Nectarine, Honey, & Lavender Frangipane Tart

Yield: 1 10-inch tart

Sweet Pastry Base:

8	OZ.	Pastry flour
		Pinch of salt
2	TB.	Granulated sugar
4	oz.	Butter, unsalted
1		egg
1	Tb.	Water (adjustable)

Method:

- 1. Rub flour, salt, sugar, & butter all together until butter is like cornmeal.
- 2. Then add egg and water accordingly.
- 3. Knead until just combined. Rest in fridge and roll out into tart pans. The dough should have the consistency of cookie short dough.

Filling:

5-6		Nectarines, cored, cut into ½" slices
5	Tb.	Almonds
2	Tb.	Powdered sugar
2		Eggs
1	T	Granulated sugar
2	T.	Honey
1	t.	Lavender, minced
1/2	cup	Heavy whipping cream
1	Tb.	Vanilla extract
1		10-inch tart pan
		Apricot glaze for the top.

Method:

- 1. Cut nectarines into appropriate size for the tart you are making.
- 2. Combine powdered sugar and almonds in food processor and grind until it is smooth. About 3 minutes.
- 3. Lay fruit in pattern in tart pan.
- 4. Combine cream, almond mixture, eggs, sugar, honey, lavender, and vanilla. Pour over fruit up to the top of the pan.
- 5. Bake at 400F degrees for about 40 minutes or until golden brown on top.
- 6. Remove from oven then brush apricot glaze on tart or dust with powdered sugar.
- 7. Serve at room temperature.