Anastasia's Best-Ever Baked Beans

Ingredients

- 5 cans of pork and beans (15 ounce cans - VanCamps's Pork and Beans or similar)
- 2 medium or 1 large onion, chopped (yellow or sweet onion, not vidalia)
- 1 to 2 tablespoons butter (for sauteing onions)
- 3/4 cup ketchup
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 3 tablespoons yellow mustard
- 1/4 to 1/2 cup brown sugar (use less for less sweetness)
- 6 to 8 slices uncooked bacon, each cut in half or thirds



Directions

Preheat oven to 325 degrees f. Spray a 9x13 baking dish with non-stick cooking spray.

- 1. <u>Saute onions</u> over medium to medium-high heat in butter until onions are tender and translucent.
- 2. Mix beans, sauteed onions, ketchup, mustard, molasses and brown sugar until blended well.
- 3. Pour in prepared baking dish. Top with uncooked bacon in single layer. Bake on middle rack of oven uncovered for 2-3 hours.
- 4. Beans are ready when the top is dark and caramelized. Serve warm. Enjoy!

TIP

These can also be thrown together and cooked in the slow cooker set on low for 6 to 8 hours as well. It won't get that nice caramelize top, but it will still be delicious if you're in a pinch for time. Be sure to saute you onions!