

Bronzed Grouper with Lobster Sauce



Ingredients, Grouper:

- ½ cup extra-virgin olive oil
- 4 each 6 8 ounce filets of fresh black grouper
- 2 tablespoons blackened/Cajun seasoning spice
- 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice

Ingredients, Lobster Sauce:

- 2 ounces butter or margarine
- ½ medium-size yellow onion, finely diced
- ½ red or green bell pepper, finely diced
- 1 green onion or scallion, finely chopped
- 2 tablespoons fresh chopped parsley
- 1 teaspoons minced raw garlic
- 3 ounces chopped Langostino lobster-tail meat
- 1/₃ cup white wine
- 2 teaspoons lemon juice
- 1/3 cup heavy cream or half and half
- 1 tablespoon lobster base

Ingredients, Paul Prudhomme's Spice Mixture:

- 1 tablespoon sweet paprika
- 2 ½ teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon onion powder
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon ground red pepper (cayenne)
- ¾ teaspoon freshly ground white pepper
- 3/4 teaspoon fresh ground black pepper
- ½ teaspoon dried thyme leaves
- ½ teaspoon dried oregano leaves

Method for Paul Prudhomme's Spice Mixture:

- 1. Mix all ingredients well.
- 2. This seasoning is fantastic when used on not only fish, but chicken and steak as well.
- 3. Dip the meats in melted butter and then into this mix before cooking.



Method, Grouper:

- 1. Heat oil in large skillet.
- 2. On a separate plate, roll fish filets in Cajun spice.
- 3. Place fish into hot skillet until they turn a nice, golden color.
- 4. Remove fish from oil and squeeze lemon juice onto fish.

Method, Lobster Sauce:

- 1. In medium saucepan, melt butter.
- 2. Add onion, bell pepper, scallion, parsley, and garlic. Caramelize until tender.
- 3. Add lobster meat, wine, lemon juice and cream. Reduce slightly and fold in lobster base.
- 4. Mix well. Reduce to low heat.
- 5. Pour lobster sauce generously onto grouper filets.