# **DINNERLY**



# Chicken Sausage Meatball Marinara with Cacio e Pepe Polenta



20-30min 2 Servings



We've gathered here today to join these meatballs and this polenta in holy matrimony. Italian chicken sausage creates leaner meatballs that don't skimp on flavor, simmering in a tangy bath of marinara and roasted red peppers. The cacio e pepe inspired polenta results in the cheesy, peppery side dish of our dreams. We've got you covered!

#### **WHAT WE SEND**

- · 2 (¾ oz) Parmesan 2
- · 2 oz roasted red peppers
- ½ lb uncased Italian chicken sausage
- 1 oz panko <sup>3</sup>
- · 8 oz marinara sauce
- · 3 oz guick-cooking polenta
- ¼ oz fresh parsley

#### WHAT YOU NEED

- 1 large egg <sup>1</sup>
- olive oil
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- 4 Tbsp butter (optional) <sup>2</sup>

#### **TOOLS**

- · microplane or grater
- · medium skillet
- · medium saucepan

#### **ALLERGENS**

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

# **NUTRITION PER SERVING**

Calories 670kcal, Fat 30g, Carbs 56g, Protein 45g



# 1. Prep ingredients

Finely grate **Parmesan**, if necessary. Coarsely chop **roasted red peppers**, if necessary.

In a large bowl, mix to combine **chicken sausage**, **panko**, and **1 large egg**. Shape into 10 meatballs, about 1½ tablespoons each.



### 2. Cook meatballs

Heat 1 tablespoon oil in a medium skillet over medium-high. Add meatballs and cook until browned, flipping halfway, 4–6 minutes. Add marinara, roasted red peppers, and ¼ cup water. Bring to a simmer, then reduce heat to low. Cover skillet to keep warm.



# 3. Cook polenta

In a medium saucepan, bring 2½ cups water to a boil over high heat.

Slowly whisk in polenta and 1 teaspoon salt. Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally, until grains are tender and polenta is thickened, 6–8 minutes. Stir in ¾ of the Parmesan and 1 teaspoon black pepper; season to taste with salt. Stir in 2 tablespoons butter, if desired.



## 4. Finish & serve

Pick **parsley leaves** from stems and coarsely chop leaves; discard stems.

Serve meatballs and marinara over polenta and top with remaining Parmesan and parsley. Enjoy!



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What were you expecting, more steps?



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You're not gonna find them here! Kick back, relax, and enjoy your Dinnerly!