# Delightful Blueberry & Lemon Zest Cream Cheese Tart

## **INGREDIENTS:**

- ½ cup butter, melted
- 1/₃ cup sugar + 2 Tablespoons sugar, divided
- ½ teaspoon cinnamon
- ½ teaspoon salt, divided
- 1 cup flour
- 8 oz cream cheese, softened
- ⅓ cup dark brown sugar
- 2 Tablespoon lemon zest +

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- 3 Tablespoons fresh lemon juice, divided
- 4-6 cups Triple Delight Blueberries
- 1 teaspoon honey
- fresh mint for garnish



### DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350°F.
- 2. To make the Crust:
  - 1. In a medium bowl combine melted butter and 2 Tablespoons of sugar.
  - 2. Add cinnamon, ¼ teaspoon salt and 1 cup of flour to the sugar/butter mixture.
  - 3. Combine to form dough (caution: this dough will be wet).
  - 4. Press the dough into a 9 inch tart pan.
  - 5. Place tart pan containing crust onto a baking sheet.
  - 6. Bake for 15-17 minutes until golden brown and set.
  - 7. Allow to cool.

#### 3. To make the Sauce:

- 1. In a small saucepan combine 2 Tablespoons lemon zest, 2 cups Triple Delight Blueberries and ½ cup of sugar.
- 2. Bring to a boil and then simmer until fruit has released its juices and thickened slightly.
- 3. Remove from heat and then stir in 1½ Tablespoons fresh lemon juice.
- 4. Allow to cool and then pour into a clean container.

#### 4. To make the filling:

- 1. In a stand mixer, combine cream cheese and brown sugar.
- 2. Add 2 teaspoons lemon zest and 1½ Tablespoons lemon juice
- 3. Combine until smooth.

#### 5. To make the Tart:

- 1. Pour cream cheese filling into cooled tart crust.
- 2. Take a heaping ¼ cup of blueberry lemon sauce and drizzle it over the top of the filling, using a knife to then swirl it into the filling.
- 3. Cover top of tart with the remaining fresh Triple Delight Blueberries.4. Drizzle with honey.
- 5. Cool in the refrigerator for approximately one hour (or more).
- 6. Serve and enjoy!