Traditional Marinara

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This traditional tomato and basil marinara sauce is easy to make and requires only a few simple ingredients!

Yield: 3 cups Prep Time: 5 min Cook Time: 45 min

Ingredients:

- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon Olitalia Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- 5g (1 teaspoon) salt
- Fresh basil (per your preference)
- 1 can (28oz) Ciao Authentica Crushed Tomatoes



Instructions:

- 1. Place a large pot on the stove with the flame on medium. Add the Olitalia Extra Virgin Olive Oil and garlic.
- 2. When the olive oil is hot, add the Ciao Authentica Crushed Tomatoes and the salt.
- 3. Mix the tomatoes in the pot and add the fresh basil. Turn the heat up to high.
- 4. After 5 minutes at high heat, cover the pot with a lid and turn the heat to low.
- 5. Keep mixing the tomato sauce every 15-20 minutes.
- 6. When the sauce gets thicker and the color turns dark red (about 30-45 minutes), take the sauce off the heat. It is ready to use immediately.