



10 QT. DIGITAL PRESSURE COOKER

Model: EPC-1013(A~Z)

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Before operating your new appliance, please read all instructions carefully and keep for future reference.









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IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using pressure cookers, basic safety precautions should always be followed:

- 1. Read all instructions before operation.
- 2. Do not operate while unattended.
- 3. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- 4. Close supervision is necessary when the pressure cooker is used near children.
- 5. DO NOT allow children to operate under any circumstance.
- 6. Do not place the pressure cooker in a heated oven.
- 7. Extreme caution must be used when moving a pressure cooker containing hot liquids.
- 8. Do not use pressure cooker for other than intended use.
- 9. Never immerse product in water or other liquids.
- 10. This appliance cooks under pressure. Improper use may result in scalding injury.
- 11. Make certain unit is properly closed before operating. See" Operating Instructions".
- 12. Do not fill the unit over 4/5 full. When cooking foods that expand during cooking such as rice or dried vegetables, do not fill the unit over 3/5 full. Over filling may cause a risk of clogging the vent pipe and developing excess pressure. Failure to follow this procedure can result in injury to person(s) and/or damage to the unit.
- 13. Be aware that certain foods, such as applesauce, cranberries, pearl barley, oatmeal or other cereals, split peas, noodles, macaroni, rhubarb, or spaghetti can foam, froth, and sputter, and clog the pressure release device (steam vent). These foods should not be cooked in a pressure cooker.
- 14. When the normal operating pressure is reached, turn the heat down so all the liquid which creates the steam does not evaporate.
- 15. Always check the pressure release devices for clogging before use.
- 16. Do not open the pressure cooker until the unit has cooled and all internal pressure has been released. If the handles are difficult to push apart, this indicates that the cooker is still pressurized do not force it open. Any pressure in the cooker can be hazardous. See Operating Instructions.
- 17. Do not use this pressure cooker for pressure frying with oil.
- 18. DO NOT place the product near flammable materials or use in a humid environment.
- 19. DO NOT damage the Seal Belt and DO NOT replace it with anything other than the replacement belt designated for this unit.
- 20. DO NOT tamper with the Steel Ring in the Lid (2) with any tools or external forces. If the Steel Ring is damaged, please stop using immediately and replace the Lid.
- 21. Clean the Filter (17) regularly to keep the cooker clean.
- 22. NEVER use additional weight on the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) or replace the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) with anything not intended for use with this unit.
- 23. The surface of contact between the Inner Pot (6) and the Electronic Heater (14) should always be clean. DO NOT use the Inner Pot with other heating sources. DO NOT replace the Inner Pot with a container other than what is recommended by the manufacturer.
- 24. The Inner Pot consists of a non-stick layer surface. To avoid scratching the non-stick surface, please use wooden or plastic utensils.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

- 25. Food should not be kept warm for more than 4 hours in order to maintain the freshness of the food. The pressure cooker should not be used for more than 6 hours continuously. Serious Injury and/or damage may occur if any safeguards are ignored.
- 26. If steam releases around the Lid (2) during the cooking process, please unplug from the power supply immediately, let cool, remove contents and return the product to the manufacturer for exchange or repair. The Pressure Discharging Device has activated. This is a safeguard to alert the user that the Pressure Limiting Device is malfunctioning
- 27. If there is any malfunction of the cooker during the cooking process, please stop using the device and return to the manufacturer for repair or exchange.
- 28. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- 29. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- 31. Do not operate this appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after it malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Bring it to a qualified technician for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment. DO NOT disassemble the product, or replace parts with parts not intended for this unit.
- 32. Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to off, then remove plug from wall outlet.
- 33. Do not use outdoors.
- 34. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- 35. Any other servicing should be performed by an authorized service representative.
- 36. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- 37. Some countertop and table surfaces, such as Corian®, wood and / or laminates, are not designed to withstand prolonged heat generated by certain appliances. It is recommended by countertop manufacturers and Maxi-Matic that a hot pad or trivet be placed under your appliance to prevent possible damage to the surface.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

Safety Warning

- There is a potential risk of fire, electric shock or injury to persons if the product is not used as instructed. Protection against electric shock is assured only if the main power cord is connected to a properly grounded 120V | 60Hz power receptacle.
- This product is to be used in an indoor environment only and is not intended for commercial use. Dry locations only.
- All parts and accessories for this appliance must be used properly according to the
 instructions. All parts and accessories must be the original provided from
 manufacturer. All other parts or accessories that is not intended for use with this
 appliance is strictly prohibited.
- The use of an extension cord, power adapter or other electric devices is highly not recommended.

Additional Safety Tips

- Always keep hands and face away from Pressure Release Device when releasing pressure.
- Use extreme caution when removing the lid after cooking. Always tilt the lid away from you, so any remaining steam is away from your face.
- Never attempt to open lid while cooking, or before float valve (4) has dropped. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature by forcing lid open.
- Do not cover or block the pressure valves.
- Do not touch the pot or lid except for the handle immediately after using.
- To avoid burns, allow food to cool before tasting. The temperature of the food gets considerably hotter than with conventional cooking.

LED Error Indicator

- If any of the below error codes appear on the pressure cooker display, unplug the power cord and re-plug after 10 minutes. If the error code remains, contact the manufacturer for a replacement part.
- See Troubleshooting on page 24 for instructions regarding an E4 error.

Indicator Code	Problems/Causes
E1	Open Circuit of the Sensor
E2	Short Circuit of the Sensor
E3	Overheating
E4	Signal Switch Malfunction

ABOUT YOUR PRESSURE COOKER

This digitally controlled and automatic pressure cooker uses advanced technology so you and your family can enjoy the benefits of better, faster and healthier cooking. Your Elite Platinum Pressure Cooker seals in steam to cook hotter and faster while maintaining important nutrients for healthier meals. Cooking fast and with less water saves vital natural resources and energy! The unit features easy touch-button settings, a countdown timer, and a very large cooking pot big enough for family gatherings! It's the easiest pressure cooker to use on the market. It may seem like a complicated unit but rest assured, this pressure cooker is simple to use, makes meals quick and easy, and overall it saves you money! Please accept our thanks for purchasing an Elite Platinum Pressure Cooker and Enjoy!

PRESSURE COOKER WITH MULTIPLE FUNCTIONS:

- Multiple functions for cooking, stewing, braising, simmering, and roasting.
- Cooking will be done automatically by selecting the different menu choices on the unit. When the food has completed its cooking cycle, there will be a (3) beep indicator, followed by the unit automatically switching to the Keep Warm mode.
- A delay timer allows the user to delay the start of cooking by up to 24-hours.
 When the timer is set, the count-down will start. At the end of the countdown, the cooker will start to heat up.
- The pressure cooker also has its own memory. During interruptions such as a
 power failure, the unit will automatically renew the cooking cycle where the
 unit left off when the power resumes.

RAPID COOKING: TIME & POWER SAVING:

 By using high pressure (high temperature), food will be cooked much more rapidly. This will reduce the cooking time and consumption of power. For example: when cooking rice, this pressure cooker will save up to 20% of the electricity and up to 15% of the time when compared to a conventional rice cooker. When cooking stew, soups or braising meats, this cooker will save more than 40% of time and more than 45% of power as compared to a conventional slow cooker. Cooking can also be done at high altitudes.

PRESERVES NUTRIENTS & PROMOTES HEALTHY EATING:

Airtight cooking methods preserve nutrients and original flavor of food.

SHORT CORD PURPOSE

NOTE: A short power cord is provided to reduce the risk of personal injury resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.

Longer power-supply cords or extension cords are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use.

If an extension cord is used: (1) the marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the product; (2) the extension cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can unintentionally be pulled on or tripped over by children or pets.

POLARIZED PLUG

If this appliance is equipped with a **polarized plug** (one blade is wider than the other), please follow the below instructions:

To reduce the risk of electrical shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If you are unable to fit the plug into the electrical outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug

still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Never use the plug with an extension cord unless the plug can be fully inserted into the extension cord. Do not alter the plug of the product or any extension cord being used with this product. Do not attempt to defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.

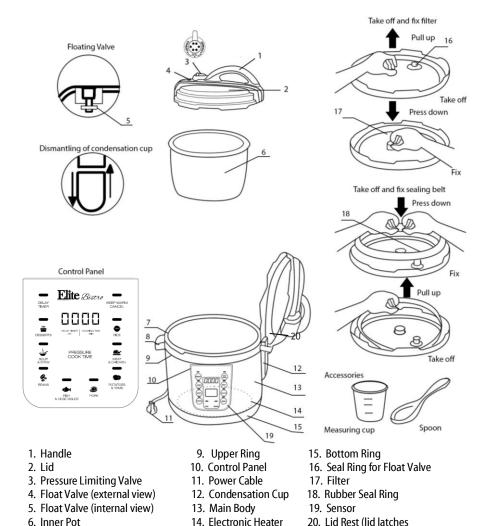
STOP

This is NOT a Stovetop Pressure Cooker.

Under NO circumstances should this Pressure Cooker or any of its parts or components be placed ON or NEAR a Stovetop, Range, or Open Flame.

Doing so will cause serious damage to the Pressure Cooker and/or injury to person.

PARTS IDENTIFICATION



NOTE

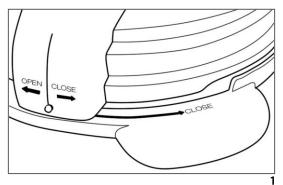
8. Handle

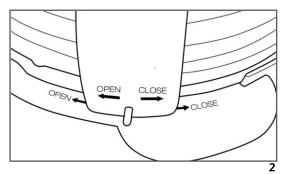
7. Outer Pot

The Inner Pot (6) consists of a non-stick surface. To avoid scratching the nonstick surface, please use wooden or plastic utensils.

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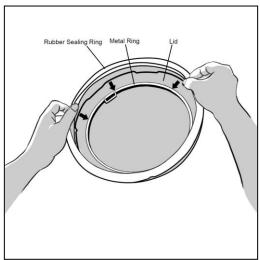
PRESSURE COOKER LID MARKINGS



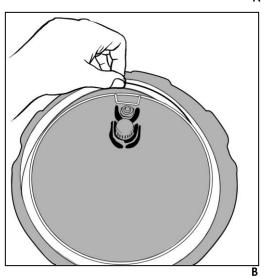


Please note the "OPEN" and "CLOSE" markings on the handle (1) and the rim of your pressure cooker body (13). (Figure 1). To properly close and secure the pressure cooker lid (2), always line up the "CLOSE" markings on the handle (1) and the rim of cooker body (13). The metal pin next to the "CLOSE" marking on the handle (1) will pop out. (Figure 2).

RUBBER SEAL RING ASSEMBLY



Always ensure the Rubber Seal Ring (18) is properly and securely fitted onto the metal ring in the interior of the Lid (2). The Rubber Seal Ring (18) should be placed into the Lid (2) by fitting it around the outer part of the entire metal ring making sure that the crease in the Rubber Seal Ring (18) meets with the metal ring all the way around. (Figures A – B)



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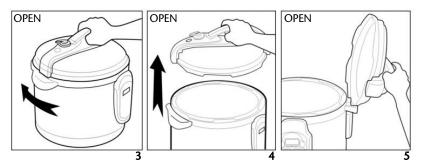
BEFORE FIRST USE

Working Pressure	PSI	Maximum Pressure	Keep Warm Temperature	Delay Timer
0~70kPa	12 PSI	90kPa	140°F ~ 175 °F	0.5~24 HR

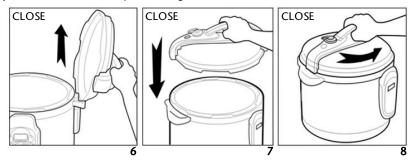
- 1. Remove packaging materials such as cardboard, plastics or Styrofoam and discard appropriately.
- 2. Clean all the parts by wiping with a soft damp cloth or sponge and dry thoroughly.

LID ASSEMBLY:

How to open the lid: Hold the handle (1) firmly, turn the lid (2) clockwise until it loosens and lift vertically (Figures 3-4); the lid (2) can stand on the Lid Rest (20) (Figure 5). **Note:** For new units, the seal of the lid (2) may be slightly stronger than normal and may be slightly difficult to unlock. Once the lid (2) has been opened and closed several times, it will loosen up.

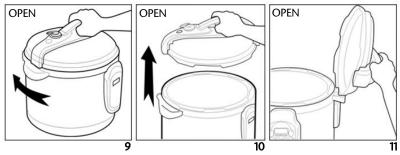


How to close the lid: Take the lid (2) off the lid rest (20) (Figure 6), hold the handle (1) and close it downwards at the Opened Lid position (Figure 7). Turn counter-clockwise until you reach the Closed Lid position (Figure 8).

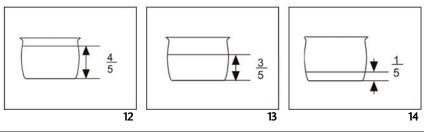


PREPARING YOUR PRESSURE COOKER

1. **Opening the lid:** Hold the handle (1) firmly, turn the lid (2) clockwise until it loosens and lift vertically (See Figures 9-10); the lid (2) can stand on the lid rest (20) (Figure 11).



2. Remove the inner pot (6) and add desired ingredients. The amount of water and food should not exceed 4/5 of the height of the inner Pot (6) (Figure 12). For food that will expand in water, the level should not exceed 3/5 of the Inner Pot (6) (Figure 13). The minimum level for cooking would be 1/5 of the Inner Pot (6) (Figure 14).



Cooking Rice

When cooking rice, the maximum amount of rice allowed for this 10 quart pressure cooker is 20 cups of uncooked rice.

Normally one cup of rice requires one cup of water. This may vary according to taste.

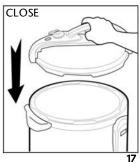
 Be certain the inner receptacle, where the Electronic Heater is located, is clean and dry before inserting the Inner Pot (6) into the pressure cooker and adjust the pot left and right to ensure optimal contact between the Inner Pot and the Electronic Heater (Figure 15).



PREPARING YOUR PRESSURE COOKER (CONT).

- 4. Closing the Lid: Make sure the Rubber Seal Ring (18) is fitted properly onto the inner part of the lid (2). Observe the Rubber Seal Ring (18) inside the lid (2) and ensure that it is evenly fitted onto the track. (Caution: If the rubber seal ring is damaged, do not use the pressure cooker. Contact Customer Service to repair or replace.)
- 5. Lift the lid (2) from the rested position. Close the lid (2). Hold the handle (1) and turn it Counter-Clockwise to the "LOCKED" position. (A clamping sound can be heard; See Figures 16-18).

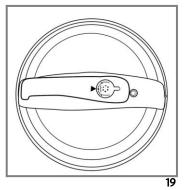


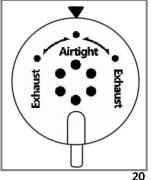




Note: To ensure you are properly closing the lid (2), please make sure the <u>pressure limiting</u> <u>valve</u> (3) is on your left side when you are facing the front of the pressure cooker (when facing the control panel (10).

- 6. Adjust the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) to the "Air Tight" position, and ensure that the Float Valve (5) sinks.
- 7. When adjusting the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) to either the "Airtight" or the "Exhaust" positions, line up the marking on the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) with the arrow on the Handle (1) as shown in Figures 19 and 20.





PREPARING YOUR PRESSURE COOKER (CONT).

NOTES & TIPS #1:

Please note that the <u>Pressure Limiting Valve</u> (3) will be loose when you are not using the unit for cooking. It will rock slightly and will turn 360° manually. Once the pressure cooker is in operation and the pressure has built up to its capacity, the <u>Pressure Limiting Valve</u> (3) will tighten but on the surface it will resemble a bobble-head, only allowing itself to be turned to "Exhaust". Once all the pressure has released, it will become loose again.

