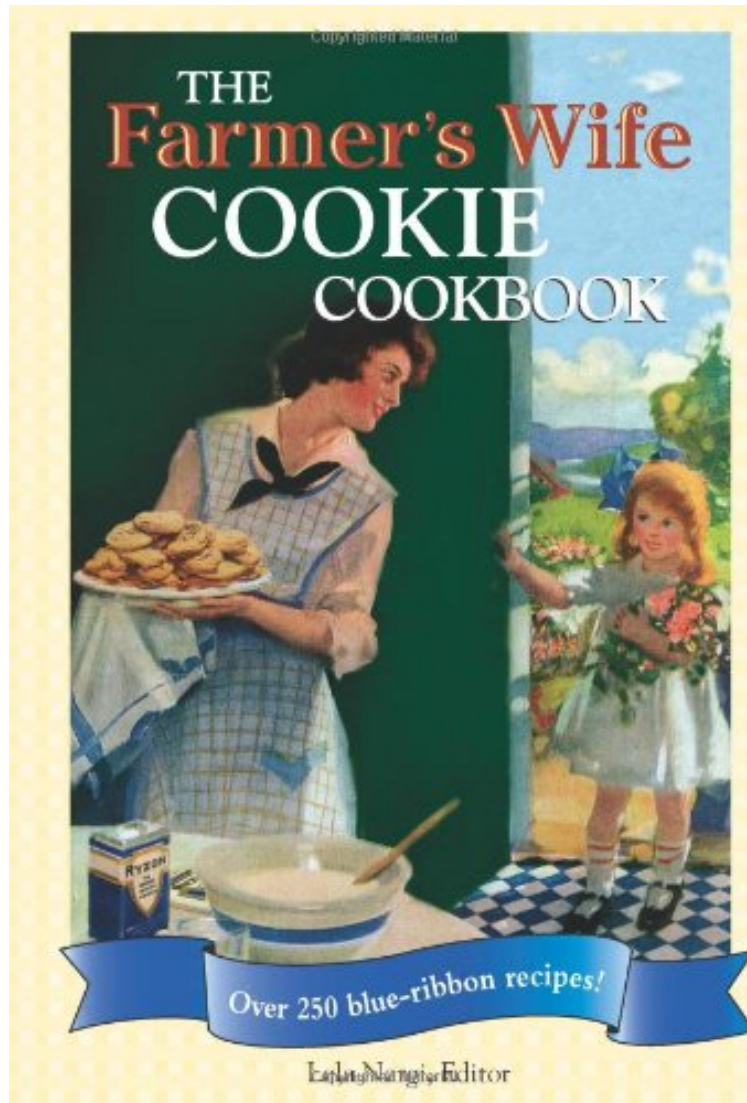


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Nothing evokes the charms of the country kitchen like the smell of freshly baked cookies; or better yet, the taste. With the 250-plus recipes in this cookbook, you'll be able to recreate the best-loved cookies and bars ever to come from those kitchens, and to make an old-fashioned special occasion of every coffee break or after-school treat, every church social, picnic or bedtime snack. These recipes are drawn from *The Farmwife's Wife*, a magazine that for decades provided a meeting place for hardworking rural women seeking advice, company, or recipes like these. You'll find such well-loved classics as peanut butter and oatmeal cookies and toffee squares along with special treats like Danish Love Krandse and Scotch shortbread, pass-the-plate brownies, and holiday treasures. Illustrated throughout with vintage advertisements and art from *The Farmwife's Wife* magazine, the recipes are adapted for the modern kitchen while preserving for all time the tastes and traditions of the American heartland.

From the Back Cover *The Farmwife's Wife* was a monthly magazine published in Minnesota between the years 1893 and 1939. In an era long before the Internet and high-speed travel connected us all, *The Farmwife's Wife* magazine gave hard-working rural women a place to find—and share—advice about everything from raising chickens to running a farm kitchen. One of the magazine's most popular offerings was advice on baking, providing farm family recipes for making everything from basic bread to much-loved holiday desserts. This collection focuses on cookies, one of the more popular (and portable) favorite baked treats on the farm. Recipes for everything from classic stand-bys like peanut butter cookies and oatmeal cookies to special treats like Danish Love Krandse and Scotch Short Bread are all included here, inviting readers everywhere to re-create the fragrant kitchens and delectable tastes of farm days gone by. Adapted for the needs of the modern kitchen, these classic recipes preserve the flavor of a life dedicated to feeding not just the family but the nation. They offer nostalgia and the chance to bake in a tradition unmatched since the 1930s. Here's a sampling of the recipes you'll find inside: Jam Marguerites Norwegian Kringler Orange Sugar Cookies Tea Cakes Sour Cream Molasses Cookies Pumpkin Doughnuts Swedish Spritz Cookies Brown Sugar Drops Apple Oatmeal Bars Almond Macaroons Coconut Brownies Chocolate Ice Box Cookies Old English Gingerbread with Fruit Filling Grandmother's Crullers