

THE WAY THE COOKIE CRUMBLES

A FOOD BLOG

Strawberry Daiquiri Ice Cream (adapted from David Lebovitz's Raspberry Ice Cream recipe in *The Perfect Scoop*)

Makes about 1 quart

1 cup (7 ounces) sugar, separated
Zest from 2 limes
1½ cups half-and-half
Pinch salt
1½ cups heavy cream
4 large egg yolks
1½ cups (6 ounces) strawberry puree
¼ cup lime juice (from 2 limes)
2 tablespoons rum

- 1. In a medium saucepan, rub the lime zest into $\frac{1}{2}$ cup (3.5 ounces) of the sugar until fragrant. Add the half-and-half and salt; heat the mixture over medium-high heat until it simmers. Meanwhile, pour the cream into a large bowl; set a fine-mesh strainer over the bowl.
- 2. In a separate medium bowl, beat the egg yolks with the remaining ½ cup (3.5 ounces) sugar. When the half-and-half simmers, very slowly pour it into the beaten egg yolks, whisking constantly. Pour the mixture back into the pot and bring just to a simmer over medium heat, still whisking constantly. Pour through the strainer into the bowl with the cream; stir to combine. Mix in the strawberry puree, lime juice, and rum. Chill until cold, at least 4 hours or up to overnight.
- 3. Freeze the ice cream custard in your ice cream maker according to the manufacturer's instructions. Once frozen to the consistency of soft serve ice cream, transfer the ice cream to a chilled bowl and freeze until firm.