NOTES & TIPS #2:

During the Pressure Building process, you may notice steam or pressure escaping from the <u>Pressure Limiting Valve</u> (3). Carefully adjust the valve by moving it gently or turning it side to side gently using tongs or similar utensil until it seals properly.

If any steam is escaping around the lid, it means that the <u>Rubber Seal Ring</u> (18) may not have completed a tight seal when the lid was locked. This can happen to brand new units. Try pressing down firmly on the Lid (2). This should allow the <u>Rubber Seal Ring</u> (18) to seal and stop any more steam from releasing.

If this does not fix the issue, cancel the cooking process, release pressure manually or naturally, remove the lid and check the <u>Rubber Seal Ring</u> (18) and the <u>Float Valve</u> (5). See page 9 on how to install the <u>Rubber Seal Ring</u> (18). Note that the <u>Float Valve</u> (5) is properly assembled and you are able to pull it up and down with ease by grasping the <u>Float Valve Seal Ring</u> (16). Reposition the lid and ensure that it is secure. Start the cooking process again.

Please note that steam escaping from the <u>Valve</u> (3) or around the lid is normal for the first 5 minutes or so during the <u>pressure building process</u>. If it continues beyond 10 minutes or steam is still releasing when the timer has begun counting down, press down firmly on the Lid (2) to help form a tighter seal. If this does not fix the issue, press the **KEEP WARM/CANCEL** button and follow the instructions to release all pressure before removing the lid to check the <u>Float Valve</u> (5) or the <u>Rubber Seal Ring</u> (18).

NOTES & TIPS #3:

At any point during the selection process or the cooking process, you can press the **CANCEL button to cancel your selection or to cancel the cooking process.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

HOW TO USE THE **PRE-SET MENU BUTTONS**:

There are eight **Pre-Set MENU BUTTONS** programmed for your pressure cooker. They are **RICE, SOUP & STEW, MEAT & CHICKEN, POTATOES & YAMS, BEANS, PORK, FISH & VEGETABLES, AND DESSERTS.** The default times are preset for quick and easy cooking for small portions of food. (When cooking food that is more than 3lbs. or more than 6-cups, please use the Timed Cooking function.) Each of the default times is programmed to detect the weight of food being cooked and how much liquid is inside the pot during the cooking cycle. The unit will automatically build up the pressure, cook the food and go to **KEEP WARM** when cooking is complete.

FUNCTION	DEFAULT COOKING TIME	COOKING TIME RANGE
RICE	12 MIN	5-25 MIN
SOUP & STEW	25 MIN	5-60 MIN
MEAT & CHICKEN	12 MIN	5-60 MIN
POTATOES & YAMS	13 MIN	5-60 MIN
BEANS	40 MIN	5-90 MIN
PORK	15 MIN	5-70 MIN
FISH & VEGETABLES	5 MIN	3-15 MIN
DESSERTS	18 MIN	5-33 MIN

- 1. Prepare desired food and place into cooking pot.
- 2. Secure the Lid (2) onto the unit, turn it Counter-clockwise to lock it properly in place.
- 3. Make sure the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) is set to the "Airtight" position.
- 4. Plug the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- 5. The LED screen will display **00 00**.
- 6. Choose the desired MENU BUTTON. When pushed, the Cook Time will display for the selected setting. For example, if RICE is selected, the display will show P12 and the indicator light for RICE will begin blinking. The RICE Indicator will blink five times and then illuminate solid once it begins operation.
 - While the unit is building up pressure the display will show <u>00 12</u>. The unit may take between 5-20 minutes to build up pressure depending on weight of contents inside.

NOTES & TIPS #4:

When pressing a **MENU BUTTON**, the LED screen will not immediately change until the pressure has built up to capacity. This may take approximately 5-10 minutes depending on the quantity of food you are cooking.

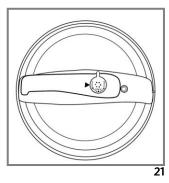
The pressure cooker will begin to operate based on a cooking time of 12 minutes.
 There is no need to press any other button. When proper pressure is achieved, the

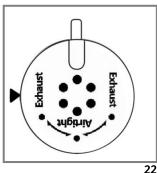
display will show <u>P:12</u> and the cooking time will begin to countdown. (Depending on the menu button selected, the display will be different for each button and show <u>PO</u> correspondingly based on the **DEFAULT COOK TIMES CHART** on page 14.

- 8. When the unit has pressurized, it will begin to pressure-cook the food. You may hear quiet hissing or sizzling sounds coming from inside of the unit during this time. **See Notes & Tips #2 if there is steam escaping from the Lid (2) or the Pressure Limiting Valve (3).
- When cooking has completed, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to KEEP WARM. The display will show <u>bb</u> during KEEP WARM.
- 10. The KEEP WARM indicator light will illuminate and the Pressure Cooker will begin naturally releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #6). Depending on the contents inside, natural pressure release may take some time to fully release. As a safety feature, the lid will not open unless all pressure is released. Do not force the lid open. Once all pressure has released, the Float Valve (4) should sink and the lid should open easily. If the lid feels tight, please allow additional time for pressure to fully release before attempting to open the lid.
- 11. You may also <u>Quick Release</u> the pressure. If you wish to <u>Quick Release</u> the pressure, move the <u>Pressure Limiting Valve</u> (3) to the "Exhaust" position to release the pressure until the Float Valve (4) sinks. (Figures 21-22).
- CAUTION: <u>Use an oven mitt or long utensil</u>. Keep hands and face away from Pressure Limiting Valve (3) while in the Exhaust position. Failure to comply may cause serious injury.

NOTES & TIPS #5:

When cooking soups or stews with other hearty ingredients such as potatoes or meat, as much as 5 or 6 cups of liquid must be used to prevent ingredients from over-cooking or burning.





- 12. Always be certain the pressure is released completely before unlocking the lid (2) and opening it.
- Press CANCEL to end operation and remove food to serve immediately or allow the unit to remain in KEEP WARM mode. (It is not recommended to keep food warm for over 4-hours).

NOTES & TIPS #6:

- a. NATURAL RELEASE is recommended when cooking foods that will not have the tendency to overcook such as Potatoes, Beans, Soups & Stews. During the Natural Release time period, the pressure cooker may still be heated and cooking the food slightly. In Natural Release, do not move the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) to EXHAUST immediately after cooking. Depending on the contents inside, Natural Release may take some time to fully release. Gently tap the Valve (3) using an oven mitt or utensil. If it is loose and turns easily and no steam is released from the Valve (3), then all pressure has been released. As a safety feature, the lid will not open unless all pressure is released. Do not force the lid open. Once all pressure has released, the Float Valve (4) should sink and the lid should open easily. If the lid feels tight, please allow additional time for pressure to fully release before attempting to open the lid.
- b. <u>QUICK RELEASE</u> is recommended when cooking foods that you wish to be Medium or Medium-Rare such as Beef Roasts or Lamb. This will release the pressure quickly and prevent the food from over-cooking.
- CAUTION: <u>Use an oven mitt or long utensil</u>. Keep hands and face away from Pressure Limiting Valve (3) while in the Exhaust position. Failure to comply may cause serious injury.

HOW TO USE THE "PRESSURE COOK TIME" BUTTON:

Setting your own cook time is ideal for cooking meat or poultry that weighs more than 3-pounds. It is also suggested for slow-cooking certain recipes that require cooking for more than 30-minutes. The programmed cook time can be set up to 90-minutes.

- 1. Prepare desired food and place into cooking pot.
- 2. Secure the Lid (2) onto the unit, turn it Counter-clockwise to lock it in place properly.
- 3. Make sure the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) is set to the "Airtight" position.
- 4. Plug the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- The LED screen will display <u>00 00</u>.
 Press the **BEANS** button once and the LED Screen will display <u>P40</u>.
- 6. Immediately press the **PRESSURE COOK TIME** button to increase the cooking time by up to 90 minutes. Each incremental press of the button increases the cooking time by 1 minute. Hold the button down for rapid increase of cooking time.
- 7. Press the **PRESSURE COOK TIME** button past the 90 minute mark to start over at 5 minutes.
 - The screen will display **P:05** and the LED Screen and the **BEANS** Indicator will blink five times and then illuminate solid when it begins operation. While the unit is building up pressure the display will show **00 05**.
- 8. The pressure cooker will begin to operate based on a cooking time of 5 minutes.

 There is no need to press any other button. When proper pressure is achieved, the display will show <u>P:05</u> and the cooking time will begin to countdown.
- When cooking has completed, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to KEEP WARM. The display will show <u>bb</u> during KEEP WARM.
- The KEEP WARM indicator light will illuminate and the Pressure Cooker will begin naturally releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #6 regarding pressure release and opening the lid).

HOW TO USE THE **DELAY TIMER**:

If you wish to Program your pressure cooker to automatically cook prepared food at a later time, you can program the pressure cooker to delay cooking by up to 24-hours. (*See Notes & Tips #7). This setting is used in combination with the **MENU BUTTON SELECTIONS** in the chart shown on page 14 and with the **PRESSURE COOK TIME BUTTON**.

- 1. Prepare desired food and place into cooking pot.
- 2. Secure the Lid (2) onto the unit, turn it Counter-clockwise to lock it in place.
- 3. Make sure the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) is set to the "Airtight" position.
- 4. Plug the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- 5. The LED screen will display **00 00**.
- 6. Press the **DELAY TIMER** button. The LED screen will show <u>0:30</u> which is equal to 30 minutes of delay time. Pressing it once for each additional 0.5-hour or hold for rapid increase. The maximum Delay period is 24-hours in half-hour increments. Pressing the delay timer button again after reaching the 24-hour setting will automatically reset the delay timer to zero. (The time that displays on the LED screen shows how long the user wants the unit to wait before the cooking process begins.)
- 7. EX: If you wish to program the pressure cooker to automatically turn on in 3-hours, press the **DELAY TIMER** button until the LED screen displays **3:00**).
- After programming a Delay time of 3 hours, choose your MENU BUTTON or PRESSURE COOK TIME.

MENU SELECT BUTTONS:

- Select one of the 8 Pre-Set MENU BUTTONS.
- Once you have selected your desired function, the pressure cooker will count down the delay time of 3 hours and then start cooking.

PRESSURE COOK TIME:

- Press the BEANS button and then the PRESSURE COOK TIME button to reach the desired cook time. Follow the instructions under "How to use the PRESSURE COOK TIME button."
- Once the desired DELAY TIME and PRESSURE COOK TIME are selected, the DELAY TIMER indicator light and the BEANS button will illuminate and the unit will begin to countdown 3 hours until cooking begins.
- 1. Once the pressure cooker completes its countdown, the unit will begin to pressurize and follow the cooking sequence for the chosen **PRESSURE COOK TIME** selection.
- When cooking is complete, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to **KEEP WARM**. The display will show <u>bb</u> during **KEEP WARM**.
- The KEEP WARM indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #6 regarding pressure release and opening the lid).

NOTES & TIPS #7:

During the cooking process, when the pressure cooker enters into the Pressurized Sequence, the first digit on the LED screen will display the letter "P".

For foods with a high volume of liquid (Stews, soups, porridges, etc.) **IT IS NOT RECOMMEND TO USE QUICK RELEASE**. This is to avoid liquid splatter from the ventilation in the Pressure Limiting Valve (3).

Use NATURAL RELEASE: User should wait for the temperature to drop and the Float Valve to sink on its own prior to opening the lid.

CAUTION: It is not recommended to use the Delay Timer function to cook foods that may spoil. Leaving raw foods inside the pressure cooker for long periods of time prior to cooking may result in the food spoiling. Cook food that can be left out such as rice, beans, grains or other foods that will not spoil.

HOW TO **BROWN/SAUTÉ** WITH YOUR PRESSURE COOKER:

Before Pressure Cooking, most recipes will benefit from the golden color, richer flavors and moist results gained from Browning/Sautéing. This important step is made simple by the one-touch button!

To Brown or Sauté your meats or vegetables prior to pressure cooking:

- 1. Remove lid (2) and plug in the pressure cooker.
- 2. Press the **FISH & VEGETABLES** button.
- 3. Add oil or butter as directed in your recipe and then place food into the Inner Pot (4).
- 4. Stir or turn food as needed until desired color and consistency is reached.
- 5. Press the **Keep Warm/Cancel** button to shut off the **BROWNING** function.
 - Allow the unit to rest 2-3 minutes after cancelling the **BROWNING** function before beginning to pressure cook.
- 6. Continue your recipe by adding liquid, attaching lid (2) and selecting desired program/cook time.

HOW TO USE THE **KEEP WARM** FUNCTION:

Food can be prepared at an earlier time and kept warm inside the pressure cooker using the **KEEP WARM** function. Food should not be kept warm for more than 4-hours. Additional time may cause a change in flavor, appearance and cause food to spoil.

- 1. Prepare desired food and place into cooking pot.
- 2. Secure the Lid (2) onto the unit, turn it Counter-clockwise to lock it in place properly.
- 3. Plug the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- 4. The LED screen will display **00 00**.
- Press the KEEP WARM/CANCEL button once. The KEEP WARM/CANCEL indicator light
 will illuminate solid and the display will read <u>bb</u>. It is recommended to set the
 Pressure Limiting Valve (3) to "Exhaust" at this time since you are only keeping food
 warm and not pressurizing.

- 6. The pressure cooker will start maintaining a lower temperature to keep warm.
- 7. To cancel, simply press the **KEEP WARM/CANCEL** button again until indicator light is no longer illuminated.
- 8. Remove food and serve.
- 9. Unplug power cord and allow to cool completely before dismantling and cleaning.

HOW TO COOK WITH FROZEN FOODS:

Cooking frozen food inside a pressure cooker is quick and easy but has certain restrictions. Only cook individual cuts of frozen meats that are up to 1 inch thick, the cooking time does not need to be altered. Pressure will not be achieved until the internal temperature has reached a preset level. If the recipe states the meat should be cooked for 10 minutes after pressure has been achieved, it will still be the same, but it will take longer to reach the required pressure point.

It is not recommended to pressure cook larger cuts of frozen meats such as a whole roast, a block of frozen ground meat or a whole chicken. Larger cuts will require increased cooking times of up to one third more, and the results may not be the same when compared to meats that were thawed (or at least partially thawed) and browned before cooking.

HOW TO USE THE PRESSURE COOKER FOR **CANNING**:

It is recommended to purchase a separate instructional book that is specific to Canning. These books can be purchased at a local book store. This pressure cooker can be used to do basic pressure canning and the water-bath method. Low-Acidic fruits and vegetables and High-Acidic fruits and vegetables are recommended. It is not recommended to can foods such as meat or seafood products in this unit.

Before using this unit for canning purposes, check with the UDSA for food preservation guidelines or read the publications listed at

http://www.uga.edu/nchfp/publications/publications usda.html.

- 1. Always use canning supplies specifically manufactured for canning purposes. It is recommended to use mason jars that are 32-ounces or smaller. <u>Do not stack jars on top of each other.</u>
- Always inspect your canning supplies to ensure proper function and safety. Avoid using jars with chips, nicks, cracks or other imperfections in the glass, rims or lids.
- 3. Wash jars thoroughly in hot water according to manufacturer's instructions.
- 4. Prepare food and fill mason jars and seal according to manufacturer's instructions.
- 5. Always make sure there is 1-inch of headspace in the jars.
- 6. Use a thin utensil to release any trapped air between the food and the jar by pressing food firmly to the sides to dislodge any air bubbles.
- 7. Set jar lids onto the jar and screw on the outer rings until tight, then unscrew ¼ turn.
- 8. Place iars into the inner pot.
- 9. If desired, use clean dish towels to tuck around the jars to prevent them from

- touching each other or the sides of the inner pot.
- 10. Fill inner pot with 6-cups of water. (Certain canning recipes may require a different amount of water.)
- 11. Secure the lid onto the pressure cooker, turn it Counter-clockwise to lock it in place properly.
- 12. Make sure the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) is set to the "Airtight" position.
- 13. Plug the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- 14. Follow canning recipe for the type of food you are canning and program the **Pressure Cook Time** (**under a specific Menu Button**) for the specified time frame for the size of jars and type of food recipe you are using by following the directions under **How to use the Menu Buttons** and **How to use Set Pressure Cook Time** in this manual.
- 15. When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- 16. When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 17. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #6 regarding pressure release and opening the lid).
- 18. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- 19. Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. CAUTION: Jars are hot!
- Set jars on a towel or cooling rack and allow to cool completely in a draft-free location.
- 21. Follow recipe instructions on cooling and storage.

