







BLUE ZONES PROTECT®

Hearty Vegetable Tortilla Soup

Ingredients

- 2 T olive oil or oil of choice
- 1 medium yellow onion, chopped
- 3 stalks celery, sliced
- 2 cloves freshly minced garlic
- 2 deseeded, sliced jalapeno
- 2 large Roma tomatoes, chunked
 - 3 medium sized yellow squashes, chunked
- 4 cans low sodium vegetable stock/broth (14 oz)
- 3 T ground cumin
- salt and pepper to taste
- tortilla strips
- [optional] Cilantro, bell peppers, sliced jalapeno, cheddar cheese, avocados

Directions

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- Heat 2 tablespoons oil in large pot.
- Sauté coarsely chopped onion, chopped celery, and chopped carrots.Cook until vegetables become soft and onions. translucent [you can also add red and yellow bell pepper for added flavor at this point if you'd like].
 - Lower heat and add 2 cloves of chopped garlic, one deseeded jalapeno,
- Add thickly diced Roma tomatoes with juice, and coarsely chopped yellow squash.
- 5. Add 4 cans vegetable broth
- Allow stock and vegetables to cook until all veggies are soft approximately 30 mins.
- 7. Add salt and pepper to taste
- Serve with tortilla strips, and optional: cilantro, sliced jalapenos, cheddar cheese, or sliced avocados.