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TROPICAL CUP

(vegan, lactose free, gluten free) Serves 4 – 6 as a dessert, or 10 – 12 as a small sample

Ingredients

coconut milk 250 grams rice milk or soy milk 250 ml 40 grams raw cane sugar wholemeal rice flour 35 grams vegan dark chocolate 20 grams (85% cocoa) 1 pinch ground vanilla or 1/2 vanilla bean 1 pinch ground tonka bean 200 grams mango puree

Fresh fruit to taste:
apples, pears, grapes
tangerines, oranges, bananas
papaya, pineapple, mango
kiwi, pomegranate seeds

2-3 tbs rapeseed oil for frying coconut flakes to taste

To prepare the tropical cup

Pour 100 ml rice milk into a bowl. Bring the remaining milk and the coconut milk to a light boil in a large pot, stirring frequently. Add ground vanilla or vanilla pulp and grated tonka bean. While the liquids are coming to a simmer, mix the rice flour into the cold rice drink. As soon as the liquids are simmering, add the sugar. Then add the flour mixture, stirring constantly. Bring to a light boil and allow to simmer for an additional 2 minutes.

Cut the chocolate into pieces and add to mixture, allowing the chocolate to melt. Remove the pot from the stove and cool off as quickly as possible in a cold water bath, stirring occasionally. Wash or peel fruit, as needed. Dice the fruit and mix together in a bowl. Serve the fruit salad in dessert bowls, topped with cooled crème sauce. Top with a small amount of mango puree. Garnish with fresh fruit or coconut flakes as desired.

The health factor

This dessert combines fresh fruit that are rich in vitamins with a light sauce made of whole grain – a combination that boosts iron absorption from the grains. The dessert has no animal fat and is low in calories, but rich in flavor. Because of the sweetness of the fruit, it needs no added refined sugar. The soy-chocolate crème also makes an excellent school snack. Vary the recipe by using your favorite fruits, or an exotic fruit that you've never tasted before. Colorful variety is healthy! The dish is vegan, lactose free, and gluten-free. Contains soy if soy milk is used.