

Adventurefuls[•] Cowboy Beans

Ready in 90 minutes Makes 6 servings

What you need

Ingredients

6 Adventurefuls, crushed 1/2 lb. ground beef 1/2 lb. raw bacon, diced 1 small onion, diced 1 can pinto beans (16 oz.) 1 can red kidney beans (16 oz.) 1 can white kidney beans (16 oz.) 1/4 cup ketchup 1/2 teaspoon dried mustard 2 tablespoons molasses

Equipment

Small mixing bowl Mixing spoon 3-quart saucepan Spatula Oven safe dish

Directions

1. Cook the meat:

In a 3-quart saucepan, brown ground beef, bacon, and onions. Do not drain.

2. Add in all the beans:

Drain the beans and save liquid in a small bowl. Stir in the beans to browned ground beef.

3. Spice it up:

Stir together the crushed Adventurefuls, ketchup, dried mustard, molasses and a half cup of the reserved bean juice in a separate small bowl. Once combined, add to the rest of the mixture in the sauce pan. Bring to a simmer.

4. Bake:

Move contents from the saucepan to an oven safe dish. Bake at 350° for 1 hour, checking every 15 minutes. If beans appear too dry, add more bean juice (1/4 cup at a time). Remove from the oven and allow to cool slightly before serving. *Enjoy!*

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