

How Apple Pie Becomes an American Classic

Apple Pie originated in England and had influences from other nations. In fact, we were surprised to discover at the World Food Fair that apples actually first grew in Kazakhstan. Then, you might ask, how can we say, "It's as American as apple pie." How did that happen? It was brought over by the colonists and used for cooking during the 18th and 19th centuries. But it wasn't until the 20th century when newspapers and our involvement in the World Wars created apple pie as a national symbol.