Swiss Chard Stuffed Chicken Breast



Serves: 6

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A low carb, high protein entree with a delicious filling of Swiss chard, mushrooms, garlic, and leeks makes this a delicious yet healthy meal. The filling by itself would make a great side dish.

Prep Time: 20 minutes Cook Time: 20 minutes

Ingredients:

3	large chicken breasts, skinless and boneless
1 bunch	fresh swiss chard
1	leek, rinsed and thinly sliced
1 cup	fresh shitake mushrooms, coarsely chopped
4 cloves	fresh garlic, minced
2 tablespoons	butter
2 tablespoons	extra virgin olive oil
1/3 cup	marsala
2 tablespoons	balsamic vinegar
	salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste

Directions:

FILLING:

- 1. Trim stems from Swiss Chard, wash and drain.
- 2. In a large skillet over medium hi heat melt butter and oil.
- 3. Add leek, garlic, and mushrooms. Saute until lightly caramelized.
- 4. Add Chard and allow to wilt.

5. Add Marsala and Balsamic to deglaze. Reduce heat to medium and let simmer until liquid evaporates (8-10 minutes).

6. Adjust seasoning with salt and pepper. Remove from heat and set aside.

CHICKEN:

1. Butterfly chicken breasts and pound to about 1/4 inch thick between plastic wrap.

2. Season with salt and pepper and divide filling evenly between all pieces. Should be spread evenly and leaving about 1/2 inch on all sides.

3. Roll and tie with kitchen string about ever 2 inches.

4. In a heated skillet add just enough olive oil to brown on all sides.

5. Deglaze with a little marsala and place skillet into a preheated 375° F oven until internal temp reaches 150°F.

6. Remove from oven, cover and let rest for 10 minutes. Remove string and slice into medallions and serve.

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