



Valentine Hearts

Pancake Tutorial



We love because he first loved us. I John 4:19



Supplies



Griddle or large skillet
Cooking Oil (I used Safflower oil)
Large mixing bowl
Your favorite Pancake batter
Electric mixer
Three Condiment Squirt Bottles (can be found at Walmart)
Red and Pink soft gel paste food coloring
Paper Towels
Spatula
Spoons for mixing
Toothpicks
Mixing cups

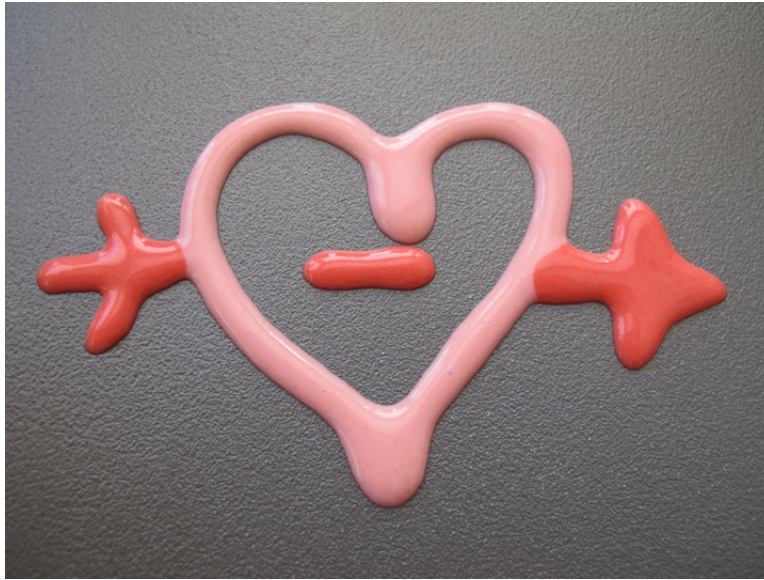


Mix up your favorite pancake recipe making sure that the batter is thick enough to “draw” with but not too much where it won't squeeze out of the squirt bottle. Grab your electric mixer and stir until it's well blended. If you have too many lumps, they will clog up your squirt bottle. Divide up your batter into three mixing cups. Refer to the above squirt bottle graphic for a rough idea on how much pancake batter should be in each squirt bottle. Mix in a small amount of pink food coloring (a little bit goes a long way) into one cup, red into another cup and the white has no color in it. Mix each color until well blended. Pour each cup of batter slowly into the squirt bottles making sure to keep paper towels handy for any drips.

Wipe your griddle with a little bit of oil using a paper towel but do ***not*** turn it on yet. Keep toothpicks nearby to release any clogs in the squirt bottles.



Step One: With the pink batter draw a heart. You can make several of these at the same time if you make them small enough.



Step Two: Switch to the red batter and draw an arrow through the heart.



Step Three: Turn your griddle on to the lowest heat setting at 200 degrees and let your outlines cook. Then, using the white batter draw dots around the heart leaving as many gaps as possible in-between each dot.



Step Four: With your griddle still on 200 degrees, fill in the heart with the white batter.



Step Five: Taking the pink batter, draw an outline around the heart. By doing this, you will be filling inside the gaps in-between the white dots.



Step Six: Wait to flip your pancakes until they are bubbly and start to lose their shine. You'll have to be careful when flipping these not to break the arrows. I found the best way was to scoop them up with a spatula from the bottom of the heart first.

Tip: You can use the same instructions but vary the color choices to change things up (as seen in the first photo above).

Romans 10:9

That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus,
and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead,
thou shalt be saved.