SPRINGTIME ARTICHOKE DIP WITH PITA CHIPS

Low Carb / Diabetes Friendly, Lower Saturated Fat, Lower Sodium, Vegetarian

Serves: 12 (Serving= 4 chips and 1/4 cup dip)

Nutrition (per serving)

Calories: 79 Total Carbohydrate: 13 g

Total Fat: 0.5 g Dietary Fiber: 2 g Saturated Fat: 0 g Total Sugars: 2 g Sodium: 321 mg Protein: 6 g



Ingredients

Pita Chips:

- 3 loaves whole grain pita bread
- Cooking spray
- ullet ½ Tablespoon ground cumin

Artichoke Dip:

- \bullet 1 ½ 12 ounce cans (~36 pieces) quartered artichoke hearts, rinsed
- 1 cup fresh spinach leaves
- ½ cup low-fat ricotta cheese
- 1 (5.3 ounce) container plain non-fat Greek yogurt

- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1/4 large white onion
- 1/3 cup fresh flat leaf parsley, chopped (see note below)
- 1 Tablespoon fresh lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon chili powder
- ½ teaspoon paprika



• ½ teaspoon garlic powder

Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2. Cut pita bread loaves in 8ths, then open each wedge and cut through the middle so you have 2 triangles. Place on baking sheet and spray with cooking spray. In a small bowl mix together seasonings. Sprinkle over chips then bake for 7 minutes, flip the chips and bake an additional 3 minutes.
- 3. Place ingredients for dip into food processor and process until smooth.
- 4. Garnish with additional ingredients if desired (paprika, etc.). Enjoy with chips.

Note: Dried parsley can be substituted for fresh parsley. Replace 1/3 cup fresh parsley with 1 % Tablespoon dried.

