Thin Mint Truffles

adapted slightly from Confessions of a Cookbook Queen

Ingredients

- 9 oz box of Thin Mints
- 4 oz (1/2 block) cream cheese, softened
- Chocolate almond bark, candy melts or 1 1/2 cups chocolate chips with 1 1/2 Tbsp shortening
- Nonpareils or sprinkles

Directions

- 1. Crush the Thin Mints very finely using a food processor.
- 2. Once they are crushed, pour the Thin Mint crumbs in a large bowl and add the cream cheese. Mix with your hands until it is mixed thoroughly and the cream cheese is no longer visible.
- 3. Roll into 1 inch balls, place on a wax paper lined baking sheet, and refrigerate for about 30 minutes.
- 4. Melt almond bark, candy melts, or chocolate chips and shortening and using a toothpick or candy dipper, dip truffles completely and twirl to allow the excess to drip off.
- 5. Place back on lined baking sheet and sprinkle with nonpareils or sprinkles before set.
- 6. Refrigerate until firm.

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