# **Beef Stew**

# Description

### Really good! Ingredients

- 4 tsp olive oil
- Shallot, finely diced
- 1 Carrot, finely diced
- 1 stalk Celery, finely diced
- 1 lb Beef round, cut into 1 1/2 inch cubes
- 1 cup tomato sauce
- 1/2 cup red wine
- 5 sprig Fresh Thyme or 1/2 tsp dried thyme
- 1 bay leaf
- 1/2 tsp salt
- freshly ground black pepper to tased
- 3 carrots, peeled and cut into 1-inch chunks
- 3 small potatoes, peeled and quartered
- 1 cup hot water
- 1 cup frozen peas

#### Summarv Yield: 4

Source: WW Cookbook Prep Time: 1 1/2 hours Category: Stews Cuisine: American Tags: Red Wine & fresh

herbs, beef

### Instructions

In a medium pot, heat oil. Saute the finely chopped onion, carrot and celery, 5-6 minutes. Add beef and saute until browned, about 5 minutes. Add tomato sauce, wine, thyme, bay leaf, salt and pepper; bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and simmer covered, stirring occasionally, about 45

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minutes. Add carrot chunks, potatoes and water. Cook covered 40 minutes. Stir in peas; cook 4 minutes. Pull out thyme branches and bay leaf.

### Notes

Crock Pot VariationTo make in a crock pot, saute the finely chopped vegetables and beef in a large nonstick skilleet as directed. Transfer the mixture to a crock pot and add the remaining ingredients except for the water. Cover and cook until the beef and vegetables are tender 4-5 hours on high or 8-10 hours on low.Calories 356Fat 8gFiber 7gWW 7 points