NOTES & TIPS #8:

While the jars are cooling, a small "click" sound will come from the lids to indicate the lids are sealing properly.

After approximately one hour, check to be sure the flat lids have obtained a good seal by pressing down with your thumb; the lid should remain stiff with no movement.

If you have not achieved a good seal within 2 hours, the canning did not work properly and the ingredients will need to be refrigerated and used within 3 days or frozen in a freezer container.

NOTES & TIPS #9:

If recipes require the use of a trivet, riser (wire rack), foil, or heat-resistant/pressure-resistant oven-safe cookware, you may use these accessories in this pressure cooker.

If you do not have a wire rack that will fit, simply use 3-4 mason jar lids or regular jar lids for a simple 1-inch riser.

HELPFUL TIPS

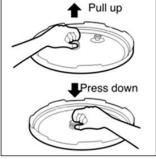
- Read this manual thoroughly and follow all instructions.
- Be familiar with the recipe and have all ingredients prepped before you begin.
- Be sure the lid is secured and locked properly before beginning.
- You may wish to brown some meats before cooking with other ingredients. To do so, follow instructions on page 18.
- Cut foods into equal-sized pieces to promote even cooking. In recipes that call for multiple ingredients, cut those that cook more quickly into larger pieces and those that cook more slowly into smaller pieces.
- Many different cooking liquids can be used in a pressure cooker: wine, beer, bouillon, fruit juices, water, broth and more.
- After becoming familiar with your pressure cooker, you can readily adapt conventional recipes to be used with a pressure cooker. In general, cut cooking times by two thirds. The amount of liquid used may also have to be reduced because there is very little evaporation in the pressure cooker. Reduce the required liquid so there is only about 1/2 cup more than desired in the finished product. Remember, however, there must always be some liquid in the pressure cooker to produce the necessary steam. Try using this rule; 1 cup of liquid for the first 15 minutes of pressure cooking then 1/3 cup of liquid for each subsequent 15 minutes. This can still vary, so if your unit will not build pressure you will have to add more liquid until it is able to build pressure. (See 3rd down in Troubleshooting).
- Since flavors are more intense, reduce the amounts of herbs and seasonings when adapting from conventional recipes. Fresh herbs are better for pressure cooking than dried.
- In general, pressure cookers cook foods in about 1/3 the time of conventional cooking methods.
- Increase cooking times by about 10% when cooking in high altitudes of over 3,500 feet.
- If you wish to cook food in less time than the pre-programmed amount, observe the timer and press CANCEL when desired cooking time has elapsed.
- Always check to make sure your gasket and float valve are clean, unobstructed and in good working order.
- When cooking under pressure, never fill above the fill line of the inner pot markings.
- If you are making soup and you are at the fill line, do not release pressure manually because hot liquid could spray out.
- Never attempt to open lid while under pressure and while float valve (4) is still up!!!
 Always open pressure cooker with the lid facing away from you.
- When manually releasing pressure, evaporation of some liquid may occur (i.e. when making rice or risotto). This is normal, but caution must be used to prevent injury.

HOW TO CLEAN YOUR PRESSURE COOKER

- 1. Always make sure the Pressure Cooker is unplugged, depressurized and completely cooled down before dismantling.
- Use a non-abrasive sponge or damp wash cloth to clean the exterior of the outer body (13) and the exterior surface of the pressure cooker. NEVER immerse the pressure cooker in any liquids.
- 3. Remove the Condensation Cup (12) and rinse it thoroughly and let dry. Clean the Upper Ring (9) with a damp sponge or wash cloth.
- 4. Clean the Lid (2) with warm soapy water, including the Rubber Seal Ring (18), Pressure Limiting Valve (3), Filter (17), Vent, Float Valve (5) and let dry thoroughly.
- The Pressure Limiting Valve (3) pops off easily by gently reaching underneath it and gently prying upwards. Be careful not to damage the thin wire spring under it.
- On the underside of the lid below the Pressure Limiting Valve (3), is a small metal filter cap which can be removed easily to clean.
- 5. Let parts dry completely before reassembling.
- 6. Wash the Inner Pot (6) with a non-abrasive sponge and allow to air dry or use a towel. It is not recommended to use any type of scouring pad that can scratch the non-stick surface of the Inner Pot (6).
- 7. Clean the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) and the holes with a small brush to ensure smooth flow of steam during the release cycle.
- 8. Store the inner pot inside of the Pressure Cooker. Store Pressure Cooker in a cool, dry location.
- NOTE: Any servicing required shall be performed by an authorized service representative or from the original manufacturer or distributer.

How to Clean the Filter:

If you wish to clean the filter (10), you may remove it by pulling vertically. To re-attach, simply line up the filter (10) and press down to secure the filter (Figure 23).



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TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
Is the Airtight/Exhaust Pressure Limiting	If you are not cooking or using the unit, the Valve (3) will be loose. It will turn 360 degrees and may even come off if you pull on it. Once you start using the pressure cooker and the pressure has built up, and the Valve is set to "Airtight" properly, it will resemble a bobble head.
Valve (3) on the top of the lid supposed to be loose?	Sometimes during cooking and pressurizing, steam may escape from the Valve. It indicates the Valve is not seated properly/securely. Simply use tongs or similar utensil and gently/carefully adjust it so it is seated properly.
	Nothing is wrong. Make sure the Valve (3) on top is set to Airtight and the Lid (2) is locked securely. Once you have selected the Menu Button, simply leave the unit alone and it will start to heat up and build up pressure. This sometimes may take up to 5-10 minutes depending on what you're cooking.
	Once the unit has built up enough pressure, the display will change to a countdown timer that displays your desired cooking time of the Menu Button you selected. This is the time the unit will start cooking the food. Pressurizing can take anywhere from 5 minutes up to 20 minutes depending on the quantity of food you are cooking.
	The unit will then start to cool down and de-pressurize on its own. The countdown timer will change to bb and the Keep Warm light will illuminate.
When I choose a Menu Button (ex: Meat & Chicken),	During this time, the food inside is still cooking. Depending on if you want your food to be cooked longer, you can allow the unit to naturally release the pressure by letting the unit sit. (Some meats will keep cooking once the pressure is released, so if you prefer your meat to be Medium or Medium-Rare, we suggest the quick release.)
nothing happens? What's wrong?	Once the pressure has completely released, the floating valve (4) will drop down. You can unlock the lid and open to check on your food.
	The unit is detecting that not enough liquid has been added to your recipe. The pressure cooker has an automatic over-heat protection sensor that will automatically set itself to OFF or Keep Warm when it detects that not enough liquid is present so that it does not over-heat. Make sure all pressure is released, open the lid and add in increments of 1/2 cups of liquid until the unit will properly build up pressure and cook.
When I set the pressure using the Preset Menu Buttons, it will begin to build pressure and heat up, but in about 5-minutes the unit beeps and goes to Keep Warm and my	The unit is detecting that there is a leak in the pressure and that it is not sealed properly. Firmly push down on the lid to help the seal form or release any built up pressure and safely remove the lid to check the unit thoroughly. Make sure the rubber gasket ring is in place, the lid is securely locked, and that the Valve on top of the lid is set to the "Airtight" position. Reset the unit by unplugging it. Wait 10-seconds and plug it back in. Program the unit again.
food did not cook completely. What is happening?	Both of the above solutions will cause some liquid to have evaporated and it is recommended to add back in any liquid that has evaporated otherwise you will keep encountering the same issue.

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
	See Notes & Tips #2.
Steam is being released around the rim of the lid during the pressurizing sequence. How do I fix this?	The Rubber Seal Ring (18) did not make a proper seal. Cancel all the functions. Exhaust any remaining pressure and steam. Open the lid and remove it entirely. Check the Rubber Sealing Ring to make sure it is positioned properly. Rub a wet cloth along it to make sure it is clean of debris and it is smooth. Re-assemble the lid, lock it securely in place and restart the cooking process.
	See Notes & Tips #2.
Steam is being released from the Pressure Limiting Valve (3) during the pressurizing sequence. How do I fix this?	The Valve (3) may not be positioned properly. Simply use tongs or similar utensil or oven mitt and carefully adjust it so it is seated properly. If the steam continues to release, you may need to Cancel all the functions. Exhaust any remaining pressure and steam. Remove the Pressure Limiting Valve and check the thin wire spring on the underside of it. Make sure it is not bent or loose. If steam still continues to escape, the Valve may be faulty and replacement or repair may be necessary. Please contact the manufacturer.
Pressurized Steam is being quietly released from the Floating Valve (4) area during the pressurizing sequence. How do I fix this?	This may happen during the initial start-up of the Pressurizing Sequence. Simply use tongs or similar utensil or oven mitt and carefully adjust it so it is seated properly. This will help settle the lid and all the valves properly. The pressure will quickly push up on the Floating Valve and seal it properly then finish the pressurizing sequence.
My food is finished cooking and all the pressure is released, but I cannot unlock and open my lid. What is stuck?	Make sure all the pressure and steam has been completely released. Make sure the small Floating Valve (4) is no longer in the up position. It may be stuck in the UP position, simply tap the lid slightly to make it go back down. Then turn the lid clockwise to unlock the lid. If it is still stuck, unplugging the unit may help.
What is the clear, round plastic part that came with my pressure cooker?	It is the Condensation Cup: Refer to part (12) under Parts Identification within this manual to attach the condensation cup to the side of the pressure cooker. This catches the water and steam that drips off the lid when the lid is opened in the upright position.
I've programmed the pressure cooker to cook but it's just sitting there and nothing appears to be happening.	The unit is still building up pressure. Normally this takes between 10-15 minutes. However, if you are cooking a very full pot of food, the pressure build up time can take up to 40 minutes.
The unit is DEAD or has NO POWER.	The fuse in the unit has shorted out. This happens if the unit is cooked without enough liquid in the inner pot or if there is too much electrical current going to the cooker. Please contact customer service at (800) 365-6133 ext. 120/107/105 for a replacement fuse.
The LED display shows E4 error.	Unplug the power cord from the wall outlet. Wait approximately 15 minutes. Plug the power cord back into the wall outlet. Press "CANCEL" button on the pressure cooker. Select cooking process to begin cooking. If problem persists, contact customer service at (800) 365-6133 ext. 120/107/105 for a replacement thermofuse.
My food is burned at the bottom of the inner pot.	There is not enough liquid in the inner pot. Add more liquid to your inner pot contents.

COOKING TIME CHART

Courtesy of www.healthfoods.com

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Meat/Poultry

Always cook meat or poultry with at least 1-3 cups of liquid. If the cooking time exceeds 15 minutes, use 2 cups of liquid. If weight of meat or poultry is 3lbs, use 3 cups of liquid. Preserved or salted meats should be immersed in water.

Cooking times for meat and poultry may vary according to the quality and quantity

of meat or poultry being cooked.

 Unless indicated. The cooking times given below are for 3 pounds of meat or poultry unless noted otherwise. Additionally, the denser the cut, the longer the

cooking time should be.

Type of Meat	Approximate Cooking Minutes	Pressure Release
Beef/Veal, roast or brisket	38-42	Quick Release
Beef Meatloaf, 2 lbs.	13-18 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release
Beef, meatballs, 1-2 lbs.	7-12 or use the Meat Button	Natural Release
Beef, Corned	55-65	Natural Release
Pork, roast	43-47	Natural Release
Pork, ribs, 2 lbs.	18 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release
Pork, ham shank	25-28	Natural Release
Leg of Lamb	42-45	Natural Release
Chicken, whole, 2-3 lbs.	15-18 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release
Chicken, pieces, 2-3 lbs.	12-15 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release
Cornish Hens, two	12-15 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release
Meat/Poultry soup/stock	15-20 or use the Meat Button	Quick Release

Seafood

 Cooking times may vary according to the type of seafood being cooked.
 Cook seafood on a cooking rack with a trivet on the bottom of the pot (if available), and add at least 3/4 cup of liquid. Lightly grease cooking rack with vegetable oil when cooking fish.

Type of Seafood	Approximate Cooking Minutes	Pressure Release
Clams	3-5	Quick Release
Crabs	3-5	Quick Release
Lobster, 1 1/2 - 2 lbs.	3-5	Natural Release
Mussels	3-5	Quick Release
Shrimp	2-3	Quick Release
Fish, whole, gutted	7-8	Quick Release
Fish, Soup or Stock	7-8	Quick Release

Vegetables
 Always cook with at least 1-2 cups of liquid.
 Add 1-2 additional minutes to cooking time when preparing frozen vegetables.
 Use the quick-release release method at the end of cooking cycle so vegetables will not become soggy. (Below chart is for quantity approximately half a pot).

Type of Vegetable	Approximate Cooking Minutes	Pressure Release
Asparagus, thick whole	2-5	Quick Release
Asparagus, thin whole	1-2	Quick Release
Beans, fava, shelled	5	Quick Release
Beans, green, whole	4-5	Quick Release
Beans, lima, shelled	3	Quick Release
Beets, small, whole	2-3	Quick Release
Beets, large whole	23	Quick Release
Beets, 1-inch slices	5	Quick Release
Broccoli, flowerets	3	Quick Release
Brussel sprouts, whole	5	Quick Release
Carrots, 1-inch chunks	5	Quick Release
Carrots, 1/4-inch slices	1-2	Quick Release
Cauliflower, flowerets	3-5	Quick Release
Corn on-the-cob (4-6)	4	Quick Release
Escarole, coarsely chopped	2-3	Quick Release
Kale, coarsely chopped	2-3	Quick Release
Okra, small pods	3-5	Quick Release
Onions, whole	3	Quick Release
Potatoes, 11/2-inch chunks	7	Quick Release
Potatoes, new, small whole	6	Quick Release
Potatoes, sweet and yams, whole, medium	10-12	Quick Release
Potatoes, sweet and yams, 2" chunks	7-8	Quick Release
Spinach, fresh, coarsely chopped	3	Quick Release
Squash, acorn, halved	8	Quick Release
Squash, butternut, 1-inch chunks	5	Quick Release
Squash, summer, zucchini or yellow, 1/2- inch slices	6	Quick Release
Turnips, small quartered	4	Quick Release
Turnips, 1 1/2 inch chunks	4	Quick Release

*Split peas and rhubarb can foam, froth, and sputter, and can clog the pressure release device (steam vent). These foods should not be cooked in a pressure cooker.

Dried Beans and Other Legumes
 Place beans or legumes in pressure cooker. Add 3 cups of water for each cup of

beans or legumes.

Add 1 tablespoon of vegetable oil for each cup of water to cut down on foaming. Do not add salt until after cooking.

Let pressure drop naturally after cooking.

Cooking times may vary according to the quality of the beans or other legumes. If still hard after recommended cooking times, continue cooking uncovered. Add additional water, if necessary. (Below chart is for quantity approximately half a pot).

