

# Italian Love Cake

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1 box dark chocolate cake mix + ingredients to make it

2 pounds ricotta cheese

½ cup sugar

4 eggs

1 tsp vanilla

4oz instant chocolate pudding

1 cup milk

8 oz cool whip, thawed

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease a 9x13 pan.

Mix chocolate cake batter according to package direction. Pour into prepared pan; set aside.

In large bowl, stir together ricotta, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Spoon on top of cake mix in pan. Draw a knife through filling in an "s" shape. Bake for 1 hour, then cool completely.

For topping, stir together pudding mix and milk until thickened. Add cool whip and stir until combined. Spread on cooled cake and refrigerate.

