# MARLEY SPOON



## **Loaded Cheesy Mashed Potatoes**

with Bacon, Ranch & Fried Onions

) 20-30min 🛛 💥 2 Servings

With a bowl of these creamy over-the-top mashed potatoes on your table, a memorable dinner is guaranteed! We mash fluffy potatoes with sour cream and butter and then layer on the ultimate toppings: crispy bacon, shredded cheddar-jack cheese, ranch dressing, fresh scallions, and readymade fried onions. This stunning side comes together quickly and is sure to impress. (2-p plan serves 4; 4-p plan serves 8)

## What we send

- 2 potatoes
- 4 oz pkg thick-cut bacon
- 2 scallions
- 3 (1 oz) sour cream <sup>2</sup>
- ¼ oz granulated garlic
- 2 oz shredded cheddar-jack blend <sup>2</sup>
- 1 pkt ranch dressing <sup>1,2</sup>
- 1/2 oz fried onions

## What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- butter <sup>2</sup>

## Tools

- medium pot
- medium skillet
- potato masher or fork

#### Cooking tip

If you add cold bacon to a hot pan, it will curl up, making it hard to crisp evenly. Start with a cold pan, then heat and render the fat slowly for maximum crispiness and pan drippings.

#### Allergens

Egg (1), Milk (2). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### Nutrition per serving

Calories 450kcal, Fat 30g, Carbs 25g, Protein 17g



## 1. Boil potatoes

Peel **potatoes** (or scrub skins clean); cut into 1-inch pieces. Add to a medium pot with **1 teaspoon salt** and enough **water** to cover by 1-inch. Bring to a boil over high heat. Cook until easily pierced with a fork, about 10 minutes. Reserve **¼ cup cooking water**; drain and return potatoes to pot.



Add **bacon** to a medium skillet. Cook over medium heat, stirring often, until browned and crisp, 10-15 minutes. Use a slotted spoon to transfer to a paper towel-lined plate. Reserve **2 tablespoons bacon fat**. Coarsely chop **bacon**.

Thinly slice **scallion greens** (save whites for own use).



## 3. Mash potatoes

Return **pot with potatoes** to medium heat. Add **all of the sour cream**, **reserved bacon fat, 2 tablespoons butter**, and **1 teaspoon granulated garlic**; mash with a potato masher or fork. Stir in **1 tablespoon reserved cooking water** at a time to reach desired consistency. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Remove from heat.



4. Finish & serve

Top mashed potatoes with cheese, ranch dressing, scallions, bacon, and fried onions. Enjoy!



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