Type of Legume	Approximate Cooking Minutes	Pressure Setting
Azuki	7-8	Natural Release
Black Beans	10-12	Natural Release
Black Eyed Peas	11-12	Natural Release
Chick Peas (garbanzo)	11-13	Natural Release
Gandules (pigeon peas)	8-10	Natural Release
Great Northern	10-14	Natural Release
Kidney Beans, Red	12-14	Natural Release
Lentils, green	10-12	Natural Release
Lentils, soup	8-10	Natural Release
Lentils, red	10-15	Natural Release
Lima Beans	7-8	Natural Release

^{*} Applesauce and cranberries, can foam, froth, and sputter, and can clog the pressure release device (steam vent). These foods should not be cooked in a pressure cooker.

Before cooking, soak certain grains, such as wheat berries and pearl barley in four times their volume of lukewarm water for at least four (4) hours or overnight if required. Do not add salt to water, since it may toughen the grains and inhibit hydration.

Do not soak rice.

Rinse under lukewarm water (this also applies to rice)

Cook each cup of grain in the amount of water specified.

Type of Grain	Approximate Cooking Minutes	Pressure Setting
Rice, basmati – 1 1/2 cups	7-8	Natural Release
Rice, converted – 1 1/2 cups	7-8	Natural Release
Rice, long grain – 1 1/2 cups	7-8	Natural Release
Rice, brown – 1 1/2 cups	17-22	Natural Release
Rice, wild – 3 cups	25-27	Natural Release
Wheat, berries – 3 cups	1	Natural Release

^{*} Pearl barley, oatmeal or other cereals can foam, froth, and sputter, and can clog the pressure release device (steam vent). These foods should not be cooked in a pressure cooker.

Meat/Poultry (Larger Cuts)

- Always cook meat or poultry with at least 1-3 cups of liquid. If the cooking time exceeds 15 minutes, use 2 cups of liquid. If weight of meat or poultry is 3lbs, use 3 cups of liquid. Preserved or salted meats should be immersed in water.
- Cooking times for meat and poultry may vary according to the quality and quantity of meat or poultry being cooked.

Category	Meat	Pressure Cooker Cook Times (Approx)
	rib roast, bone in	42-80 minutes cook time
	(4 to 6 pounds)	
Doof fronk	rib roast, boneless, rolled	60-90 minutes cook time
Beef, fresh	(4 to 6 pounds)	
	round or rump roast	30-45 minutes cook time
	(2 ½ to 4 pounds)	
Turkey,	4 to 8 pounds (breast)	30-80 minutes cook time
fresh unstuffed	8 to 12 pounds	35 to 45 minutes cook time
	whole roasting hen	25 - 35 minutes cook time
	(5 to 7 pounds)	
	breast, halves, bone-in	8-15 minutes cook time or press Chicken
Chicken,	(6 to 8 ounces)	button
fresh	breast, halves, boneless	6-10 minutes cook time or press Chicken
	(4 ounces)	button
	legs or thighs	8-20 minutes cook time or press Chicken
	(4 to 8 ounces)	button
	loin roast, bone-in or boneless	25 - 50 minutes cook time
	(2 to 5 pounds)	
Pork, fresh	crown roast	35 - 70 minutes cook time
	(4 to 6 pounds)	
	tenderloin	8-15 minutes cook time
	(½ to 1 ½ pounds)	
	fresh, cook-before-eating, bone-in, half	45 - 70 minutes cook time
	(5 to 7 pounds)	
Ham,	fully cooked, bone-in, half	35 - 60 minutes cook time
smoked	(5 to 7 pounds)	
	fully cooked, spiral cut, whole or half	50 - 85 minutes cook time
	(7 to 9 pounds)	7

Recipes on this page are courtesy of Joelle Hunter.

MACARONI N' CHEESE

SERVES 8

Ingredients

2 Tbsp butter
2 shallots, minced
12 cups water
2 Tbsp seasoned salt
1 Tbsp Worcestershire sauce
1 Tbsp dry mustard

3 pounds elbow noodles (or your

favorite small pasta)
1 loaf original Velveeta, cut into cubes
2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese
2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
1/2 jar diced pickled jalapeños

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: Melt butter and sauté shallots for 2-3 minutes. Cancel "BROWNING." Add water, salt, Worcestershire sauce, dry mustard & pasta and cook under pressure for 1 minute. Release pressure, open lid and add cheeses & jalapeños; stir well. Close lid and let cheese melt for 2-3 minutes, then stir again. (For extra creamy "TV" Mac & cheese, stir in 2 cups whole milk, half &half or heavy cream at the end).

WHOLE TURKEY

SERVES 8

Ingredients

12LB Turkey or smaller Olive Oil for Rub Salt Pepper Poultry Seasoning

Pat turkey dry with paper towels, then rub with oil and sprinkle generously with salt, pepper & poultry seasoning. Place on a sheet pan in a pre-heated 450°F oven for 15 minutes. (You may stuff turkey before placing in oven, if desired).

While turkey cooks in oven, create a "sling" for easy removal of Whole Turkey from the pressure cooker: Fold two 24 inch long sheets of aluminum foil each in half lengthwise and then in half again so they are about 2 inches wide. Place both in bottom of pressure cooker in an X with long sides hanging out of the pot. Place the turkey with legs up and leaning over to one side onto the foil sling. Add 1 cup chicken broth and cook under pressure for 1 hour.

Recipes are courtesy of www.recipezaar.com and www.fastcooking.ca.

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BEEF IN PEPPER SAUCE

SERVES 4

*Ingredients*Pepper Sauce

1 red bell pepper or green bell pepper

1/2 cup baby carrot

1(8 ounce) can tomato sauce (1 tbsp

to be use later)
2 garlic cloves

2 teaspoons ground ginger

1 teaspoon turmeric

2 lbs boneless sirloin steaks, cut into

strips

salt & pepper 1 cup water 1 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon black pepper 1/2-1 teaspoon cayenne pepper (depends on how spicy you like it) 1/2 teaspoon ground cardamom

2 tablespoons olive oil

1/2 teaspoon paprika 1/2 teaspoon cumin 1/2-1 onions, sliced 1 green bell pepper, sliced

Directions

- Remove 1 tablespoon of tomato sauce from the can to be used later. Blend the
 ingredients for the pepper sauce (green pepper through cardamom) in a food
 processor until there are no chunks left. Set aside.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add enough olive oil, sprinkle the beef with salt & pepper then brown in the cooker without the lid.
- Once browned, cancel "BROWNING" and add water, reserved tomato sauce, paprika & cumin to the beef. Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press the MEAT function switch.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Add the pepper mixture, sliced onions & green peppers to the meat and sauce, close and lock lid and press the MEAT & CHICKEN function again.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Vegetables and meat should be tender. Serve immediately over white rice if desired

CHICKEN PICCATA

SERVES 6

Ingredients

1/2 cup all-purpose flour
1/4 cup olive oil
4 shallots
ounce) o 3 garlic cloves, crushed
3/4 cup chicken broth
1/3 cup fresh lemon juice
1 tablespoon sherry wine
2 teaspoons salt

1/4 teaspoon white pepper

1 cup pimento stuffed olive, minced 1/4 cup sour cream 1 tablespoon potato starch or flour 1/4 cup fresh parmesan cheese, grated (1 fontinella cheese, grated 1 lemon, thinly sliced, to garnish 1 teaspoon dried basil

Directions

- Lightly dust chicken pieces with flour.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil. Add chicken breasts, two at a time, and sauté in hot oil until brown on all sides. Remove from inner pot and set on a paper towel lined dish.
- Add shallots and garlic to the inner pot and sauté for 3 to 5 minutes, scraping bottom of pan to loosen browned particles remaining from chicken. Stir in broth, lemon juice, sherry, salt, pepper, basil, and olives.
- Cancel "BROWNING."
- In the cooking pot, add chicken pieces skin side down back in.
 Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to
 Airtight and press the MEAT & CHICKEN function switch.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Stir chicken mixture, then transfer just the chicken to serving platter, and cover to retain heat.
- Whisk sour cream and starch together. Stir into cooking liquid inside the pressure cooker and cook over manual heat 1 minute, stirring constantly.
- Spoon sauce over chicken. Sprinkle with cheese and garnish with lemon slices.

SPARE RIBS

SERVES 6-8

Ingredients

1 cup brown sugar 1/4 cup soy sauce 1/2 teaspoon paprika 1 tablespoon vinegar 1/4 teaspoon cayenne 1 teaspoon garlic powder 2 lbs pork ribs 1 cup of chicken/beef stock

Directions

- Prepare sauce ingredients inside cooking pot.
- Divide ribs up evenly so it fits into the pressure cooker.
- Coat each piece thoroughly with the sauce.
- Place ribs into pressure cooker pot after coating with sauce.
- Add the 1 cup of stock to the bottom of pot.
- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press the PORK function switch.

When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by

carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.

TRADITIONAL MEAT LOAF

SERVES 4

Ingredients

11/2 lb mixture of chopped or ground lean beef, pork and veal Freshly ground pepper 2 slices bread, soaked in water and squeezed dry 1 teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons parsley 1 medium onion, minced 1 garlic clove 1 egg 2 tablespoons chicken stock 1 cup tomato sauce 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce 1 cup water 2 tablespoons olive oil

Directions

- In a bowl, combine the chopped meat, salt, pepper, bread, parsley, onion, garlic, egg, chicken stock and Worcestershire sauce. Shape into two small loaves. Wrap each in wax paper and chill several hours to firm.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual add the oil and brown the loaves well on all sides. Cancel "BROWNING." Remove and set on oven-safe dish that will fit into the pressure cooker.
- Pour out the oil and combine the tomato sauce and water, and season with salt and pepper. Spread the ketchup over the meat loaves and lower the oven-safe dish into the pressure cooker.
- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press the MEAT & CHICKEN function switch.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Remove dish using a removing utensil/tool. Slice and serve immediately.

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SERVES 4-6

Ingredients

1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1/2 lb boneless skinless chicken
breasts, cut into 1" pieces
1/2 lb fully cooked Andouille or Italian
sausage, sliced
1/2 lb uncooked shrimp, peeled and
deveined
2 teaspoons Creole seasoning
1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
1/8 teaspoon cayenne pepper

1 onion, chopped
3 garlic cloves, minced
1 green bell pepper, chopped
3 stalks celery, sliced
1 cup long grain rice
16 oz canned chopped tomatoes, undrained
1 cup chicken stock
3 tablespoons fresh parsley, minced

Directions

 Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual, add oil and add chicken, sausage and shrimp. Sprinkle half of the Creole seasoning, half the thyme and half the cayenne. Cook for 3-5 minutes uncovered, stirring frequently, until chicken and shrimp are thoroughly cooked. Remove chicken, sausage and shrimp with a slotted spoon and set aside.

- Add onion, bell pepper, celery and remaining Creole seasoning, thyme and cayenne to skillet and cook for 4-5 minutes, stirring frequently.
- Add chicken, sauce, shrimp and rice, tomatoes with their juice and stock back into the pot. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press the SOUP & STEW function switch.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked. Serve with rice if desired.

CORNISH HENS BRAISED IN WHITE WINE

SFRVFS 4

Ingredients

2 tablespoons olive oil 1 tablespoon minced parsley 2 Cornish hens, trussed 1 tablespoon flour 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup dry white wine

1/4 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper 1/2 cup chicken stock

1/2 teaspoon thyme 1/4 lb mushrooms, cleaned and sliced 1/2 teaspoon basil

Directions

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual heat the olive oil and brown the Cornish hens on all sides. Sprinkle them with salt and pepper, thyme, basil and parsley. Remove and set aside. Cancel "BROWNING."
- In the cooking pot, stir in the flour, and then pour in the wine and stock and add the hens back in.
- Close and lock the lid and following the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cook Time button" on page 16 of this manual, program the pressure cooker for 40-minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked. Serve with rice or a salad if desired.

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SEMI-ROASTED & PRESSURE COOKED THANKSGIVING TURKEY SERVES 6

Prep the turkey to your desired preference to roast it in the oven or, you can try this simple Herb Butter Recipe for a whole 12lb turkey. The butter will help the turkey brown quicker in the oven. Make sure the turkey is placed inside a roasting pan. Preheat your oven to 450F.

HERB BUTTER INGREDIENTS

1 Cup Butter (room temperature)1/2 Tsp Pepper1 Tsp Garlic Powder1 Tsp Dried Basil1/2 Tsp Salt1 Tsp Dried Rosemary1/2 Tsp Lawry's Seasoning Salt1 Tsp Dried Parsley

Mix all ingredients with the butter so it becomes a thick paste. Melt it in the microwave for about 15-seconds if the butter is too firm. Using a brush, spread the herb butter over the turkey. Get under the skin, onto bottom and inside cavity.

OVEN ROASTING TURKEY INGREDIENTS

1/2 Half Large Yellow Onion2 Sprigs Fresh Thyme2 Sprigs Fresh Sage4 Whole Garlic Cloves2 Sprigs Fresh Rosemary

Chop the onion into quarters and stuff into cavity of turkey. Leave herbs whole and also stuff into cavity. Put turkey into oven and roast for 30-minutes or until the skin is nice and golden brown.

Once that is done, take it out of oven and set aside to cool down slightly. If you have an electric knife, this is the time you'll need it. Keep the legs/drumsticks, wings and even the breast whole when you carve them off. Remove as much of the turkey meat as you can.

PRESSURE COOKING TURKEY INGREDIENTS

1/2 to 1 Can Chicken Stock
1/2 Large Yellow Onion
Plus:
The onions and fresh herbs from turkey cavity
Turkey Juices from the roasting pan
Any leftover herb butter

Place all pieces into the pressure cooker pot. Use other half of remaining onion you chopped earlier and put it into pot. Remove the onions and the herbs from the cavity and place in pot and pour any of the juices from the roasting pan in as well as any remaining herb butter from earlier.

Pour in one can of Chicken Stock. The turkey itself releases a lot of liquid, so don't overfill. You don't need to immerse the entire turkey into liquid.

Shut the lid and turn to lock it into place. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight. Program the pressure cooker to cook for 45-minutes.

Turkey that is cooked in the pressure cooker does not necessarily come out of it looking very "pretty". It may take some gentle-loving skill to remove it later without it all falling apart.

When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release the pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once the pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.

Using a pair of tongs, carefully and gently remove all the turkey sections. Use two pairs of tongs if you must. The liquid that's in the pot is also rich in flavor, perfect for making gravy if you like. Plate the turkey sections onto your serving platter. Hide all the mini loose pieces underneath the larger sections. Decorate the platter with fresh herbs and citrus slices. Ladle some extra liquid from the pot over the turkey and serve.

SOUTHERN TANGY PULLED ROAST BEEF

SERVES 4

Ingredients

3-4 Lb. Chuck Roast 1 Packet of Ranch Dressing Powder 1 Packet of Au Iu Mix Powder 2 to 4 oz butter (half a stick or 1 stick) 1 ar of Pepperoncinis

Place about 4 peppers into bottom of the cooking pot first. Then place chuck roast on top of them. This will lift roast up off bottom of pan and prevent burning and overheating.

Open packets of seasonings and sprinkle them both over top of the roast, covering as much as possible. Place a few more pepperoncinis on top of roast, and around it. Then pour about 1/4 to 1/2 of the pepperoncini liquid into the pot. Add 1/2 cup of water, put whole piece of butter directly on top of roast.

Program the pressure cooker to cook for 60-minutes.

You can serve this roast any way you like.

BALSAMIC CHICKEN AND ONIONS

SERVES 4

Ingredients

2 lbs. Chicken Thighs (You can use chicken breast to cut down on calories.)

1 Ham Hock

2 Cups Chopped Carrots (Frozen or fresh, but don't use baby carrots)

2 Cups Pearl Onions (Frozen or fresh)

1 Cup Dried Mixed Berries (You can use any kind, a mix or just golden raisins.)

2 Bay Leaves

4 Cloves of Garlic

1 Cup Balsamic Vinegar

1 Cup Red Wine Vinegar

1/2 Cup Chicken Broth (You can omit this ingredient since the chicken releases a lot of liquid already.)

