Praline Pecan French Toast

8 slices French bread                           ½ cup butter

6 eggs                                                   ¾ cup brown sugar

 1 ¼ cups half and half                         ½ cup maple syrup

1 teaspoon vanilla                                ½ cup chopped pecans

1 teaspoon cinnamon

Lay bread in greased 9x13 pan.  Beat eggs, ½ & 1/2, vanilla

and cinnamon.  Pour over bread.  Soak 30 min. – turning frequently.

Melt butter, brown sugar and syrup in saucepan.  Bring to a boil and

cook and stir 1 min. longer.

Pour sauce over bread.  Bake 30 minutes.  Sprinkle with pecans.