

Barbara Uhlman's Oatmeal Cookies

3/4 cup soft shortening
1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1 egg
1/4 cup water
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon soda
3 cups Instant Maypo Maple Flavored Oatmeal
1 cup raisins
1 cup chopped nuts

Preheat oven to 350F. Cream shortening and sugars. Add egg, water and vanilla; mix well. Sift dry ingredients together; add to creamed mixture and blend well. Stir in **Maypo**, raisins and nuts; mix thoroughly. Drop by teaspoonful onto lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake 12 - 15 minutes or until it tests done. Remove from pan; cool on rack.