Season the chicken on both sides with salt and pepper. Then put ham hock and chicken into bottom of inner pot. Put all remaining ingredients into pot. The chicken will brown a bit on the side that is touching the bottom of the pot.

Close and lock the lid on your pressure cooker. Make sure the Pressure Valve is set to Airtight.

Press **MEAT & CHICKEN** program button on your machine OR program the pressure cooker for 17-minutes.

When the pressure cooker gives you the signal, *beep beep*, it's time to release the pressure. Carefully turn the Pressure Valve on the top to EXHAUST and wait for all steam and pressure to release. The Float Valve will drop, allowing you to unlock the lid.

You'll notice that the level of liquids inside the pot has almost doubled. Use a pair of tongs and carefully remove all the chicken. Set chicken aside and go back to the remaining sauce. Ladle out or pour out half of that liquid and return it back to the pressure cooker to reduce/thicken the sauce. Follow instructions in this manual for "BROWNING." Reduce the sauce so it becomes nice and thick. Help it along by adding flour or cornstarch if you like.

Once the sauce is thickened to the desired consistency, cancel "BROWNING" and return chicken carefully back into the sauce. Set the pressure cooker to Keep Warm until ready to serve. Serve with rice or mashed potatoes.

SPANISH CHORIZO OXTAILS

SERVES 5-6

Ingredients

3 lbs Oxtails 1/4 lb of cured Chorizo, chopped 1 can whole Tomatoes 1 cup Red wine 1 large Onion, chopped 4 medium Carrots, chopped 4 Garlic cloves, chopped

2 Bay leaves 1 tsp Paprika

SERVE WITH:

Chopped Parsley or Chopped Green Onions Splash of Red Wine Vinegar or Apple Cider Vinegar

Place oxtail into the main cooking pot of pressure cooker. Then add the rest of the ingredients into the pot in no particular order, however, put the carrots in last so it sits at the top. Avoid stirring and mixing. Lock the lid by turning it and adjust pressure valve to Airtight. Program pressure cooker for 40-minutes.

When the cooking cycle is complete, let pressure cooker drop down in pressure naturally by itself. Just in case, I turn the Pressure Valve to

"Exhaust" to see if there is any remaining pressure. Make sure the Float Valve has dropped as well. Give everything a gentle stir.

Serve with white rice. Add a splash of Red Wine Vinegar and chopped green onions or parsley. **Note:** You can substitute the oxtail for stew meat such as beef chunks and also cook for 40-minutes.

BRAISED PORK BELLY

SERVES 4

Ingredients

3lbs. Pork Belly 1 thumb of Ginger, peeled and thinly sliced 3 stalks of Scallion/Green onion, chopped into 2" lengths 4 cloves of Garlic, peeled

4 Star Anise

4 Cloves 1/2 cup Soy Sauce 1/2 cup Dark Soy Paste 1/2 cup Rice Wine or White Wine 1/2 cup Brown Sugar

FOR SCALDING:

2-3 cups boiling water

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual, add a bit of cooking oil. Sauté the ginger, scallions, garlic, star anise and cloves until fragrant. Cancel "BROWNING."

Using a very sharp knife, slice the pork belly into 1-inch slices. Place them into a shallow pot or pan and scald them with boiling hot water. Drain and set aside.

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual and slowly add the rest of the wet ingredients into the pot and then the brown sugar. Mix everything until the mixture becomes a thick pasty consistency similar to BBQ sauce. If it's too watery, add more brown sugar. Cancel "BROWNING."

Back to the pork belly, place each piece into the pressure cooker with the sauce mixture. Make sure they are thoroughly drenched in the sauce mixture. Ensure all the pieces are submerged before you shut the lid. Close and lock the lid, program the pressure cooker for 30-minutes.

When the cooking cycle is complete, let the pressure cooker drop down in pressure naturally on its own. When it is safe to open the lid, unlock and carefully remove all the pieces out with a pair of tongs.

The remaining sauce will be a lot more watery now because of juices from the meat. Reduce the sauce mixture into a nice thick paste. Make a flour roux with a bit of the liquid ladled out in a little bowl, mix a bit of flour with it until smooth and pour it back into the pot. You can serve the pork belly over white rice. Ladle the sauce onto the meat and garnish with chopped green onions.

HAWAIIAN BBQ CHICKEN

SERVES 4

Inaredients

31bs. Chicken (Frozen or Fresh; Breast, Thighs, Wings or Drumettes) 1 Cup BBQ Sauce 2 Cups Diced Pineapples (Canned or Fresh) 1 Cup Coconut Milk 1 Tbsp Chili Flakes (Or more to taste) Shredded Coconut (garnish) Juice of Limes (garnish)

Mix BBQ Sauce, Coconut Milk and Chili Flakes together. In main cooking pot of your pressure cooker, place the pineapples down at the very bottom. This will be closest to the heat source and will therefore render out the pineapple juice so the pressure

cooker will use the juices to steam up and pressurize since the BBQ sauce mixture is quite thick and may burn if you place it on the very bottom.

Start dipping chicken pieces in the BBQ sauce mixture, a thin coat is fine. Add them into pot one by one. Pour the remaining sauce mixture over the chicken when you're done. Shut the lid of the pressure cooker, turn to lock it. Set the pressure valve to Airtight. Program pressure cooker for 10-minutes.

Once cooking cycle is finished, pressure cooker will beep and let you know that the chicken is ready. Release pressure and unlock lid. The chicken and pineapples will release a lot of liquids during the pressure cooking process so there will be lots of liquid inside. Remove just the chicken with a pair of tongs and set aside temporarily. At this time, you can use a potato masher and mash down the pineapples so they become pulpier. (If you want the sauce extra thick, you can also make a flour roux with a bit of the liquid ladled out in a little bowl, mix a bit of flour with it until smooth and pour it back into the pot.)

Once the sauce has thickened to your desired consistency, put all the chicken back in. Now it's ready to serve with rice or eat it on its own. Garnish with a healthy heap of shredded coconut and a squeeze of lime juice.

ITALIAN POT ROAST

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Ingredients

 $3-\bar{l}$ bs Beef Rump Roast (Cut into 2" chunks; you can choose to leave the roast whole, but cooking time will be 60-75 minutes)

1 Jar/Can of Roasted Red Bell Pepper

1 Jar/Can of Sun Dried Tomatoes in Olive Oil

1 Jar/Can of Marinated Artichokes in Water

1 Whole Onion (Finely Sliced)

4 Whole Garlic (Minced)

1 Package of Mushrooms (Chopped)

2 Tbsp Italian Seasoning

Remove the fat from the roast and use a sharp knife to cut the meat into whole 2 inch chunks. Pre-cook the meat in the pressure cooker first to do a "wash". This removes all the unwanted fat and gristle from the meat so it leaves the end result cleaner.

Place the meat into the pressure cooker and pour in 3-4 cups of water. Season with salt and pepper if you wish. Shut the lid and lock into position. Set the valve to AIRTIGHT and program pressure cooker for 10-minutes.

When the pressure cooker is pressurized and cooks for 10-minutes, it'll automatically beep and go to Keep Warm. You can release the pressure by setting the pressure valve to EXHAUST. Remove the meat into a bowl. Discard all the grimy water. Rinse the meat in the bowl to remove any remaining residue and then put the meat back into the cooking pot of the pressure cooker again.

Now you can add the remaining ingredients in with the meat. Julienne the bell peppers, and chop the artichokes. Leave the sun dried tomatoes as is unless they need chopping as well. Include the olive oil and water from the jars of bell peppers, sun dried tomatoes and artichokes. Do not drain. Pour them into the pressure cooker pot.

Add the onions and mushrooms and garlic. Add the Italian Seasoning and any other herbs you wish to add.

Lock the lid and set the pressure cooker to cook for an additional 20-minutes. When the pressure cooker beeps, allow the pressure to naturally release or help it along by setting the valve to EXHAUST. Release the pressure before opening the lid.

You can use the cooking juices from the cooking to make gravy. Use a slotted spoon and ladle out all the meat and vegetables, and put them into a separate serving platter. In a small bowl, mix half a cup of water with 1 tbsp of flour and mix until it becomes a runny white goo. Stir it while slowly pouring in the flour mixture and keep stirring and simmering until the gravy becomes a nice thick consistency.

Turn the pressure cooker OFF and serve your pot roast over mashed potatoes or some pasta or with a side of roasted potatoes. Top with the fresh gravy.

SAUCY STEAKS & CHEESY BROCCOLI GNOCCHI

SERVES 4

Ingredients

4-6 6oz Steaks. (8oz are okay too.) 1 Onion, sliced 1 Cup Beef Gravy 2-3 Cups Gnocchi 1/2 Cup Water 1 Cup Shredded Cheese 1 Cup Chopped Broccoli

Add 1-cup gravy in the cooking pot, place the Steaks over the gravy, making sure to coat each side. Top with the sliced onions. **Note:** If desired, you can add sliced mushrooms.

Use a small stainless steel pan w/o handles (small enough to fit inside the inner pot) and fill the pan with the half cup of water. Add gnocchi to the pan. Place a trivet into the cooking pot over the steak and place pan of gnocchi onto the trivet. Shut the lid and turn to lock it into position. Adjust the Pressure Valve to the "Airtight" position. Program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.

Prepare the broccoli and cheese. Chop the broccoli into smaller bite-size florets, add to a small bowl and mix in the cheese. Set aside until pressure cooker is ready for them.

Once the pressure cooker has finished pressure cooking steaks and gnocchi, it will beep and automatically go to Keep Warm. Using oven mitt, carefully turn Pressure Valve on the top to "Exhaust" so all pressure releases. As soon as the float valve drops, you turn to unlock the lid. Lift the lid carefully and lift out the pan with the gnocchi. Shut the lid again so the heat inside the machine does not get lost.

Quickly drain water from the gnocchi. Toss broccoli and cheese in with the gnocchi and place pan back into pressure cooker again. Shut the lid and leave it at Keep Warm for 5-minutes. The broccoli will steam inside and the cheese will melt using the retained heat and keep warm function. If the broccoli needs a bit more time, leave it in longer. Once it is ready, give the cheese, broccoli and gnocchi a good mix and remove the pan. Remove the steaks and serve with the gravy and onions.

ST. PATRICK'S BANGERS AND MASH

Ingredients

1 Package of 6-8 Bangers 5-6 Baking Potatoes (Peeled and Diced) 1 Cup Milk 1/2 Cup Butter Salt & Pepper 1 Whole Onion (Sliced into rings)

FOR THE POTATOES:

1/2 Cup Sour Cream 1/2 Cup Parmesan Cheese

OTHER EQUIPMENT:

Potato Masher Sheet of Foil

Peel and dice potatoes and put in bottom of pressure cooker pot. (You can leave the peels on, just scrub them real well if you do.) Lightly toss with salt and pepper. Add the cup of milk. Slice tabs of the butter and place them over the potatoes. Carefully lay a sheet of foil over the potatoes and put the sausages onto the foil and make sure they do not risk rolling off. Top the sausages with onions.

Shut the lid and secure into place. Adjust the pressure valve to "AIRTIGHT" and program the pressure cooker for 20-minutes. The 20-minutes will begin to count down and the internal hot pressure will continue to cook the food.

Once the allotted time has expired, the machine will beep and go to keep warm automatically. You can choose to either release all pressure manually by turning the valve to Exhaust or let it drop down naturally. When all pressure has released, the float valve will drop down and allow you to turn and open the lid.

Remove the sausages in the foil. You'll notice that the sausages are cooked but look grey.

Now onto the potatoes. Start mashing them carefully with a potato masher directly inside the pressure cooker pot - avoid scratching the non-stick of the inner pot. Add more milk, salt or butter if you prefer to get potatoes to desired consistency. To serve, you may slice the sausages instead of leaving them whole if you prefer.

WHOLE CHICKEN AND VEGETABLES

SERVES 4

Ingredients

1 Whole Chicken 1 Cup Chicken Broth 2 Bags of Frozen Vegetable Medley Mix (Any will do, pre-seasoned or flavored works great)

Pour chicken broth into main cooking pot of the pressure cooker. Season chicken with salt and pepper and place into the pot as well. Open one bag of the frozen vegetable mix and toss into the pot. Program pressure cooker to cook for 30-minutes and press Start. Reserve the second bag of vegetables for after the cooking cycle is complete. Throw that mix in and add an additional 5-minutes. Prepare rice, mashed potatoes, spaghetti or other pasta to serve with the chicken.

APPLES AND ONION PORK TENDERLOIN

SERVES 4

Ingredients

3-5 lb. Pork Rump or Pork Tenderloin
3 Apples (Sliced)
1 Whole Onion (Sliced)
2 Bay Leaves
2 Cups Apple Juice

1 Cup Broth (Chicken, Beef or Vegetable, doesn't matter) Salt & Pepper to taste

Remove any unwanted fatty pieces from pork. Season with salt and pepper on both sides.

Place onions and apples into cooking pot. Pour in apple juice and broth. Place the pork rump directly into pot. Shut the lid and turn it to lock it into place. Make sure Pressure Valve is set to Airtight. Program pressure cooker for 60-minutes. It'll take 5-10 minutes for the machine to heat up and build up the pressure. The 60-minute cook time will begin to count down.

When the pressure cooker is finished with the cooking cycle, it will beep and automatically go to keep warm. At this point, you can manually release the pressure or allow it to Natural Release. Once the float valve has dropped and the lid is safe to open, unlock and lift the lid up. Release any remaining pressure and turn to open the lid. The onions and apples should melt as soon as you stir them. The pork is super juicy and tender. Slice into thick slices and serve over mashed potatoes or stuffing and ladle on the apple and onion gravy.

CODA ALLA VACCINARA – BRAISED OXTAIL RAGU

SERVES 4

Coda alla Vaccinara is a popular Italian stew/ragu that originated from Rome. It is made with red wine and oxtail (or sometimes veal tail), plus vegetables. It is commonly served with pasta, polenta, or gnocchi.

Inaredients

4 lbs. of Oxtail
3 Cup of Water
3 Cup of Red Wine
1 Cup of Chopped Celery
1 Cup of Chopped Onion
1 Cup of Chopped Pancetta

1 Cup of Chopped Tomatoes or Canned Stewed Tomatoes 2 Tbsp Freshly Chopped Garlic 1 Cup of Beef Stock or Beef Bouillon 4-6 Cloves or Star Anise 2-4 Bay Leaves

Salt & Pepper to taste

Pre-cook oxtail in just plain water first for 5 minutes in the pressure cooker. What this does is get all the grime and meat residue cooked off the meat and float in the water. It makes it easier to discard all of that so they don't float around in the stew later. Trim off as much of the fat from the oxtail as you can. Then place into the pressure cooker pot. Add 3 cups of filtered drinking water. Close and lock lid. Adjust the Pressure Valve to "Airtight". Program the pressure cooker for 5-minutes.

During this time, you can prepare the vegetables and other ingredients.

When the pre-cooking of the oxtail is complete, you can release the pressure. After ALL pressure is released, open the lid and remove the cooking pot. Drain the water

from inside and rinse the oxtail so the grime is washed away. Put the oxtail back into the main cooking pot and add the other remaining ingredients.

Note, the amount of liquid in this recipe is not very much. (The consistency of this dish should be thick, so reducing the liquid later in the cooking cycle may be necessary.)

Turn lid and lock into position. Adjust the pressure release valve to AIRTIGHT. Program pressure cooker for 75-minutes. All of the other ingredients are considered delicate vegetables and you will want the pressure cooker to cook them to the point of disintegrating. During the cooking time, you can prepare some rice, Italian pasta, polenta, gnocchi or whatever you want to serve with the raqu.

