MARLEY SPOON



Chicken Piccata Meatballs

with Cauliflower Mash & Green Beans

30-40min 2 Servings

Low carb doesn't mean boring! Fresh lemon, briny capers, and shallots come together to make a rich sauce that perfectly coats tender chicken meatballs– channeling all of the flavors of a classic chicken piccata. Served on top of cauliflower mash, made extra creamy thanks to the addition of mascarpone cheese, and alongside tender green beans.

What we send

- 1 head cauliflower
- 3 oz mascarpone²
- 1 shallot
- 1 lemon
- ½ lb green beans
- $\frac{3}{4}$ oz Parmesan ²
- 10 oz pkg ground chicken
- 1 pkt chicken broth concentrate
- 1 oz capers

What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- 1 large egg ¹
- olive oil
- butter ²

Tools

- medium saucepan
- potato masher or fork
- microplane or grater
- medium nonstick skillet
- rimmed baking sheet

Allergens

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

Nutrition per serving

Calories 710kcal, Fat 50g, Carbs 25g, Protein 48g



1. Make cauliflower mash

Cut **half of the cauliflower** into 1-inch florets (save rest for own use). Fill a medium saucepan with **salted water**; add cauliflower. Cover; bring to a boil. Simmer until tender, about 15 minutes.

Drain cauliflower well; return to saucepan. Use a potato masher or fork to mash cauliflower with **¼ cup mascarpone** until combined. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Cover to keep warm.



2. Prep ingredients

Meanwhile, finely chop **shallot**. Zest **lemon**, then squeeze **2 tablespoons juice** into a small bowl. Cut any remaining lemon into wedges. Trim **green beans**. Finely grate **Parmesan** into a medium bowl.

To the bowl with Parmesan, add **ground chicken**, **half of the shallot**, **1 large egg**, **½ teaspoon salt**, and **a few grinds of pepper**; stir to combine (mixture will be wet).



3. Brown meatballs

Preheat broiler with a rack in the top position. Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a medium nonstick skillet over mediumhigh.

Use 2 spoons to scoop 10 (2-inch) mounds of **chicken mixture** into skillet. Cook, turning occasionally, until browned all over but not cooked through, 4-5 minutes. Transfer **meatballs** to a plate.



4. Make sauce

Add **remaining shallot** to same skillet; cook, stirring, over medium-high until lightly browned, 2-3 minutes. Add **broth concentrate**, **lemon zest and juice**, **capers**, and ½ **cup wate**r. Return **meatballs** to skillet; bring sauce to a simmer. Cook, basting meatballs with a spoon, until sauce is thickened and meatballs are cooked through, 3-5 minutes. Stir in **2 tablespoons butter**.



5. Broil green beans

On a rimmed baking sheet, toss **green beans** with **1 tablespoon oil** and **a generous pinch each of salt and pepper**. Broil green beans on top oven rack until tender and lightly charred, about 5 minutes (watch closely as broilers vary).



6. Serve

Serve **cauliflower mash** topped with **chicken meatballs and sauce** and with **green beans** alongside. Pass **any lemon wedges** at the table for squeezing over top, if desired. Enjoy!