

Mom's Banana Bread

1 cup sugar

½ cup butter, softened (Mom used Crisco)

2 eggs

3 ripe mashed bananas

2 cups flour

1 teaspoon soda

½ teaspoon salt

½ cup nuts (optional—not used if Dad was having banana bread!!)

Cream the sugar and shortening or butter, and add the eggs one at a time. Beat until fluffy. Combine the dry ingredients. Add the mashed bananas alternately with the flour mixture until well blended. Pour into two greased and floured loaf pans and bake at 350 degrees about 30 minutes (I don't have down how long—until done!!)