

# COCONUT MILK RECIPES

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# Baked Chicken in Peanut Sauce



Yield: 6 Servings

#### **Ingredients:**



1 packet **Peanut Sauce Mix** 

4 lbs (1800 g) bone-in chicken

OPTIONAL: 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro

\*Lite Coconut Milk may be substituted

1 can Coconut Milk \*

1 Tbsp vegetable oil

salt and pepper

(coriander leaf)

1 cup flour

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#### **Directions:**

**1** Prepare Peanut Sauce according to directions on package. Set aside.

- **2** Preheat oven to  $350^{\circ}F(175^{\circ}C)$ .
- **3** Salt and pepper chicken.
- **4** Dredge in flour until evenly coated.

**5** In large nonstick skillet, heat oil. Brown chicken very well. Drain on paper towels.

**6** Put chicken in baking dish. (So the thighs fit snug but are not on top of one another.

7 Pour Peanut Sauce over chicken. Cover. Bake 30 minutes. Uncover. Baste and bake an additional 15 minutes.

# Bananas in Coconut Milk



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#### Yield:

Serves 4

## Time:

15 minutes

#### **Ingredients:** Find us



4 medium bananas, **not overripe** 1 can Coconut Milk 1/2 cup sugar 1/4 tsp salt 1/4 tsp nutmeg

### **Directions:**

**1** Peel bananas and cut into diagonal pieces, about 2" each.



2 Cut each piece in half lengthwise.

**3** In a medium saucepan over high heat, whisk together the coconut milk, sugar, salt and nutmeg.



**4** Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Reduce heat and add bananas, being careful not to splash yourself.



**5** Simmer for two minutes, until bananas are just heated through.

**6** Serve warm in individual bowls, with a dash of nutmeg on top.





# Chicken in Red Curry Ginger Sauce



Serve with Jasmine Rice for a quick & complete Thai dish.

### Yield:

Serves 6

# Time:

25 minutes

### **Ingredients:**



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1 & 1/2 lbs ( 680 g ) chicken breasts (boneless, skinless)

- 2 Tbsp lime juice
- 2 Tbsp Fish Sauce or salt to taste
- 1 Tbsp brown sugar
- 1 Tbsp Red Curry Base \*
- 1 can **Coconut Milk** or Lite Coconut Milk
- 1 red onion, sliced
- 1 red bell pepper, cored and sliced

1/4 cup chopped cilantro (coriander leaf) or basil

2 Tbsp peeled & thinly sliced ginger

\*or try with Panang or Green Curry Bases

# Equipment:

Large skillet

# **Directions:**

**1** If serving with rice, start rice to cook while preparing rest of meal.

**2** Slice chicken into thin strips, cutting against the grain so it will remain tender. Set aside.



**3** In a small bowl , mix together the lime juice, fish sauce and brown sugar. Set aside.

**4** In skillet over medium high heat, add curry base with 1/2 can of the coconut milk. Stir frequently, until curry base is dissolved and mixture is bubbling.



**5** Add the rest of the coconut milk, onions and bell pepper. Bring to a boil, then simmer for 2 minutes.

**6** Add the lime juice mixture and sliced chicken. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat to medium and simmer for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.



**7** Add the cilantro and ginger. Stir and cook 1 to 2 minutes more or until the chicken is cooked.

8 Serve over rice



# Chickpeas & Vegetables in **Coconut Milk**

A Vegetarian Soup Packed with Protein.

### Yield:

Makes 9 cups

### **Ingredients:**



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- 1 large onion, diced
- 1 Tbsp minced ginger
- 4 large cloves garlic, minced
- 1 red bell pepper, diced
- 1 green bell pepper, diced
- 1 small yellow squash, diced
- 2 Tbsp yellow curry powder
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 large tomato, diced
- 2 15 oz (425 g) cans chickpeas, drained
- 1 can Coconut Milk

juice from 1 lime

## **Directions:**

1 In a large nonstick skillet, heat oil over medium high heat. Add onion, ginger and garlic. Sauté 3 to 4 minutes until vegetables start to wilt.

**2** Add red bell pepper, green bell pepper and squash. Sauté an additional 2 to 3 minutes.

**3** Reduce heat to medium. Add yellow curry powder, salt and tomato. Sauté 2 to 3 minutes or until the curry is well mixed and fragrant.

4 Add chickpeas and Coconut Milk. Heat through.

**5** Add lime juice, mixing in well. Serve.

# Coconut Ginger Chicken Soup



The Favorite Thai Soup

# Yield:

4 Servings

### **Ingredients:**



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#### 2 Tbsp Coconut Ginger Soup Base 1 can Coconut Milk 1 lb ( 454 g ) skinless boneless chicken breasts, cut into 1" cubes 1/2 tsp Fish Sauce 1 tsp lime juice 2 cups water

## **Directions:**

**1** In medium saucepan over medium high heat, combine Coconut Ginger Soup Base and Coconut Milk. Bring to a boil.

2 Add chicken. Lower heat and cook until chicken is cooked, about 10 minutes.

**3** Add Fish Sauce, lime juice and water. Stir together to incorporate all ingredients well.

**4** Return to a boil, stirring occasionally. Serve hot.

# Green Curry with Beef

From the north of Thailand, where food tends to be spicier.

