

Kitchen time: 25 minutes | Serves: 2-4 | Entrée or Side Dish

Autumn Squash Risotto

Autumn wouldn't be complete without a warm bowl of risotto. We look forward to this version with butternut and delicata squash every year! A lovely vegetarian entrée for two or a perfect side dish for four, plus leftover squash soup for lunch!

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PREPARATION:

Delicata Squash

K&M Cortina's Risotto Starter

K&M Roasted Butternut Squash Soup

K&M Garlic Parmesan

Compound Butter

Shaved Parmesan

Roasted Pepitas

PANTRY ITEMS:

Olive Oil

Salt & Pepper

White Wine (optional)

1) **Preheat** oven to 425°F.

2) Halve and remove seeds from the **squash**. Cube into ¾ inch pieces and place on a sheet pan. Drizzle with **olive oil** and 1 tsp **salt**, then roast 20-25 minutes until tender and browned.

3) Pour the **risotto** base into a large pan over medium heat and break apart with a wooden spoon. Add ½ cup **white wine** or water and bring to a simmer.

Chef's Tip: If you like your risotto more al dente, start with ½ cup of water and add more according to your taste.

4) Cook until the liquid is almost absorbed, then add 1-1½ cups of **soup.** Stir occasionally until the liquid is absorbed and the rice is tender, about 5-10 minutes.

5) Turn heat off and stir in 3-4 Tbsp **compound butter**. Fold in half of the roasted squash. Taste and season with **salt** and **pepper**, as desired.

6) Transfer to a serving dish and top with ½ cup **parmesan**, remaining roasted squash, and ¼ cup **pepitas**. Serve and enjoy!



INGREDIENTS

K&M Cortina's Risotto Starter (arborio rice, water, onion, butter, garlic), K&M Roasted Butternut Squash Soup (water, butternut squash, carrot, onion, garlic, extra virgin olive oil, ginger, sea salt, sage, thyme), K&M Garlic Parmesan Compound Butter (butter, parmesan cheese, garlic, parsley, sea salt, cayenne pepper), Roasted Pepitas (pumpkin seeds, canola oil, sea salt).

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