Spelt, Millet And Apple Muffins With Walnuts - Cuteness Appleload

Ingredients:

Difficulty: Easy (makes 12 muffins)

3.5 dl (or 1 1/2 cups or 175 gr) wholegrain spelt flour
1 tbsp + 2 tsp (or 25 gr) hulled millet (kuorittuhirssi in Finnish)
7.5 tbsp (or 75 gr) brown sugar
1 tsp baking soda
1 1/2 tsp baking powder
a pinch of salt
1/2 tsp ground cinnamon
75 gr butter, melted and cooled down a bit
2 large eggs
1.5 dl (or 1/2 cup + 2 tbsp or 150 gr) applesauce
2 tbsp + 1 tsp buttermilk
50 gr walnuts, roughly chopped
1 apple diced small
1 apple sliced thinly (try to have at least 24 slices)
1 tbsp powdered sugar

Instructions:

- 1. Preheat the oven to 180C. Put 12 muffin papers on a muffin tin.
- 2. In a large bowl, put the first 7 ingredients above (ending with cinnamon) and whisk.
- 3. In a smaller bowl, put melted and slightly cooled butter and eggs and whisk well.
- 4. Add applesauce and buttermilk to the egg mixture and whisk well again.
- 5. Add the egg mixture to the dry flour mixture and gently fold until all dry ingredients are mixed well with wet ones.
- 6. Fold in walnuts and diced apples.
- 7. Divide the muffin batter equally into the muffin papers. Put 2 thin slices of apple on each muffin and push them into the batter gently a little.
- 8. Bake the muffins in the middle of the oven for about 22-25 minutes, until they get spongy and a toothpick inserted in the centre comes out clean. Let the muffins cool in the muffin tin for 5 minutes, and then cover with powdered sugar. After that, take them out of the tin and let them cool on a wire rack. They will be delicious when they cool down, and they taste even better the next day. Keep them in an airtight container for up to 5 days. Enjoy!