Baked stuffed squash



Recipe credit

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About this recipe

Serves

4

Serving size

1/4 of prepared recipe

Time to make

15 minutes preparation; 40 minutes cook time

Special criteria

Vegetarian recipes

Ingredients

- 1 small buttercup, acorn, or other winter squash
- 1/2 cup tart cooking apple, chopped
- 2 teaspoons packed brown sugar
- 2 teaspoons butter or margarine, softened
- 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice
- 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg

Directions

- 1. Heat oven to 400 degrees F. Cut squash in half; remove seeds and fibers.
- 2. Place squash halves, cut side up in ungreased baking dish (11 by 7 by 1 1/2 inches).
- 3. Mix remaining ingredients. Spoon into squash halves.
- 4. Cover and bake for 30 to 40 minutes or until squash is tender. (Baking time may vary for a winter squash other than buttercup.)

Tips and variations

- You can substitute any winter squash for the acorn squash in this recipe.
- Buy extra squash when it is on sale in the fall. It generally stores for a month or more in a cool, dark place.
- Baked stuffed squash freezes well.
- If you have leftover stuffed squash, remove and discard the squash peel. Chop the squash. Add the chopped squash and stuffing to oatmeal, a grain or lettuce salad, or a wrap.

Nutritional info

Calories

74

Total fat

2 g

Saturated fat

1 g

Cholesterol

5 mg

Sodium

19 mg

Total carbohydrates

15 g

Dietary fiber

2 g

Protein

1 g

Total sugar

3 g

Allergens

Dairy

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