

# BON VEGAN APPETIT HOMEMADE · SAVORY · COMFORT

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## Vegan Meal Prep Plan Cookbook

6oz per serve - 5ppl

### **Vegan Organic Braised Collard Greens**

#### Ingredients

- 2 tablespoons vegan butter
- 1 cup organic onion (medium diced)
- 8 clove organic garlic (diagonally-cut brunoise: sides measuring approximately 1/8" or 3mm)
- 2 quarts Chef Marcus' vegan stock \* see recipe below \*
- 8 12 fresh organic bay leaves
- ½ teaspoon himalayan pink salt (to taste)
- ½ teaspoon organic black pepper (to taste)
- 1 ½ teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon liquid smoke
- 2 3 pounds fresh organic Collard Greens (chopped & prefer)
- 2 pinch red pepper flakes
- ---- Chef Marcus' Vegan Stock---
- 4 5 quarts clean water
- 1 pk fresh organic bay leaves
- 1 pk fresh organic thyme
- 6 tablespoons himalayan pink salt
- 4 whole organic onions (cut in half)
- 8 whole organic carrots (cut in threes)
- 1 whole organic celery (cut in half)
- 2 whole organic garlic (mashed with chef knife side)
- 6lbs collard greens (chopped)



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#### Directions

- 1. Stock: add everything together and bring to a boil for 30 minutes.
- 2. Reduce heat; let simmer for 20 minutes.
- 3. Warm vegan butter on medium-heat in a large heavy-bottomed soup pot.
- 4. Add the onions and garlic; sautee on medium-low until the onions get soft.
- 5. Next add the stock, bay leaves, spices, and liquid smoke. Bring that to a boil for 20 minutes.
- 6. Add the chopped collard greens and a sprinkle of garlic powder, and stir well. Reduce the heat to low, and cover the greens. Cook until tender, about 25 35 minutes, or longer depending on your preference.
- 7. Turn off the flame, and let it sit for 15 minutes.
- 8. Serve it to your family and/or friends.