



Elvea, festa all'italiana

Tomato soup with meatballs



Ingredients for 4 Persons

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| 500 g | ELVEA Passata - Plain |
| 250 g | ground meat |
| 1 | onion |
| 1 clove | garlic |
| 1 stalk | green celery |
| 1 | carrot |
| 1 | fresh bouquet garni |
| 70 g | ELVEA double concentrated tomato |
| 1 liter | vegetable stock |
| | butter |
| | pepper |
| | salt |
| | fresh parsley |

Preparation

- Remove the fibrous threads of the celery and cut into wedges. Peel the carrot and cut it into pieces.
- Melt a lump of butter in a soup pot and fry the onion and garlic until tender. Add the celery, carrot and tomato concentrate and fry for a few minutes. Now add the passata and let it simmer on a low heat.
- Add the bouquet garni and the stock to the pan, bring to the boil and let gently simmer for 30 minutes.
- Meanwhile, make the meatballs with the ground meat. Season with pepper and salt.
- Remove the bouquet garni from the soup and mix the soup finely in blender or with a hand blender. Add the meatballs and let the soup boil for 3 minutes without stirring. The meatballs are cooked when they come to the surface. Season the soup with pepper and salt and serve. Finish with some chopped parsley or a dash of cream.