#### Yield:

4 Servings

#### **Ingredients:**



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#### 1 can Coconut Milk

1 Tbsp **Green Curry Base** 1 lb ( 454 g ) beef sirloin steak, cut into strips

#### 2 Tbsp Fish Sauce

- 1 Tbsp sugar
- 1 onion, quartered
- 1 cup frozen peas
- 2 medium tomatoes, quartered
- 1 cup loosely packed fresh basil leaves

### **Directions:**

**1** In a dutch over or fry pan, brown steak. Remove and set aside.

**2** In same pan, add Coconut Milk and heat over medium high heat for 3 minutes.

**3** Stir in Green Curry Base.

**4** Add Seasoning Sauce, sugar and onion. Continue cooking 2-3 minutes, stirring occasionally.

**5** Add peas and tomatoes.

**6** Bring to a boil, then simmer until onions are transluscent.

**7** Add beef and heat through, approximately 3 minutes.

- 8 Stir in basil until wilted.
- **9** Serve with Soft Jasmine Rice.

# Mussels in Red Curry Sauce



For a great self-serve appetizer, serve mussels with a basket of crusty bread pieces on the side.

#### Yield:

10 appetizers (about 4 mussels each)

#### Time:

45 minutes

#### **Ingredients:**



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2 Tbsp vegetable oil

1 medium onion or 3 shallots, chopped

#### 1 Tbsp Red Curry Base

- 1 can Coconut Milk or Lite Coconut Milk
- 2 Tbsp lime juice
- 2 Tbsp brown sugar
- 1 Tbsp Fish Sauce , or salt to taste
- 1 large tomato, chopped

2 lbs mussels, scrubbed & de-bearded

Garnish: chopped cilantro, lime wedges

#### **Equipment:**

Large skillet with cover

### **Directions:**

**1** Heat oil in skillet over medium-high flame. Add onion and briefly sauté.

2 Add curry base and stir until bubbling and onions are soft.

**3** Add the coconut milk, lime juice, brown sugar, fish sauce, and tomato. Mix well and bring to a boil.

**4** Add the mussels and cover. Steam until the mussels open and are tender. Pour into a large serving bowl and garnish with cilantro and lime wedges.

Serving Suggestion:

This will also serve 4 as a main course, accompanied with Rice Noodles for soaking up the flavor of the sauce.

# Red Curry Beef Stew

Comfort food is the same the world over.

### Yield:

4 Servings

# **Ingredients:**



2 Tbsp vegetables oil

### 2 Tbsp Red Curry Base

2 lbs ( 908 g ) stew meat

2 medium onions, chopped

3 medium potatoes, peeled and cut into chunks

3 medium carrots, peeled and cut into chunks

- 1 can Coconut Milk
- 3 Tbsp Fish Sauce
- 2 tsp brown sugar
- 1 cup roasted, unsalted peanuts

# **Directions:**

1 In large pot, heat oil. Add Curry Base. Sauté for 1 minute.

**2** Add stew meat and brown on all sides.

**3** Add onions and carrots and sauté for 3 minutes.

**4** Add potatoes, Coconut Milk, Fish Sauce and brown sugar.

- **5** Cover and simmer for approximately 1 to
- 1 1/2 hours or until meat is tender.

**6** Garnish with peanuts.

# Red Curry Chicken With Basil



Serve this classic curry over jasmine rice for a traditional Thai meal.

#### Yield:

Serves 4 as a main dish

#### Time:

10 minutes to chop ingredients 15 minutes to cook Total Time: 25 minutes

#### **Ingredients:**



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2 Tbsp vegetable oil

1 & 1/2 Tbsp Red Curry Base

1 can Coconut Milk , shaken

1 & 1/2 lbs (750 g ) boneless skinless chicken breasts, sliced into bite size pieces 2 tsp sugar

2 tsp Fish Sauce

1 red bell pepper, cored and sliced 10 large basil leaves, chopped

#### **Equipment:**

A large frying pan, which works much better than a wok!

### **Directions:**

**1** Heat the oil in the frying pan over medium heat.

**2** Add the curry base and simmer for 2 minutes, so that it is dissolved and foaming.

**3** Stir in the can of the coconut milk. Cook over medium heat for 4 minutes, stirring occasionally.





**4** Add the sliced chicken. Simmer for 4 minutes.

**5** Stir in the sugar, fish sauce and bell pepper. Simmer until the chicken is cooked, about 3 minutes more.

**6** Add the chopped basil. Season to taste with more sugar or seasoning sauce as desired.

7 Serve over rice.







# Sticky Rice with Mango



Our Soft Jasmine Rice makes this classic Thai dessert easier to prepare and every bit as delicious.

#### Yield:

Serves 4

#### Time:

25 minutes to assemble30 minutes to restTotal Time: 55 minutes

#### **Ingredients:**



1 cup uncooked **Soft Jasmine Rice** 1 can **Coconut Milk** 2/3 cup sugar 1/2 tsp salt 1 mango

### **Directions:**

L Cover rice with cold water and rinse. Repeat until the water runs clear, about 3 times, and drain.



**2** In a medium saucepan bring 1 & 3/4 cups of water to a boil. Add the rice and stir briefly. Reduce heat to a low simmer and cover. Cook for 20-25 minutes or until the water is absorbed.

**3** In a saucepan, combine coconut milk, sugar and salt. Boil for 3 minutes, stirring frequently. Remove from heat.

4 Pour the boiled coconut milk into the cooked rice. Stir well.



**5** Cover top of rice directly with wax paper or aluminum foil. Let rest for 30 minutes at room temperature.



**6** Peel the mango and cut into slices or squares.



**7** Spoon the rice, or scoop with an ice cream server onto a serving platter and decorate with mango slices.

