

**Real Southern Pecan Pie (my Mom is from Jackson, Mississippi):**

1 cup sugar  
1 cup white Karo corn syrup  
2 eggs, well-beaten  
1/4 cup butter (1/2 of a quarter-pound stick)  
1 cup chopped pecans  
1/2 tsp salt

Preheat oven to 300 degrees F

Cream the butter and sugar together. Add the salt, beaten eggs, syrup and nuts. Mix well. Place in a prepared pie shell (bottom shell only -- I buy mine!). Bake for 1 hour at 300 degrees F.