



TAKE AWAY

CUPCAKE SHORTCAKE

These icebox treats are easy to make at home. Slice bakery cupcakes crosswise into three slices. Add layers of your favorite sorbet (we froze ours on a cookie sheet and used a cookie cutter to cut smooth slices) and a drizzle of lemon syrup.

The idea comes from Robert Siegmann, owner of Miami Beach's Ice Box Cafe. He starts with his signature cupcakes and homemade sorbet. "Our desserts are inspired by *Alice in Wonderland*, where everything is larger than life. We fashion them to be like a child's reaction to what desserts should be—gooey, stickier, and bigger than one would normally imagine," says Robert. Ice Box Cafe, 1657 Michigan Ave., Miami Beach, FL 33139; 305/538-8448.