugar 1½ tbsp fresh lime juice, ~1 lg lime 1 pinch salt 4 eggs

#### **TOPPING**

1 pint sour cream¼ cup sugar1 tsp almond extract

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