# Beef Rouladen

#### Serves 4

I make this in a slow cooker and use Sally's dill pickles. Rouladen was one of my favorite dishes from the Old German restaurant in Ann Arbor.

#### Ingredients:

- 1 lb. thin sliced round steak
- 2 Tbsp. Dijon mustard
- 1/4 tsp. black pepper
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 4 strips of thick-cut apple wood smoked bacon
- 1/4 medium onion
- 1 large dill pickle
- 1 Tbsp. vegetable oil
- 3 tsp. beef bouillon concentrate
- 3 cups hot tap water
- 1/3 cup flour
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 Tbsp. corn starch
- 1 Tbsp. water



### Equipment:

- Meat mallet
- Crock pot
- Kitchen twine

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| $\square$ | Directions   | Time (min)   |
|-----------|--|--------------|
|           | Cut beef into eight equal pieces                               | 2            |
|           | Pound beef until 1/4" thick                                    | 5            |
|           | Slice dill pickle into eight spears                            | 1            |
|           | Cut four slices of bacon in half and then lengthwise           | 1            |
|           | Peel and slice onion into slivers                              | 2            |
|           | Spread 2 Tbsp. Dijon mustard onto meat                         | 1            |
|           | Sprinkle meat with 1/4 tsp. pepper and 1/4 tsp. salt           | 1            |
|           | Place bacon, pickle, and onion on the meat                     | 2            |
|           | Roll meat and tie in three places with twine                   | 10           |
|           | Combine 3 tsp. beef concentrate with 3 cup hot tap             | 1            |
|           | water  | 1            |
|           | Place beef bullion in the crock pot and turn to high           | 1            |
|           | Mix 1/3 cup flour with 1/2 cup water and then stir             | 2            |
|           | into the bullion   | ۷            |
|           | Heat 2 Tbsp. vegetable oil in a skillet and brown the rouladen | 10           |
|           | Transfer the rouladen to the crock pot.                        | 1            |
|           | Turn heat to low and slow cook                                 | 6 hrs.       |
|           | Remove Rouladen to a serving dish                              | 1            |
|           | Transfer gravy to a sauce pan and heat to simmer               | 5            |
|           | Combine 2 Tbsp. corn starch with 2 Tbsp. water                 | 1            |
|           | Stir corn starch into gravy and bring to a boil                | 2            |
|           | Serve rouladen and gravy with spatzen                          |              |
|           |  | 6 hrs 49 min |