When the cooking cycle is complete. You can choose to let the machine drop down in pressure on its own naturally, or you can exhaust the pressure from the valve on top. The oxtails themselves will release a lot of liquid while cooking. So ladle out about half of the liquid and discard. Be careful not to remove any of the cooked vegetables if you can. Take out the oxtails individually as well and set aside.

Now we're going to reduce the liquid to thicken it. You can leave the lid open at this time. Season the sauce with salt and pepper. To make it a little thicker, you can add some flour. Follow the instruction in this manual for "BROWNING." Reducing the sauce down will take a few minutes depending on how much liquid is in the pot. Once the sauce has thickened to preference, cancel "BROWNING" and serve the ragu over pasta, polenta, gnocci or by itself.

ITALIAN CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP

SERVES 4

Ingredients

1 Whole Chicken (You can quarter it or leave it whole; or go the easy route and just use 6 chicken breasts)
3-5 Italian Sausage (Mild or Spicy)
1 Medium Yellow Onion (Chopped)
1 Cup Celery (Chopped)
2 Jalapenos (Chopped)
1 Cup Green Bell Pepper (Chopped)

3 Tbsp Fresh Oregano (Roughly Chopped) 1 Cup Canned Tomatoes 1/2 Cup Heavy Cream 3-4 Cups Low Sodium Chicken Broth 3-4 Cups Water 3 Cups Pasta Noodles (Macaroni, shells, ditalini, rigatoni, etc. It doesn't matter.)

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual and add a couple of tablespoons of olive oil. Add in the freshly chopped oregano. This will open up the fragrant herb and get all of its flavors flowing. Cook the oregano for about 2 minutes. When that is done, remove all the cooked oregano into a small dish and set aside for later.

Now comes a quick sautéing of the vegetables. Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual and add the chopped onions, bell pepper, celery and jalapenos. Add a little more olive oil if needed and brown all the veggies for a couple of minutes. When that is done, remove all the veggies to another small dish and set aside for later.

Do the same again with the Italian Sausage. Remove the sausage from its casing. Separate and brown the sausage just for a few minutes. You don't have to completely cook it all the way through. Cancel "BROWNING." Again, set aside for later.

Add the whole chicken into the cooking pot. Pour in Chicken Broth and water so majority of chicken is covered. Add in chopped onions, celery, jalapenos and bell peppers. Shut lid and turn to lock into position. Adjust valve to Airtight. If you're cooking the chicken in quartered pieces, you can just use the MEAT & CHICKEN pre-programmed button. If you're cooking the chicken whole, then program the pressure cooker for 20-minutes. The machine will begin its heating process and slowly build up pressure. (If you're using just chicken breasts, cook for only 10-15 minutes or just press the MEAT & CHICKEN button.)

When chicken is done, the pressure cooker will beep and automatically go to Keep Warm. Release the pressure by setting the valve knob on top to Exhaust. When the pressure has released, the float valve will drop and the lid can now be turned to unlock it and open. Remove the chicken to a large platter. Remove and discard any grime that's floating around in the liquid.

Let the chicken cool slightly and when it's cool enough to touch, shred it with a couple of forks into bite size pieces. Remove any bones, skin or cartilage. Mix the shredded chicken and mix it with the cooked oregano from earlier. Give it a good toss and let it sit for a few minutes. Chop up the canned tomatoes coarsely and add into the stock liquid that's still in the pressure cooker pot. Season with salt and pepper if desired.

Add in desired pasta and the semi-cooked Italian sausage. Now put the shredded chicken and oregano mixture back into the pot with everything. Add the heavy cream and give it a quick stir.

Shut the lid and lock it. Program the cook time for 5-minutes only. The pasta will cook fast.

When it's done, release the pressure to avoid over cooking the pasta noodles. Open the lid and give everything a good stir. Season with salt and pepper and let sit for a few minutes. Garnish with some chopped fresh basil and parmesan cheese and serve.

ITALIAN POTATO, RICE, & SPINACH SOUP

SERVES 6

Ingredients

1/4 cup olive oil
6 leeks, white part only, sliced
3 garlic cloves, crushed
2 carrots
1/2 cup Arborio rice
3 potatoes, cut in large chunks
5 cups chicken stock
1/2 cup parsley, chopped
1/2 cup celery, chopped
1 bay leaf
1 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice 3 tablespoons tomato paste 1 tablespoon light brown sugar 10 ounces fresh spinach, rinsed, cut in large pieces 1/4 cup parmesan cheese, grated 1/4 cup fontinella cheese, grated 2 teaspoons dried basil 1/4 teaspoon pepper

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual and heat oil. Add leeks, garlic, and carrots and sauté in hot oil for 2 minutes. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add rice and potatoes. Stir well.
- Add broth, parsley, celery, bay leaf, salt, pepper, basil, lemon juice, tomato paste and brown sugar. Stir well.

- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press SOUP & STEW.
- Cooking should be approximately 15-20 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Lift lid. Ladle the soup into large serving bowl or individual bowls.
- Combine the cheeses and sprinkle over soup. Serve with Italian bread.

SOUTH OF THE BORDER SPICY CHILI

SERVES 6

Chili is a nutritionally sound and complete meal. You can make it more or less fiery by adjusting the amount of chili powder used.

Ingredients

2 tablespoons olive oil
2 medium onions, chopped
3 garlic cloves, minced
11/2 lb ground beef
2 teaspoons ground cumin
2 tablespoons chili powder, or to taste

2 tablespoons chili powder, of 11/2 teaspoons oregano

1 bay leaf

2 teaspoons celery seed Salt to taste 1 tablespoon flour

11/2 cups crushed tomato

1 cup beef stock 11/2 cups cooked pinto or red kidney beans

Garnishes

Grated cheddar or Monterey Jack cheese Finely chopped onion Shredded lettuce

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil and sauté the onion and garlic until onion is wilted.
- Add beef and cook until browned. Mix cumin, chili powder, oregano, bay leaf, celery seed, salt and flour. Stir in crushed tomato and beef stock. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add the beans.
- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve on top to Airtight and press the BEANS function switch.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Serve chili in bowls, passing the garnishes separately.

TORTILLA SOUP

SERVES 8-10

Ingredients

1/3 cup vegetable oil 2 onions, diced 4 cloves garlic, peeled 1 can tomatoes, drained 3 quarts chicken broth 2 Cups Cooked Shredded Chicken Tortilla chips cilantro, chopped 1lb grated cheese lime wedges (optional)

Directions:

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: sauté onions and garlic in the oil until they are deep golden brown and transparent. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Remove from inner pot and purée with tomatoes in blender or food processor until smooth.
- Return to pressure cooker pot and add broth.
- Close and lock pressure cooker lid. Adjust pressure valve to Airtight and press SOUP & STEW.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Add cilantro and salt to taste. Place cheese and tortilla chips in individual soup bowls and pour hot soup on top. Serve with lime wedges, if desired.

SAUSAGE AND LENTIL SOUP

SERVES 4

Ingredients

3-4 Cups Dried Lentils
1-2 Cups Chopped Sausage (any sausage to your liking)
2 Cups Crushed Roasted Tomatoes
1 Cup Mirepoix (chopped mixture of celery, carrots and onions.)
4 Garlic cloves. minced

2 Bay Leaves
2 Tbsp Beef Buillion (Or 2 Cups Beef Broth)
6 Cups Fresh Water (Less or more depending on the size of your pressure cooker.)
Salt & Pepper to taste

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: sauté the mirepoix and garlic until they are fragrant. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add remaining ingredients into the cooking pot. Shut lid and lock properly into position. Adjust the Pressure Valve to "Airtight". Program pressure cooker for 15minutes.
- When the cook time is complete and it's ready to release the pressure, make sure you are careful. Since it's a big pot of soup, there may be some spitting at the pressure valve when you turn it to exhaust. Sometimes a folded up dish rag or towel over the valve will help.
- When it is safe to open the lid, give the soup a good stir. It may appear a bit watery but depending on if you want to keep it more on the brothy side or you want to thicken it a bit, you can thicken it by mixing a bit of the broth liquid with flour until it becomes a thick roux and pour the roux back into the soup and stir it. Season with salt and pepper to your preference. Serve with a dollop of sour cream or plain greek yogurt.

KIELBASA, BUTTERNUT SQUASH & KALE SOUP

SERVES 4

Ingredients

1 Package Kielbasa Sausage (Chopped into half-moon size)2 Cups Fresh Kale4 Cloves Garlic, Minced

4 Cups Chicken Broth Water

2 Cups Chopped Butternut Squash 1 Shot Glass Sherry, Cooking Wine or

2 Sprigs of Fresh Rosemary White Wine

1 Onion, Chopped 1 Cup Wild Rice (I ran out, so I just

used brown rice)

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add a bit of olive oil and place the first 4 ingredients in and sauté for 4 minutes. Pour in shot glass of cooking wine or sherry and sauté for another 2-3 minutes. Cancel "BROWNING."

Add the wild rice and chicken broth. Depending on how much soup you want, you can fill up the rest of the pot with water and add in the sprigs of fresh Rosemary. **Do not add the Kale into the soup yet.**

Close and lock pressure cooker lid. Set Pressure Valve to "Airtight" and program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.

Note: If you are making a really large, almost full pot, the pressure cooker will take quite a while to heat up everything inside and come to pressure, about 20 to 30-minutes to build up pressure. Once the pressure has been reached the 10-minutes will begin to count down. Once the 10-minutes have reached 0, the cooker will automatically beep and go to keep warm.

Using a dish rag, carefully release the pressure by turning the Pressure Valve to "Exhaust". Once the pressure has been completely released, the float valve will drop which will release the locking mechanism on the lid. Now you can turn the lid to unlock it. Give everything a good stir. When the soup is ready to serve, you can add the kale and let the heat of the soup cook it just slightly. It will take less than a minute. Add salt and pepper to taste as you serve.

SPLIT PEA & HAM-HOCK SOUP

Ingredients

2 Cups of Dried Split Peas 1 Cup Chopped Potatoes
1-2 Small-Medium Ham Hock 1 Cup Chopped Carrots

1/2 Cup Chopped Yellow Onion 1 Cup Chopped Ham or Smoked

1/2 Cup Chopped Celery Sausage

3 Cloves of Finely Chopped Garlic 4-6 Cups of Water or Chicken Stock

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT: Immersible Hand Blender

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add a bit of olive oil and sauté the onions, celery and garlic for a few minutes. Cancel "BROWNING."

Add Split Peas to the vegetable mixture.. Take the Ham Hock and use a sharp knife to carefully cut a few slits into the chunk, but don't slice it all the way through. Add to mixture in pot. Pour water into pot so water overlaps the mixture of Split Peas by 2 inches. You can choose to use chicken stock if you like. You

can do a mixture of water and stock as well.

Shut lid and lock it. Adjust valve to Airtight. Program the pressure cooker for 15-minutes.

When finished, it will beep and go to Keep Warm. Manually release pressure by adjusting the pressure valve on top to Exhaust. Use a dish towel because the pressure may be hot and may sputter a bit. Once all pressure has released and Float Valve has dropped, turn lid to unlock and lift to open.

The Split Peas will have mostly disintegrated. Using a pair of tongs, remove Ham Hock from soup and set aside. You'll need to put it back in later.

(This step is optional). Use an Immersible Hand Blender and in the soup mixture. Give it a few pulses to blend the soup into a smooth creamy texture. Now add the chopped carrots, potatoes and ham to the soup. Add salt and pepper.

Place Ham Hock back in and shut the lid. (Don't let the soup sit idle for too long because it will thicken as it sits and keeps warm. If it becomes too thick, add water or chicken stock.)

Program pressure cooker to cook for another 5-minutes.

If the soup mixture is too thick, the machine might have a hard time building up pressure because the thick mixture might be over-heating at the bottom of the pot. If this happens, the machine will just beep fairly soon and put itself on Keep Warm. Leave the machine alone. It will have built up enough pressure in that time so just let it sit and drop down in pressure automatically. The carrots and potatoes are cut up small enough that it should cook fairly quickly. If not, you can always open up the lid, thin the soup down a bit and restart it.

When the soup is finished, serve while it's hot with some butter toast or croutons.

ITALIAN SAUSAGE THREE BEAN CHILI

SERVES 4

Ingredients

2 Packages Spicy Italian Sausage (Or more, if you like it meaty) 1 Whole Onion (Finely Chopped) 4 Stalks of Celery (Finely Chopped) 1 Cup Corn (Fresh or Frozen) 4 Serrano Chilies (Finely Chopped) 4 Cloves of Garlic (Finely Chopped) 1 Tbsp. Dried Basil 1Tbsp. Dried Oregano
1Cups Pinto Beans (Dry Beans)
1Cups Kidney Beans (Dry Beans)
1Cups Black Beans (Dry Beans)
1Bottle/Can of Beer
2-4 Cups Chicken Stock
1Can of Whole Tomatoes
1 Can Tomato Sauce

(*you can also use a packet of Chili Seasonings.)

GARNISHES:

Sour Cream or Plain Greek Yogurt, Shredded Parmesan Cheese, Chopped Fresh Basil

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add a bit of olive oil and add Onions, Celery, Chilies, Corn and Garlic and sauté for about 3-5 minutes. Cancel "BROWNING."

Add the sausage and crumble them up into chunky pieces with the other vegetable ingredients. Add dried basil and oregano and any salt and pepper. Stir.

Add the three types of beans. Give it another mix. Add liquid ingredients. Make sure beans and everything else are fully submerged in liquid. Enough liquid that it overlaps the bean mixture by about 1-inch.

Shut the lid, and turn to lock securely. Set Pressure Valve to "Airtight" and program the pressure cooker for 75-minutes.

Once the cooking is finished, it will beep and automatically go to keep warm. At this point, you can manually release the pressure by or allow it to Natural Release. Once the float valve has dropped and the lid is safe to open, unlock and lift lid up. Give the chili a good stir. If it seems too dry or thick, add some chicken stock to it. Add salt and pepper to taste. And if you like more of a kick, some cayenne pepper too.

Serve hot with a sprinkle of shredded Parmesan cheese, a dollop of sour cream and some freshly chopped basil. **Note:** You can substitute dry beans for canned beans if you like. It would cut the cook time down substantially to about 15-20 minutes. You may also soak the dry beans overnight and then remove the bean husks before cooking.

FISHERMAN'S SEAFOOD CHOWDER

SERVES 4

The Soup Base Ingredients

A Mild Roux Mix 1 Tbsp Flour 1 Tbsp Butter 1 Cup White Wine

The Stock & Other Ingredients

2 Cups Water 1 Cup Chicken Stock 1 Whole Onion (Chopped) 2 Whole Tomatoes (Chopped) 1/2 Cup Corn (Optional) 1/2 Cup Celery (Optional) 4 Cloves of Garlic (Chopped) 1 Can Tomato Sauce 3 Bay Leaves 1/2 Tsp Saffron Strands

To make a roux, follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: melt the butter and then add the flour to the butter and mix with a wooden spoon. Start diluting the roux with the white wine little by little.

To the roux mix, add the chopped onions, garlic and chopped tomatoes, plus the celery. Cook the mixture for just a couple of minutes and cancel "BROWNING." The mixture should be thick and creamy. Season with salt and pepper.

Add the water, tomato sauce and chicken stock. Add bay leaves and saffron. Give everything a good mix. The soup base should be pretty watery with a slight hint of thickness. If it's still too thick, add more water or stock or white wine.

SEAFOOD INGREDIENTS

1-2 Cups Seafood Mix (Calamari Rings, Scallops, Bay Shrimps, etc.) 1-2 Cups Whole Clams 1-2 Cups Whole Shrimp (Shells removed) 1-2 Cups Whole Mussels 1-2 Cups Langostino Tails 1-2 Cups Chopped Salmon (Or any other fish is fine)

Add the seafood to the soup base mix. You always want to leave at least about 2-inches from the top rim to prevent over-flowing. (If you like, you can remove the shells so there is more room.)

