

Chicken Tortilla Soup

For years many restaurants competed on who had the best chicken tortilla soup. I loved the soup from the beginning and here is my personal version.

2 tsp	olive oil	2 tsp	cumin
1 medium	onion, chopped	1 tsp	chili powder
4 cloves	garlic, minced	1/4 tsp	cayenne pepper
1 medium	jalapeno pepper, chopped	3-1/2 cups	chicken stock
1/2 cup	green bell pepper	3 medium	tomatoes, diced
12 oz	shredded chicken	16 oz	tomato sauce
16 oz	corn (frozen or off the cob)	6 oz	tortilla chip strips
1/2 cup	white wine		Sour cream

- 1. In a large pot, on medium heat, sauté onions, garlic, jalapeno and green pepper with olive oil until soft.
- 2. Add the chicken, corn, wine, cumin, chili powder, cayenne pepper, chicken stock, tomatoes, tomato sauce. Bring to a boil. Lower heat and simmer for 60 minutes.
- 3. Serve with a dollop of sour cream and tortilla strips.