RED WINE BRAISED VENISON SHANK



INGREDIENTS

2 HIGHLAND FARM venison shanks

Salt and pepper, to taste

1 medium carrot, diced

1 medium onion, diced

2 ribs celery, diced

3 cloves garlic, smashed

1 1/2 cup dry red wine

2 sprigs of thyme

2 bay leaves

4 cups meat stock (venison or beef broth)

Tender and delicious!

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 250 degrees.
- 2. Season the venison shank with salt and pepper. Preheat a dutch oven on medium heat. Sear the shanks in the dutch oven on all sides until brown.
- 3. Remove shanks and add carrot, onion and celery and cook over medium-low heat until the onions are translucent. Add garlic and cook for 1 minute.
- 4. Add red wine and cook over high heat until the liquid has reduced by 2/3rds. Add thyme, bay leaves, broth and shanks and cook on high until the liquid reaches a simmer.
- 5. Put lid on the pot and place in oven for 2-3 hours. It is done when the meat falls off the bone easily. Remove the shanks and reduce the liquid in the pan iuntil it is thich with the consistency of a sauce. Remove meat from the bone, pour sauce over meat and SERVE!

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