# GET INTO SOUP MODE WITH ROASTED CORN RECIPE

MIXED WITH ONIONS, CELERY AND CAULIFLOWER. THIS SOUP IS AS HEALTHY AS IT IS HEARTY, WRITES **AMY STOPNICKI** 

I think corn is one of the most versatile foods out there. It works well raw, boiled, barbecued, roasted, whole, creamed and more.

Whether on a salad, the base of a soup, in your baking with cornmeal or corn flour, or one of the multitude of applications in modern manufacturing, corn also crosses many cultural lines, as we find it in cuisines around the world.

In this recipe, I have roasted



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the corn to bring out the natural sugars, using it as a base for my soup. It is easy, hearty and delicious. Hope you enjoy it!

#### **ROASTED CORN SOUP**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 4 cups corn niblets 2 tbsp canola oil Salt to taste
- 1 onion, chopped
- 2 stalks celery, chopped 1/2 head of medium cauliflower, broken into small

#### 8 cups water **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Heat oven to 425°F.
- 2. Put corn on a roasting pan

and toss with 1 tbsp oil and salt.

- 3. Cook for 20 to 25 minutes or until thoroughly cooked.
- 4. Heat remaining oil in a stock pot to medium high heat.
- 5. Sauté onion until golden, add celery, cauliflower, roasted corn and water.
- 6. Bring to a boil and simmer for 30 minutes or until thoroughly cooked.
- 7. Use an immersion blender and blend until desired consistency is reached.

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Corn is a versatile vegetable, and this soup recipe is the perfect way to keep



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