

Pumpkin Soup Recipe By MICHAEL MCMURTREY

SERVES: 4



INGREDIENTS:		□ black pepper
□ 2 □ 1	cups raw cashews (3-lb.) Kobacha squash "Japanese pumpkin"	□ 1 tsp. grated fresh ginger□ 3 garlic cloves, chopped□ 1/2 tsp. ground coriander
□ 1 □ 1 □	sweet potato lg. carrot olive oil	 □ 1/2 tsp. ground cardamom □ 1 tsp. ground cumin □ 1/2 tsp. turmeric
□ 2 □ 1 □ 1		 □ 1 tbsp. apple cider vinegar □ 2½ cups (up to 4 cups) chickenless broth (or vegetable broth)
DIRECTIONS:		
□ 2.	Soak your cashews overnight. Preheat the oven to 400°F and line a baking sheet with parchment paper. Cut the pumpkin into quarters and scoop out the seeds. Cut sweet potato in half. Cut carrot into 2-inch pieces. Drizzle everything with olive oil and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Place cut side down on the baking sheet. Roast for 40 to 60 minutes or until very soft. When cool, peel	
□ 4.	and discard the pumpkin and potato skin. Measure 4½-5 packed cups of all the veggies. Heat butter in a large pot or Dutch oven over medium heat. Add the onion, salt, and several grinds of pepper and sauté until soft, 5 to 8 minutes. Add the garlic, ginger, cumin, coriander, turmeric, and cardamom, and stir for 30 seconds or until the spices are aromatic. Add the cooked squash, drained raw cashews, and broth. Simmer for 20 minutes, then stir in the vinegar.	
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□ 6.		h with black pepper, pepitas, dried cranberries,

