

## Oven-Roasted Spaghetti Squash with Roma Tomato Marinara

# **Ingredients:**

1 spaghetti squash Olive oil Kosher salt, pepper 1 t. garlic oil Basil, chopped

Roasted Roma Marinara:

24 Roma tomatoes, cut in half lengthwise 8–10 garlic cloves Extra-virgin olive oil Fresh basil leaves (unchopped) Balsamic Glaze, to taste Parmigiano Reggiano

## **Preparation:**

For the squash:

Preheat oven to 350° F.

Cut squash in half lengthwise; Remove seeds and sprinkle inside with olive oil, salt and pepper. Place cut side down in roasting pan. Roast for 45–60 minutes. Squash is ready when hull is soft to the touch and beginning to brown. Let cool for 30 minutes.

Turn oven up to 450° F.

Spoon squash out of shells carefully, separating into spaghetti–like strands. Sauté in a non–stick pan with olive oil. Add chopped basil, salt, pepper and garlic oil.

### For the marinara:

Arrange tomatoes and garlic in a single layer on a roasting pan, cut side up. Sprinkle with olive oil, salt and pepper to taste. Roast for 30 minutes or until they begin to caramelize. Let cool, then pureé in a food processor. Add whole fresh basil leaves and balsamic glaze as you continue to pureé.

Serve over hot spaghetti squash, topped with grated cheese.

| <b>Nutrition Per Serving:</b> |          |
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| Calories                      | 145 kcal |
| Fat                           | 9 g      |
| Saturated Fat                 | 2 g      |
| Monounsaturated F             | at 3 g   |
| Polyunsaturated Fa            | t 1 g    |
| Cholesterol                   | 4 mg     |
| Sodium                        | 124 mg   |
| Potassium                     | 437 mg   |
| Carbohydrates                 | 15 g     |
| Dietary Fiber                 | 3 g      |
| Sugars                        | 6 g      |
| Protein                       | 4 g      |
| Vitamin A                     | 24 %     |
| Vitamin C                     | 39 %     |
| Calcium                       | 12 %     |
| Iron                          | 6 %      |