Moroccan Chicken

Total time: 1 hr 45 min Yield: 6 Servings

Ingredients

8 pieces chicken (whole legs and thighs) 1 small white onion (small diced) 1 jalapeno (finely chopped) 5 bay leaves 4 carrots (peeled and cut into 1 inch pieces) 5 celery stalks (cut into 1 inch pieces) 10 pieces fresh okra (remove stems and cut in half) 6 oz dried Mediterranean apricots 1/2 cup Greek olives (pitted) 1/2 cup dried raisins 3 can tomato sauce (8 oz. cans) 1 can chicken broth (14.5 oz. can) 1 Tbsp cumin 1 Tbsp tumeric 1 Tbsp smoked paprika 1 Tbsp dried lemon peel (minced) 8 large cloves garlic (minced) 1 tsp ground cinnamon 2 Tbsp Better Than Bouillon chicken base salt black pepper

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Preheat the oven to 400° F. Remove skin and excess fat from the chicken, and season to taste on both sides with salt and pepper. Place the chicken into a large baking pan. Add the onion, jalapeño, bay leaves, carrots, celery, okra, apricots, olives and raisins on top of the chicken. In a separate bowl mix the tomato sauce, chicken broth, cumin, turmeric, paprika, lemon peel, garlic, cinnamon, chicken base, 2 teaspoons salt and ½ teaspoon pepper together and stir well. Finally pour the sauce over the chicken and vegetables, cover with tin foil and place into the oven. Roast for 1 hour and 15 minutes then serve with your favorite starch.

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