

# Ms. Shirley's Hot Apple Cider

## Ingredients:

- 6-8 c. apple cider
- 1/4 - 1/2 c. Mrs. Butterworth's syrup
- 2 cinnamon sticks

## Directions:

Place all ingredients in a large crockpot and heat until warm.

Serve hot!

## *Add-ins:*

*I love the hot apple cider that they serve at the Biltmore Estate in NC. You can add in a couple of these or just one or two to spice up your cider a little bit.*

- use real maple syrup instead of Mrs. Butterworth's syrup
- use 1/4 c. brown sugar in place of syrup
- 1/2 c. orange juice
- 2 t. cinnamon instead of cinnamon sticks
- 4-6 cloves or 1-2 t. ground cloves
- 1/4-1/2 t. allspice
- a pinch of nutmeg
- a pinch of salt