

# Maple Pork Fillets Stuffed with Pears and Walnuts

Recipe Gluten-free, dairy-free (casein-free) and hypotoxic By: Cuisine l'Angélique

PORTIONS: 6
PREPARATION: 45 MINUTES
TRADITIONAL COOKING: 1 HR 30 MIN
HYPOTOXIC COOKING: 4 HRS

#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### Stuffed fillets:

- 2 pork fillets, about 454 g (1 lb) each
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) olive oil
- · 200 g (2 cups) leeks, cut into 3/4-inch (2 cm) slices
- 5 green onions, chopped
- 80 g (1/4 cup) maple syrup
- · 3 pears, peeled and cubed
- 50 g (1/2 cup) walnuts, chopped
- 5 ml (1 tsp) ground cinnamon
- + 1 ml (1/4 tsp) ground nutmeg
- 1 ml (1/4 tsp) ground ginger
- · 1 pinch ground cloves
- 2.5 ml (1/2 tsp) salt
- · 1 pinch of pepper
- · 2 slices of bread, cubed
- · Walnuts, for garnish

#### Maple sauce:

- 120 g (1/2 cup) white wine
- 105 g (1/3 cup) maple syrup
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) Dijon mustard
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) balsamic vinegar
- · 30 ml (2 tbsp) tapioca starch diluted in the same amount of water

## **PREPARATION**

### Stuffed fillets:

- Using a sharp knife, split the fillets lengthwise, taking care not to separate them completely and not cut to the end, so as to create a pouch that can accommodate the stuffing. Set aside.
- 2. In a large skillet, heat oil. Sauté leeks and green onions over mediumlow heat for 4 to 5 minutes.



I'm so happy to share my maple pork tenderloin stuffed with pears and nuts, a real delight for the taste buds!

- 3. Add maple syrup, pears, nuts, spices, salt and pepper. Bring to a boil and simmer over low heat, stirring, until the syrup caramelizes (excess water will have evaporated).
- 4. Add the bread cubes and mix well. Remove from heat and let cool for about 15 minutes.
- 5. Place the stuffing inside the 2 fillets and tie them with a baking string. Place them gently in a 9"x 13" (22 cm x 33 cm) oiled pan. Place a few walnuts on top of the fillets, halved, for garnish.
- 6. **Traditional cooking:** Preheat the oven to 165 °C (325 °F). **Hypotoxic cooking:** Preheat the oven to 110 °C (230 °F).

## Maple sauce:

- 1. In a small saucepan, combine white wine, maple syrup, Dijon mustard and balsamic vinegar. Bring to a boil and add the tapioca starch mixture, stirring constantly with a whisk until thickened. The sauce will be thick but will liquefy during cooking. Pour it into the pan, alongside the pork fillets.
- 2. Cover and bake on the centre rack of the oven, depending on the time mentioned above for the chosen cooking method.