Recipe Coca-Cola Chicken Wings

(For 4 people)



Ingredients: 700 g chicken-wings, 1 stlk spring onion (sectioned), 5 slices ginger, 3 cloves garlic (crushed), ½ carrot (cut into chunks), ½ cup Coca-Cola

Seasonings: 2 tbsp. light soy sauce, 2 tbsp. dark soy sauce, 1 tbsp. white rice wine, pepper to taste

Information:

- There is no need to add sugar, as the sweetness of Coke is the perfect amount for this dish.
- Coke helps tenderize the meat, so no need to cover when cooking.
- You cannot taste any Coke in this dish. The taste of Coke would have evaporated after cooking.

This recipe is good for using any left-over Coke!

Method:

- 1. Cut the chicken wings into two parts. Keep the wing tips intact. Blanch in boiling water for 2 minutes to remove any blood and fat. Drain well.
- 2. Heat some oil in a wok or a pan. Saute ginger, garlic and spring onion until fragrant.
- 3. Add chicken wings and carrot. Stir well and cook until lightly brown. Poor in the seasonings and the Coke. Bring to a boil and continue to cook for 20-25 minutes, uncovered, or until the sauce thickens and chicken wings are caramelized. Top with more water if necessary. Remember to taste.

Recipe Melon with Coconut Milk (with optional sego / Tapioca pearls) (For 4-6 people)

Need time refrigerating to serve cold.



Ingredients: 2 x 400 ml tins coconut milk, 6 tbsp. sugar, 150 ml cold milk, 1,5 kg ripe honeydew melon (about 1 or 2)

Information:

- Make sure you use a non-stick or stainless still cookware.
- Do not use carbon-steel wok / cookware as it reacts with the acid in the berries or coconut and turn the food greyish.

Tip: Work ahead! You may prepare up to step 4 in advance

Method:

- 1. In a non-stick cookware, combine the coconut milk and sugar, bring to simmering point and slimmer for 10 minutes or until the mixture begins to thicken.
- 2. Add the cold milk and remove from the heat. Allow to cool thoroughly. Pour into a bowl, cover and refrigerate. This can be prepared the night before (to serve within 24 hours).
- 3. With a melon baller, scoop out balls from about a quarter of the melon. Cover and store in fridge.
- 4. A. Now peel and deseed the remaining melon. Cut into large pieces and puree in a blender or food processor until it reduced to thick liquid. Poor in a medium-sized bowl, cover and put in fridge (to serve within 6 hours).
 - B. Optional add Tapioca pearls.
- 5. When ready to serve, combine the two mixtures by pouring them together side-by-side into small bowls, forming a yin-yang pattern. Add the melon balls.

Tapioca pearls (optional): 2 tbsp. small tapioca pearls, 4 cups water, ½ cup sugar.

Method:

- 1. Cover tapioca pearls in warm water and let it stand 10 minutes. Drain and set aside.
- Bring 4 cups water to boil. Reduce heat to low. Add tapioca and sugar. Stir occasionally for 8-10 minutes or until tapioca becomes translucent.
 Remove from heat and let cool.
- 3. Add to Honeydew liquid.

Enjoy your meal!

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