

# Mmmmm...

## Brownies!!

Do you like fudgy chewy brownies as much as I do? Then why don't we have some!

Help yourself... You can have all you want.



How do they taste?

Not very good, you say? Oh, I see. We have to put the ingredients together. Gotcha.

How about this ??



No way...  
These aren't brownies!

Why not? All the ingredients are here.  
But something is still not right.

They haven't been combined properly.

We're not going to have real brownies until we blend the ingredients together, in the right amounts, and BAKE them at the right temperature for the right length of time.

Okay, here goes – let's pour the ingredients into a bowl, add some eggs and liquid, and mix them together. Now pour into the pan, bake, and... PRESTO !!



Now, that's more like it.

I wonder if this tells us something about being God's children. Each of us is like an ingredient in a wonderful recipe. We are very different from each other, and we may not appear to be very gifted on our own, but God can combine us to make something special. We must work together to achieve outstanding results. Now, that's a winning recipe!

# Sand Art Brownies

Here's a yummy gift  
that you can give  
to someone special.



In a one-quart (one-litre) sized jar, carefully place the following ingredients **in layers**.  
(Hold the jar at an angle when filling it. It also helps to use a funnel to fill the jar.)

- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup flour plus 2 teaspoons
- 1/3 cup cocoa
- 1/2 cup flour (again)
- 2/3 cup brown sugar
- 2/3 cup white sugar
- 1/2 cup chocolate chips
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- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts (if desired)

Decorate the jar with raffia or ribbon. Then, on an attractive card, write out the following instructions for your special friend and attach it to the jar:

To make the brownies, combine the contents of the jar with:

- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2/3 cup cooking oil
- 3 eggs

Mix well. Pour into a greased 9 x 9-inch square pan.  
Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Eat and enjoy!