RISOTTO WITH CAULIFLOWER

Preparation: 10 minutes | Cooking: 35 minutes | Servings: 4

INGREDIENTS

1 box (34 ounces)
chicken stock
3 thyme sprigs
2 garlic cloves, chopped
1 yellow onion, chopped
2 1/4 cups cauliflower
florets
1 1/2 cups Arborio rice
(sub orzo)
1/2 cup grated
parmesan cheese

1/3 cup dry white wine
1/3 cup slivered
almonds, toasted
2 tablespoons parsley,
chopped
1 1/2 tablespoons olive
oil
1 1/2 tablespoons butter



INSTRUCTIONS

Bring chicken stock to a boil in a saucepan. Remove from heat and cover to keep warm. Meanwhile, heat 1 tablespoon of oil in a large saucepan over medium-high heat. Cook onion, garlic and thyme for about 5 minutes or until softened. Add rice and stir to coat grains in oil. Add wine and simmer for 1 minute or until absorbed. Add stock, 2 cups at a time, stirring regularly. Leave rice until stock is absorbed and cooked through, about 20-25 minutes. If extra liquid is needed, add 1 cup of water. In a separate pan, heat 2 teaspoons of oil and the butter over medium-high heat. Cook cauliflower florets, tossing occasionally for 10 minutes or until browned. Remove sprigs of thyme. Add cauliflower and parmesan, and stir. Let sit for 2 minutes. Sprinkle with parsley and almonds, and enjoy! Serve with chicken or choice of meat for a source of protein.