Once the seafood has been added, give everything another good stir. Then shut lid and turn to lock it into position. Adjust Pressure Valve to "Airtight".

Program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.

When the pressure cooker is finished with its cooking cycle, it will beep and go to keep warm automatically and start dropping the pressure down by itself. This recipe, you can choose to release the pressure manually or let it drop down in pressure by itself, it doesn't make a difference. But always check that "Pressure Float Valve" has dropped before attempting to turn the lid to unlock and open it.

Serve with slices of sourdough bread or crackers.

LEEK & ASPARAGUS RISOTTO

SFRVFS 4-6

Ingredients

11/2 tablespoons olive oil 11/2 tablespoons butter 11/2 tablespoons water 2 garlic cloves, minced 11/2 cups leeks, sliced 11/2 cups Arborio rice 4 cups vegetable broth 1/4 lb asparagus, chopped into 1 inch segments 11/4 cups parmesan cheese, shredded

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat the olive oil and butter.
- Add the garlic and leeks, sauté until soft then cancel "BROWNING."
- Add rice, stir thoroughly and then add broth.
- Close and lock pressure cooker lid. Adjust pressure valve to Airtight and press RICE.
- While risotto cooks, steam asparagus in water. Then sauté in olive oil. Season with salt and pepper.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked. Add the sautéed asparagus, and Parmesan cheese.
- Serve immediately.

CHICKEN NOODLE

SERVES 6

Ingredients

8 boneless skinless chicken thighs 3 carrots, large dice 1 onion, chopped 3 stalks celery, finely diced 2 garlic cloves, chopped 8 cups chicken stock 1 bay leaf 5 sprigs fresh thyme 1 sprig fresh rosemary 2 sprigs fresh sage 1 teaspoon poultry seasoning salt and pepper, to taste 1 lb egg noodles, frozen such as Reames brand 1 cup frozen peas 3 tablespoons stock 1 lemon, juice of 1/4 cup parsley, chopped

Directions

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: saute onion, celery and garlic until lightly browned. Cancel "BROWNING." Add chicken, carrot, chicken stock, bay leaf, herbs & seasonings.
- Close and lock pressure cooker lid. Adjust pressure valve to Airtight.
- Program to cook for 10 minutes. Allow pressure to naturally release.
- Open pressure cooker lid when safe to do so.
- Add frozen egg noodles, close and lock pressure cooker lid. Adjust pressure valve to Airtight and program to cook 3 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Remove sprigs of fresh herbs. Add peas & chopped parsley for color and juice of 1 lemon. Stir and serve.

WHITE BEAN DIP

SERVES 2

Ingredients

3/4 cup dried white beans, such as great northern or 3/4 cup navy beans 2 cloves garlic 3 tablespoons lemon juice 1/3 cup extra virgin olive oil

2 teaspoons ground cumin 11/2 teaspoons chili powder 1 pinch red pepper flakes salt & freshly ground black pepper 3 tablespoons cilantro, minced

- Soak beans overnight in water (optional). Add beans and 3 cups of water to inner pot.
- Lock the lid in place set Valve to Airtight.
- Program to cook for 12-13 minutes for Great Northern beans or 8-9 for navy beans.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all
 pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all
 pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Drain beans and rinse under cold running water to cool them guickly.
- In a food processor, drop cloves of garlic through feed tube with machine running to chop.
- Add beans, lemon juice, olive oil, cumin, chili powder and red pepper flakes; puree until smooth.

- Fold in cilantro and season to taste with salt and pepper.
- Serve with tortilla chips or fresh vegies.

PRESSURE COOKER CORN ON THE COB

SERVES 10

Ingredients

10 ears sweet corn, halved

3 cup water

Directions

- Pour the water in the bottom of your pressure cooker pot.
- Arrange the corn in pot standing up.
- Secure the lid and set the Valve to Airtight. Press FISH & VEGETABLES button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Enjoy!

CREAM OF GARDEN TOMATO SOUP

SERVES 4-6

Ingredients

1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1 tablespoon butter
1 large yellow onion, finely chopped
(you can also use a white onion)
3 lbs tomatoes, coarsely chopped
2 teaspoons fresh thyme, chopped (or
1 teaspoon dried)

1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon black pepper, freshly ground 1/2 cup chicken broth (or vegetable broth or water) 3/4 cup heavy cream

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil and butter in the pressure cooker until butter melts. Add the onion and cook, stirring occasionally, until wilted, about 5 minutes. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add tomatoes and their juices, thyme, salt, pepper, and broth and stir to mix.
- Lock on the lid and set Valve to Airtight. Press FISH & VEGETABLES button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Use immersion blender to puree soup (or transfer soup to blender or food processor and puree in smaller batches to avoid buring yourself).
- If after blending you see any chunks of tomato peel, put soup through strainer or food mill to remove.
- If using right away, place soup in large pan and stir in cream. Reheat gently without boiling then add garnish of choice and serve.
- If not using right away, store in the refigerator until ready to use; then stir in the cream, heat and serve.

BROWN RICE

SERVES 4-6

Ingredients

4 cups water original

2 cups long brown rice 3 tablespoons butter

4 chicken bouillon cubes pepper

3 dashes Mrs. Dash seasoning mix,

Directions

Add all ingredients to Inner Pot.

Lock on the lid and set Valve to Airtight. Press **RICE** button.

 When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.

- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.

Remove and serve.

BABY BACK RIBS - FAST & EASY

SERVES 2-3

Ingredients

3 lbs beef back ribs 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon black pepper 1/2 teaspoon onion powder

1/4 teaspoon garlic powder

1/4 teaspoon paprika 2 tablespoons olive oil

1 cup beer

12 ounces barbecue sauce

Directions

- Cut ribs into serving pieces.
- Mix spices together to create a dry rub. Apply the dry rub to the ribs.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil and brown the ribs on all sides. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add beer. Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press MEAT& CHICKEN button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Add barbecue sauce and serve immediately.

WHOLE CHICKEN

Serves 4-6

Ingredients

1(2 lb) whole chickens 2 tablespoons olive oil salt & pepper 11/2 cups water or 11/2 cups chicken broth

- Rinse chicken & pat dry. Season with salt & pepper.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil and brown chicken on all sides in hot oil.

- Add water/broth around chicken.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press **MEAT& CHICKEN** button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Remove chicken to platter, pour accumulated juice into bowl & serve with chicken.

POTATO AND CHEESE SOUP

SERVES 10

Ingredients

4 large potatoes, peeled and cut into 1 inch cubes (2 1/2 lbs) 4 small onions, chopped 2 teaspoons salt 11/2 cups water 4 cups milk 1/4 teaspoon pepper 3 cups cheddar cheese, grated 1 tablespoon parsley, chopped

Directions

- Put potatoes, onions, salt and water in cooker.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press POTATOES & YAMS button.
- Bring to full pressure on high heat.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Mix the mixture smooth in a blender or mash it through a sieve.
- Return soup to cooker's inner pot. Add milk and pepper.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: bring to a simmer, stirring constantly.
- Add cheese and stir till cheese melts. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Serve immediately, garnish with parsley.

CHILI

SERVES 4-6

Ingredients

3 lbs stew meat (beef, pork, and or or lamb)
2 teaspoons peanut oil
11/2 teaspoons kosher salt
1(12 ounce) bottle beer, preferably a medium ale
1(16 ounce) container salsa

30 tortilla chips
2 chipotle chiles in adobo, chopped
1 tablespoon adobo sauce (from the
chipotle peppers in adobo)
1 tablespoon tomato paste
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 teaspoon ground cumin

- Place the meat in a large mixing bowl and toss with the peanut oil and salt. Set aside.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add the meat in 3 or 4 batches and brown on all sides, approximately 2 minutes per batch.

- Once each batch is browned, place the meat in a clean large bowl.
- Once all of the meat is browned, add the beer to the pot to deglaze the pot. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Scrape the browned bits from the bottom of the pot. Add the meat back to the
 pressure cooker along with the salsa, tortilla chips, chipotle peppers, adobo
 sauce, tomato paste, chili powder, and ground cumin and stir to combine.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press the **SOUP & STEW** button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Serve immediately.

POT ROAST WITH MUSHROOM GRAVY

SERVES 6-8

Ingredients

3 lbs chuck roast, 2-3 inches thick 2 tablespoons vegetable oil 1 envelope onion soup mix 2 (10 3/4 oz) cans cream of mushroom soup 1 cup water (or beef or chicken stock)

Directions

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: brown meat on all sides in oil.
- Mix all other ingredients and add to pot, coating meat. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Program the pressure cooker to cook 50-60 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Thin gravy with beef stock or thicken to your own taste.

CHICKEN STOCK

SERVES 6

Ingredients

2 lb chicken parts, primarily backs, but also including gizzards, necks, hearts and wings
1 medium onion, peeled and halved
1 celery stalk, cut in several pieces
1 large carrot, scraped and cut in several pieces

2 sprigs parsley
6 peppercorns or 1/4 teaspoon
ground black pepper
1 teaspoon thyme
2 bay leaves
Salt to taste
6 cups water

- Combine all ingredients in the pressure cooker's inner pot.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Program Pressure Cook Time for 45 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Strain by pouring it through a strainer which has been lined with a couple of layers of damp cheesecloth, damp kitchen towel or damp paper towels. Press with the back of a wooden spoon to extract as much liquid as possible. Cool, then refrigerate overnight and remove any congealed fat that has collected on the surface.

OLD FASHIONED MEAT LOAF

SERVES 4

Ingredients

11/2 lb mixture of chopped or ground

lean beef, pork and veal

1 teaspoon salt

Freshly ground pepper

2 slices bread, soaked in water and

squeezed dry 2 tablespoons parsley

1 medium onion, minced

1 garlic clove

1 egg

2 tablespoons chicken stock

2 teaspoons Worchestershire sauce

2 tablespoons olive oil 1 cup tomato sauce

1 cup water

Directions

- In a bowl, combine the chopped meat, salt, pepper, bread, parsley, onion, garlic, egg, chicken stock and Worcestershire sauce.
- Shape into two small loaves. Wrap each in wax paper and chill several hours to firm.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat oil and brown the loaves well on all sides. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Transfer to the cooker basket.
- Pour off the oil and combine the tomato sauce and water, and season with salt and pepper.
- Spread the ketchup over the meat loaves and lower the basket into the pot.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Set Pressure Cook Time to 25 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Slice and serve immediately.

TOMATO PASTA SAUCE

SERVES 2-3

Ingredients

3 tablespoons canola oil
1/2 cup onion, finely chopped
3/4 cup carrot, finely chopped
3/4 cup celery, finely chopped
2 garlic cloves, minced
1 large can crushed canned tomatoes
1/4 cup tomato paste
3 teaspoons dried basil

2 teaspoons dried oregano 1 teaspoon dried parsley 1 or 2 bay leaves 1/4 cup dry red or white wine 1/2 cup water Salt and freshly ground pepper, to taste

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat the oil and sauté the onion, carrot, celery and garlic until they are softened. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Add all the remaining ingredients. Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight. Press FISH & VEGETABLES button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Reduce the sauce if it is not thick enough.

POTATO AND GREEN BEAN CASSEROLE

SERVES 4-6

Ingredients

3 potatoes, peeled and cut in 1" cubes 3/4 lb green beans 1 tablespoon olive oil 1 medium onion, minced 1 garlic clove, minced

1 green pepper, diced 1 tablespoon minced parsley Salt and freshly ground pepper 1/2 cup chicken stock

Directions

- Add all ingredients to the inner pot. Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Program Pressure Cook Time to 7 minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Serve and Enjoy.

LEMON CHICKEN

SERVES 4

Ingredients

3 1/2 lb chicken cut in serving pieces 1/4 cup plus 2 tablespoons olive oil 1/4 cup lemon juice 2 teaspoons oregano

Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste

1/2 cup chicken stock

- In a small bowl, mix together 1/4 cup oil, lemon juice, oregano, salt and pepper. Pour over the chicken and marinate for several hours, or overnight.
- Dry the chicken well on paper towels and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Reserve the marinade.
- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: heat the remaining 2 tablespoons oil and brown the chicken pieces on all sides. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Reserve chicken pieces on warm platter. Pour off the fat and add to the inner pot the reserved marinade and the chicken stock.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press MEAT & CHICKEN button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Serve the chicken with the sauce spooned over it.

OLD FASHIONED BAKED BEANS

SERVES 4

Ingredients

2 cups dry navy beans (also called white beans or pea beans) 3 tablespoons oil 1 large onion, diced 1 clove garlic, minced 13/4 cups water 2 fl oz (1/2 small can) tomato paste 3 tablespoons brown sugar 2 tablespoons molasses 1/2 teaspoon prepared mustard 1/4 teaspoon cumin 1/8 teaspoon chili powder

- Rinse and then soak the beans in water for about 8 hours.
- You can start soaking them in the morning so they will be ready to cook at suppertime.
- Drain the soaking water after the beans are hydrated.
- Add all ingredients except the beans to the inner pot and stir. Then add the beans.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.
- Press the **BEANS** button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, allow all pressure to naturally release.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Serve with whole wheat bread.

DESSERTS

APPLESAUCE

Makes about 4 1/2 cups

Ingredients

3 lb apples, peeled, cored, and Optional: Grated lemon zest quartered Optional: Fresh lemon juice 3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon Optional: Honey

1/3 cup water or apple juice

Directions

- Place the apples, cinnamon, and water (or juice) into pot.

- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight.

- Press FISH & VEGETABLES button.

 When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid.

- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.

- You can serve the applesauce chunky, or puree it in a food processor.

- Prior to serving, if desired, stir in the lemon zest, lemon juice, and honey to taste.

 Serving Suggestion: Top warm applesauce topped with some raisins and chopped, toasted walnuts.

CREAMY CHEESECAKE WITH FRUIT GLAZE

Makes one 7-inch cheesecake

Ingredients

1 tablespoon butter 4 tablespoons bread crumbs or cookie

crumbs

Two 8-oz packages of cream cheese

3/4 cup sugar

1/4 cup heavy cream

2 teaspoons vanilla

2 teaspoons grated lemon zest

2 tablespoons flour

6 tablespoons sour cream

2 eggs

2 egg yolks

2 cups water

Directions

- Butter a 7 inch springform mold or other suitable baking dish safe to use in this pressure cooker.
- Sprinkle with bread or cookie crumbs and set aside.
- Blend the cream cheese, sugar, cream, vanilla, lemon zest, flour, and sour cream. Beat in the eggs and egg yolks, and pour the entire mixture into the mold.
- Center the uncovered pan on a 24" long piece of aluminum foil. Cover the top of the pan with another piece of foil and pinch around the edges to seal. Scrunch up the ends of the length of foil and bring them

together over the pan to create a handle.

- Set the trivet in the pressure cooker and pour in the water.
- Lower the foil-covered mold into the pressure cooker and place on the trivet.
- Close and lock lid securely, set the Valve to Airtight
- Press the **DESSERTS** button.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, allow all pressure to naturally release.
- Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Remove the pan from the pressure cooker using the foil handle. Loosen the foil,

- cool, then chill for at least 4 hours or overnight.
- Before serving, arrange fruit or spread fruit preserves in a thick layer over the cheesecake.
- Release and remove the rim of the springform pan.

ORANGE-FLAVORED CANDIED YAMS

SERVES 4

Ingredients

1 cup orange juice 2 large sweet potatoes (yams) Salt, to taste 1/2 cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon grated orange zest 2 tablespoons butter

Directions

- Pour orange juice into pressure cooker. Peel sweet potatoes and cut them in half lengthwise. Arrange in a pressure cooker steamer basket (if available) and sprinkle with salt, brown sugar and orange zest. Dot with butter.
- Lower steamer basket into pressure cooker.
- Close and lock the pressure cooker lid. Adjust the pressure valve to Airtight and press POTATOES & YAMS.
- When pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked. Lift out the sweet potatoes.
- Boil down the sauce until thickened and pour over the sweet potatoes.

