Peruvian Quinoa Stew



Makes:

8 - 10 servings

Utensil:

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Recipe Description:

Quinoa is a fast cooking grain-like seed native to the Andes and has been a staple food for thousands of years. This delicious simple one pan meal is full of fiber and protein. Quinoa is glutenfree too.

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1 small
onion, strung, use Cone #2
     2 cloves garlic, shredded, use Cone #1
     2 stalks celery, sliced, use Cone #4
     3 carrots, trimmed, scrubbed and sliced, use Cone #4
     1 small
zucchini, medium dice
     2 teaspoons
ground cumin
(5
g)
     2 teaspoons
oregano, dry
(2
g)
     ½ teaspoon
       smoked paprika
(1
g)
     2 cups
quinoa, rinsed and drained
(340
g)
     8 cups
vegetable stock
(1.9)
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     1 cup
queso fresco, cut into cubes, or mild feta cheese (optional)
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2 scallions, white and green part, minced

Directions:

- 1. Preheat roaster over medium heat. When several drops of water sprinkled in roaster skitter and dissipate, add onions and garlic and sauté for 2 3 minutes until softened.
- 2. Add celery and carrots and sauté for 2 3 minutes, combining with onions and garlic.
- 3. Add zucchini, cumin, oregano, smoked paprika and quinoa. Toss to combine and cook for 2 minutes.
- 4. Slowly add vegetable stock and stir to incorporate.
- 5. Cover roaster. When Vapo-Valve™ begins to click, reduce heat to low and cook for 35 minutes.
- 6. Remove cover and add queso fresco, if using. Stir to combine and cook for an additional 3 5 minutes.
- 7. Taste quinoa stew and add extra salt if needed.
- 8. Serve quinoa stew in bowls garnished with chopped scallions.

Tips:

- Substitute zucchini for other seasonal vegetables, such as potato, butternut squash or green beans.
- Store leftover quinoa stew in the refrigerator for up to one week; it reheats well.

Nutritional Information per

▼ Serving

Based on 8 servings
Calories: 238
Total Fat: 7g
Saturated Fat: 2g
Cholesterol: 10mg
Sodium: 1078mg
Total 36g

Carbs:

Dietary Fiber: 5g

Sugar: 4g Protein: 10g