

Traditional Moore's Marinade Meatloaf

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**This meatloaf may be called "traditional" but it is far from ordinary...Our family loves this version of an age-old favorite.

Preheat oven or smoker to 425°

- 3 Lbs. Ground Meat or Ground Chuck
- ½ Cup Finely Diced Red Onion
- 2 Shallots Diced
- 2 Slices of Bread (Cubed Small)
- 1 ½ Cups Italian Style Bread Crumbs
- ½ Cup Catsup
- * ½ Cup Moore's Original Marinade
- * 1 Cup Beef Stock (Preferably Bold Stock or Sirloin)
- * 2 Tbsp of Minor's Au Jus Base (You can substitute another Au Jus, but Minor's is the best.)
- * Mix the above three (starred *) ingredients in a separate dish, then add to meat mixture.
- 2 Lightly Beaten Eggs
- 2 Tbsp of Your Favorite Seasoning (We Use Pit Bulls "Up In Smoke" Beef Rub)
- 1 Tsp Salt
- 1 Tsp Black Pepper

Get the gloves out and hand mix all of the above ingredients very well until the meatloaf starts taking shape. Transfer to a 9x12 baking dish and continue to shape into a loaf. Place meatloaf in center rack of your pre-heated oven or smoker. Cook for 1 hour 15 min (uncovered). I prefer to cook it at a higher heat so that it gives the loaf a nice crisp outer layer (not burnt, just deliciously crispy to go along with the juicy meatloaf.) Serve up and enjoy with your favorite side .P.S. This makes quite a large family-size meatloaf—there is often plenty for leftovers. This is one thing you won't mind eating on day two!