# **DINNERLY**



# Chicken Souvlaki Meatballs

with Romaine & Toasted Pita Salad



20-30min 2 Servings



We took a Greek classic and turned it on its head for this one! Instead of a traditional souvlaki sandwich, we made a chicken souvlaki salad and we're not sorry about it. Don't fret, you still get all of the necessary components —tender chicken meatballs, the flavors of lemon, garlic and oregano, crisp romaine, and floury pita. We've got you covered!

#### WHAT WE SEND

- · 2 Mediterranean pitas 2,3,4
- · 1 lemon
- · 10 oz pkg ground chicken
- 1/4 oz dried oregano
- · 1 romaine heart
- · 1 plum tomato

#### WHAT YOU NEED

- olive oil
- garlic
- 1 large egg 1
- kosher salt & ground pepper

#### **TOOLS**

- · rimmed baking sheet
- · microplane or grater

#### **ALLERGENS**

Egg (1), Sesame (2), Soy (3), Wheat (4). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### **NUTRITION PER SERVING**

Calories 730kcal, Fat 40g, Carbs 50g, Protein 46g



### 1. Prep ingredients

Preheat broiler with a rack in the center and lower positions.

Lightly oil a rimmed baking sheet. Finely chop half of 1 pita. Finely grate 1 teaspoon garlic.

Into a small bowl, finely grate zest from half the lemon, then squeeze in 2 tablespoons juice.



#### 2. CHICKEN VARIATION

In a medium bowl, use a fork to whisk and mash together 1 large egg and chopped pita until a paste is formed. Add ground chicken, grated garlic, ½ teaspoon oregano, 1 tablespoon oil, ¾ teaspoon salt, and a few grinds of pepper. Stir gently to combine. Shape mixture into 8 meatballs and place on prepared baking sheet.



## 3. Broil meatballs & pita

Brush remaining 1½ pitas lightly with oil. Place baking sheet with meatballs on center oven rack. Place pita directly on lower oven rack. Broil until meatballs are browned and cooked through, and pita is deeply toasted and crisp, flipping pita halfway through, about 7 minutes for meatballs and about 10 for pita (watch closely as broilers vary).



4. Prep salad

Meanwhile, cut **lettuce** crosswise into ½-inch pieces, discarding end. Quarter **tomato** lengthwise, then cut into ½-inch pieces crosswise.

To bowl with **lemon juice and zest**, whisk in ¼ **teaspoon oregano** and 3 **tablespoons oil**; season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.



5. Toss salad & serve

Once **pita** is cool to the touch, tear into bite-sized pieces. In a large bowl, combine **lettuce**, **tomato**, and **pita** with  $\frac{4}{3}$  of **dressing** and toss to combine.

Serve salad topped with meatballs and drizzle remaining dressing over top. Enjoy!



6. Did you know?

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