

Shrimp and Scallion Potstickers

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Shrimp and Scallion Filling

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Makes: about 16 potstickers

Food:

1 package thick skinned potsticker wrapper

1 jar chili crisp condiment (optional)

1 batch Ginger-Soy Dipping sauce (recipe follows)

1/2 pound peeled and deveined shrimp, chopped

1½ teaspoon chili garlic sauce

1½ teaspoon soy sauce

1 teaspoon rice vinegar (unseasoned)

3 tablespoons chopped scallions (green onions)

1 tablespoon sesame oil

Equipment:

1 mixing bowl

1 rubber spatula

1 tiny bowl of cold water

1 medium sauté pan with lid

tongs

Method:

For the Filling:

Stir together shrimp, chili garlic sauce, soy sauce, rice vinegar, scallions, and oil in a bowl.

For the Dumplings:

- Lay a wonton wrapper down on your work surface and wet the edges of the wrapper with an index finger dipped in water.
- Place a slightly rounded tablespoon of filling in the center of the wrapper.
- Bring the two opposing points of the wrapper together to form a triangle and press the edges together to seal.
- Lightly wet the surface of the two straight sides of the triangle and begin to seal by making a small crease.

Finish each potsticker by pressing the edges together and making a series of small creases.

Ginger Soy Dipping

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Makes about 1/2 cup

Food:

1/3 cup soy sauce

2 tablespoons unseasoned rice vinegar

1 stalk green onion, finely chopped

2 large cloves garlic, finely chopped or crushed

1 tablespoon chopped fresh cilantro

1 teaspoon minced fresh ginger

1 teaspoon chili sauce (optional)

Equipment:

1 small mixing bowl

1 knife

1 cutting board

Method:

- In a small bowl, combine the soy sauce, vinegar, onions, garlic, cilantro, ginger, and chili sauce.
- Set aside on the counter for at least 30 minutes, if possible, to let the flavors meld together. The longer the mixture rests, the more intense the flavor becomes.
- You can store the dipping sauce in a sealed container in the refrigerator for up to 1 week.