SPICED APPLE CRUNCH

SERVES 3

Ingredients

1 cup dry bread crumbs (unseasoned) 1/4 cup sugar 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon 1 lemon (juice and rind) 3 apples, sliced 1/4 cup butter, melted 2 cups water

- Butter a 15 cm (6") baking dish. Combine bread crumbs (or graham wafer crumbs), sugar, cinnamon, juice and lemon rind. Place alternate layers of apples and crumbs in baking dish. Pour melted butter over ingredients and cover baking dish firmly with aluminum foil.
- Place water, trivet, and then baking dish in pressure cooker.
- Close and lock lid and program the pressure cooker for 20-minutes.
- When pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked
- If you wish to add more color and crunch, run the dish quickly under the broiler.
 Be sure to watch carefully to prevent burning.

OLD FASHIONED RICE PUDDING

SERVES 4

It's preferable to eat it the same day or the rice may become chewy.

Ingredients

1 tablespoon butter 1 egg

1/4 cup long grain rice1/4 cup evaporated milk2 cups milk1/2 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup water Cinnamon 1/3 sugar 1/2 teaspoon salt

Directions:

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: Melt butter and stir in rice, coating it with the butter. Pour in fresh milk and water, and stir in sugar and salt. Cancel "BROWNING."
- Close and lock lid and program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- In a small bowl mix together the egg, evaporated milk and vanilla. Stir in a little of hot liquid from pressure cooker, then add mixture to the pressure cooker.
- Cover again and set to cook for 5 more minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked. Cool 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- Transfer to individual dessert bowls, continue cooling, then refrigerate. Serve sprinkled with cinnamon.

PEARS STEWED IN RED WINE

SERVES 4

Ingredients

2 cups water 4 firm pears, peeled but not cored, stems 1/2 cup sugar on 3/4 cup red wine 2 cinnamon sticks 1 cup frozen raspberries 1/4 teaspoon mace 4 tablespoons heavy cream

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: combine the water, sugar, lemon, cinnamon sticks and mace. Simmer until sugar is dissolved.
- Cancel "BROWNING."
- Place pears into pressure cooker cooking pot, trimming bottoms if necessary so they stand upright. Add liquid from the saucepan.
- Close and lock lid and program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Add the red wine.
- Lock lid in place again and program to cook for 10 more minutes. When the
 pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully

setting the valve to Exhaust. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.

- Carefully remove only the pears and transfer to a deep container.
- Boil down the remaining sauce until it is syrup. Cool, then pour over the pears and keep at room temperature overnight.
- To serve, defrost and purée the raspberries in a processor until smooth.
- Spoon 4 tablespoons of the purée on four dessert dishes or shallow bowls. Place a pear upright in the center or each dish. Spoon some syrup over the pears.
- Dribble 1 tablespoon of cream in a circle over the sauce. With the aid of a knife, swirl the cream into the sauce in an attractive design and serve.

CINNAMON APPLE FLAN WITH MAPLE SYRUP

SERVES 6

Ingredients

5 tablespoons maple syrup
1/4 teaspoon vanilla
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
2 apples, peeled and cut in 1/4" slices
3 whole eggs 3 egg yolks
1/4 teaspoon vanilla
6 tablespoons sugar
2 1/2 cups milk

Directions:

- Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: combine the maple syrup and the cinnamon. Add the apple slices and slowly simmer until the apples are tender.
- Divide the mixture into 6 greased oven-safe custard cups. In a large bowl, whisk eggs and egg yolks. Stir in vanilla, sugar and milk. Pour mixture slowly into the custard cups. Cover tightly with foil.
- Fill the pressure cooker cooking pot with 2 1/2 cups water. Place as many custard cups as will fit in the pressure cooker steamer basket (if available) and lower into pressure cooker.
- Close and lock lid and program the pressure cooker for 10-minutes.
- When the pressure cooker has finished the cooking cycle, release all pressure by carefully setting the valve to Exhaust on the top of the lid. Once all pressure has released, the lid can be turned and unlocked.
- Remove the lid, take out the basket, loosen the foil and cool the custard.
- Refrigerate. To serve, loosen the custard from the molds with a knife and invert onto dessert dishes.

COCONUT RICE PUDDING

SERVES 4

INGREDIENTS:

1 Cup Arborio Rice
3 Cups Coconut Milk (Unsweetened)
2 Cups Almond Milk (Unsweetened)
1 Cup Water
3 Cinnamon Sticks
1/2 Tsp Freshly Ground Cloves
1 Whole Vanilla Bean
3 Strips Orange Zest Strip
2 Cans Sweetened Condensed Milk

Follow the "BROWNING" instructions in this manual: add all liquid ingredients (except the condensed milk). Add spices to the mixture. Leave cinnamon sticks and orange zest strips whole. Using a knife, gently slice a long slit down the middle of the vanilla pod. Scrape the vanilla bean into the pot and swish it around. Add the whole vanilla pod also and bring the whole mixture to a light simmer. Cancel "BROWNING."

Add rice and give it a quick stir. Close lid and turn to lock into place. Adjust the Pressure Valve to Airtight. Program the pressure cooker for 15-minutes.

Once the cooking is complete, let it drop down in pressure on its own, do not manually release the valve to Exhaust. The pressure should drop on its own in about 10-minutes. Once all pressure is released, the Float Valve will drop, allowing you to unlock and open the lid. Press the CANCEL button to turn off the Keep Warm feature. Remove cinnamon sticks, orange zest and vanilla pod and discard. Open two cans of Sweetened Condensed Milk and add to the rice pudding and stir. Allow to cool slightly, then cover and place into refrigerator to cool completely.

Serve warm or cold with a drizzle of honey if desired. Garnish with sliced strawberries, blueberries, orange zest or nutmeg.

PUMPKIN BOURBON CHEESECAKE

SERVES 6

Ingredients

Crust:

4-6 Macaroons

4 Sheets Graham Crackers

1-2 Tbsp Butter

Filling:

2 (8oz.) Cream Cheese

1/2 Cup White Sugar

1 Tsp Vanilla Bourbon Extract

1 Tsp Whiskey or Bourbon

3/4 Cup Canned Pumpkin

2 Eggs

1/2 Tsp Cinnamon

1/4 Tsp Nutmeg

1/4 Tsp All Spice or Pumpkin Spice

Using a food processor, process the Crust ingredients into a coarse and crumbly mixture. Grease spring-form pan so cheesecake doesn't stick. Take the crumbs and start forming and flattening them into pan. Make sure to have the crust come up the sides of the pan as well, about an inch high.

For the filling, using a mixer or stand mixer, mix together the first three ingredients: cream cheese, sugar, vanilla extract and bourbon. Mix until smooth and then add remaining ingredients until that is smooth as well. Use a spatula and pour the mixture into the spring-form pan over the crust.

Use a spoon to smooth it out as best as you can. Tap the pan a bit to get rid of any air bubbles.

Pour 2 cups of water into the main cooking pot of the pressure cooker. Set a trivet into the center of the pan and place the spring-form pan onto trivet. You do NOT

want the water touching the pan, that's what the trivet is doing, lifting it up above the water line.

Shut the lid and turn to lock into position. Adjust Pressure Valve to "Airtight". Program the pressure cooker for 15-minutes. The cook time will go by pretty fast, when it beeps and goes to keep warm automatically, allow the unit to drop down in pressure by itself.

During this time, you can whip up some garnishes. You can use Whipped Cream, chopped up nuts or pumpkin butter. Put a few tablespoons of it into a little bowl and microwave it for about 20 seconds. Add a dash of whiskey to it if you want it runnier. Give it a good whisk.

Once the pressure cooker has completely dropped down in pressure, you can open the lid and remove the cheesecake carefully. It may look really wet and moist, but let it rest for a few minutes and then pop it into the refrigerator for at least 3-4 hours to firm up.

Slice and garnish with pumpkin butter, whipped cream and chopped nuts and serve immediately.

Recipes courtesy of www.allrecipes.com

DILL PICKLES

Ingredients

8lbs 3 to 4 in long pickling cucumbers 4 cups white vinegar 12 cups water 2/3 cup of pickling salt 16 garlic cloves, peeled and halved 8 sprigs fresh dill weed 8 heads fresh dill weed

Directions

- Wash cucumbers, and place in the sink with cold water and lots of ice cubes. Soak in ice water for at least 2 hours but no more than 8 hours. Refresh ice as required. Sterilize 8 (1 quart) canning jars and lids in boiling water for at least 10 minutes.
- 2. In a large pot over medium-high heat, combine the vinegar, water, and pickling salt. Bring the brine to a rapid boil.
- 3. In each jar, place 2 half-cloves of garlic, one head of dill, then enough cucumbers to fill the jar (about 1 pound). Then add 2 more garlic halves, and 1 sprig of dill. Fill jars with hot brine. Seal jars, making sure you have cleaned the jar's rims of any residue.
- 4. Follow the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cooker for CANNING" of this manual and process sealed jars in a boiling water bath. Process quart jars for 15 minutes.
- 5. When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- 6. When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 7. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #5)
- 8. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. <u>CAUTION: Jars are hot!</u>
- Set jars on a towel or cooling rack and allow to cool completely in a draft-free location.
- 11. Store pickles for a minimum of 8 weeks before eating. Refrigerate after opening. Pickles will keep for up to 2 years if stored in a cool dry place.

JALAPENO PEPPER JELLY

Ingredients

3 Green Bell Peppers, minced 2 4oz cans diced jalapeno peppers 1½ cups distilled white vinegar 6½ cups sugar ½ tsp cayenne pepper 16fl oz of liquid pectin 4 or 5 drops green food coloring

- In a large, stainless steel saucepan, combine peppers, vinegar, sugar, and cayenne pepper. Cook over medium high heat. Stir frequently until mixture begins to boil.
- 2. Stir in pectin; boil 5 minutes longer, stirring constantly, and mix in food coloring. Skim off foam, and remove from heat.

- 3. Sterilize canning jars and lids in boiling water for at least 10 minutes.
- 4. Ladle into sterilized jars and follow the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cooker for CANNING" on page 19 of this manual and process sealed jars for 5 minutes in a boiling water bath.
- When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 7. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #5)
- 8. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. <u>CAUTION: Jars are hot!</u>
- 10. Set jars on a towel or cooling rack and allow to cool completely in a draft-free location.

FIG PRESERVES

Ingredients

16 cups of fresh figs 1 Tbsp baking soda 12 cups boiling water 8 cups sugar 4 cups water 1 lemon, sliced

Directions:

- In a large mixing bowl place figs and sprinkle with baking soda. Pour the boiling water over the figs and soak for 1 hour.
- 2. Drain figs and rinse thoroughly with cold water. In a large pot combine the sugar and the 4 cups of water; bring to a boil and cook for 10 minutes.
- Add the figs and lemon slices to the syrup and cook over low heat for 1 hour, stirring occasionally.
- 4. Sterilize canning jars and lids in boiling water for at least 10 minutes.
- 5. Carefully spoon figs into hot, sterilized jars and spoon syrup over figs, leaving 1/2 inch of head space. Top jars with lids and screw bands on tightly.
- Follow the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cooker for CANNING" on page 19 of this manual and process sealed jars for 10 minutes in a boiling water bath.
- 7. When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- 8. When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 9. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #5)
- 10. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- 11. Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. **CAUTION: Jars are**
- 12. Set jars on a towel or cooling rack and allow to cool completely in a draft-free location.

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FRESH GARDEN SALSA

Ingredients

7 cups of fresh tomatoes, peeled, cored, seeded and diced

6 green onions, sliced

2 or 3 jalapeno peppers, diced

4 cloves of garlic, minced

½ cup of vinegar

2 Tbsp lime juice

4 drops of hot pepper sauce

2 Tbsp fresh minced cilantro

2 tsp salt

Directions:

- 1. Sterilize canning jars and lids in boiling water for at least 10 minutes.
- 2. Combine all ingrédients in a large saucepan.
- 3. Heat to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer 15 minutes.
- Ladle hot salsa in to hot jars leaving 1/2 inch headspace. Remove air bubbles.
 Wipe rim. Center hot lid on jar. Apply band and adjust until fit is fingertip tight.
- 5. Following the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cooker for CANNING" on page 19 of this manual, process filled jars for 15 minutes.
- When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 8. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #5)
- 9. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. <u>CAUTION: Jars are hot!</u>
- Set jars on a towel or cooling rack and allow to cool completely in a draft-free location.
- Check lids for seal after 24 hours. Lid should not flex up and down when center is pressed.

HOMEMADE DRIED APRICOT JAM

Ingredients

4 ½ cups of dried apricots

4 ½ cups of boiling water

1 tsp vanilla extract

11.75oz package of powdered fruit pectin

7 cups sugar

1/4 cup fresh lemon juice

- 1. Soak apricots in boiling water in a bowl until hydrated, about 30 minutes. Blend apricots, remaining water, and vanilla extract in a food processor, working in batches, until blended but still slightly chunky.
- 2. Combine apricot mixture with pectin in a large pot over medium heat; cook until just boiling. Add sugar and lemon juice; boil until sugar has dissolved, 1 to 2 minutes.
- 3. Sterilize jars and lids in boiling water for at least 5 minutes. Pack the apricot jam into the hot, sterilized jars, filling the jars to within 1/4-inch of the top. Run a

- knife or a thin spatula around the insides of the jars after they have been filled to remove any air bubbles. Wipe the rims of the jars with a moist paper towel to remove any food residue. Top with lids, and screw on rings.
- 4. Place a rack or trivet in the bottom of the pressure cooker cooking pot and fill halfway with water. Carefully lower the jars into the pot using a holder. Leave a 2-inch space between the jars. Pour in more boiling water if necessary until the water level is at least 1 inch above the tops of the jars.
- 5. Follow the instructions for "How to use the Pressure Cooker for CANNING" on page 19 of this manual and process sealed jars for 10 minutes in a boiling water bath.
- 6. When the unit has reached optimum pressure, it will begin to pressure-seal the mason jars. The programmed time will begin to count down until it reaches zero.
- When time has expired, the pressure cooker will beep 3-times and automatically go to Keep Warm.
- 8. The Keep Warm indicator light will illuminate. This indicates the Pressure Cooker is Naturally Releasing the pressure. (See Notes & Tips #5)
- 9. Open lid once pressure has completely released.
- Carefully remove jars using special canning utensils or tools. <u>CAUTION: Jars are hot!</u>

Place onto a cloth-covered or wood surface, several inches apart, until cool, about 1 hour. Once cool, press the top of each lid with a finger, ensuring that the seal is tight (lid does not move up or down at all). Store in a cool, dark area.

LIMITED WARRANTY* ONE (1) YEAR WARRANTY IS ONLY VALID WITH A DATED PROOF OF PURCHASE

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- Your small kitchen appliance is built with precision, inspected and tested before leaving our factory.
- 2. It is warranted to the <u>original purchaser</u> to be free from any manufacturing defects under normal use and conditions for one (1) year, cord excluded. This Warranty applies only to the original purchaser of this product.
- 3. Retail stores/merchants selling this product do not have the right to alter, modify, or in any way revise the terms and conditions of the warranty.
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- 8. This limited warranty covers appliances purchased and used within the 50 U.S. states plus the District of Columbia and does NOT cover normal wear of parts or:
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 - 2. Before packing your unit for return, be sure to enclose:
 - Your name, full address with zip code, daytime telephone number, and RA#.
 - b) A dated sales receipt or PROOF OF PURCHASE.
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