

# **Quick Tomato Sauce**

### Yield: 8 servings

## Ingredients

2 teaspoons olive oil

1 medium sweet onion, rough chopped

2 to 3 cloves garlic, chopped

2 (15 ounce) cans canned diced tomatoes, no salt added

3 tablespoons basil, fresh, chopped

1 lemon, zested and juiced

½ teaspoon kosher salt

1/4 teaspoon black pepper, ground

½ teaspoon red pepper flakes (optional)

#### Instructions

- 1. Heat oil in a medium-sized sauce pan over medium heat.
- 2. Once oil is hot, add onions. Cook until onions are translucent, about 3 minutes.
- 3. Add garlic and sauté another for about 30 seconds do not allow garlic to brown.
- Add in remaining ingredients and allow to simmer for 15 to 20 minutes.
- Using a blender or stick blender, puree the tomato sauce, leaving some chunks behind if desired.
- 6. Enjoy!

### **Nutrition Information**

Serving Size: ½ cup
Calories: 30
Total Fat: 1.5 g
Saturated Fat: 0 g
Monounsaturated Fat: 1 g
Sodium: 125 mg
Total Carbohydrate: 5 g
Dietary Fiber: 1 g
Sugars: 0 g
Protein: 1 g

Source: Health Meets Food







