# MARLEY SPOON



# **Feta Biftekia with**

Fresh Tomato and Green Bean Sauce





30-40min 2 Portions

Biftekia (pronounced beef-TECK-ya) is a traditional Greek dish, best considered the love child of a meatball and a hamburger. Creamy feta cheese is mixed right into the meat for lots of flavour and texture. We serve them with a quick green bean braise using fresh tomato sauce that not only tastes amazing, but that's good for you, too!

#### What we send

- green beans
- oregano, parsley, garlic cloves
- feta <sup>7</sup>
- panko breadcrumbs <sup>1</sup>
- onion
- · grass-fed beef mince
- tomato

## What you'll require

- egg <sup>3</sup>
- olive oil
- salt and pepper

#### Utensils

- grater
- · large frypan
- medium saucepan
- Our veggies come straight from the farm, so please wash them before cooking.

#### Allergens

Gluten (1), Egg (3), Milk (7). May contain traces of other allergens.

#### **Nutrition per serving**

Energy 570.0kcal, Fat 31.7g, Proteins 48.6g, Carbs 18.5g



### 1. Prepare ingredients

Coarsely grate the **onion** over a large bowl, squeeze to remove any excess liquid. Thinly slice 1 **garlic clove** and crush or finely chop remaining garlic clove. Pick the **parsley** leaves and finely chop leaves and stems, keeping them separate. Trim ends of **green beans** and cut in half. Coarsely grate the **tomato** over a second bowl.



2. Cook aromatics

Heat 1 tbs oil in a medium saucepan over medium-high heat. Cook half of the grated onion with ¼ tsp sea salt, stirring, for 2 mins or until softened. Stir in the sliced garlic and cook for 1 min or until fragrant.



3. Cook sauce

Add the **tomato**, **parsley stems** and 80ml (½ cup) water and season with **sea salt and pepper**. Bring to a simmer. Reduce heat and cook, covered, for 8-10 mins until sauce has slightly thickened.



4. Make beef mixture

Meanwhile, pick the **oregano leaves** and coarsely chop. Add the **beef mince**, **chopped garlic**, **panko breadcrumbs**, **oregano**, 1 **egg** and half of the **chopped parsley leaves** to the bowl with the remaining grated onion. Season with **pepper**. Mix with your hands until evenly combined. Crumble **feta** into bowl and gently fold to combine.



5. Cook biftekia

Divide **beef mixture** into 6 oval shapes, then flatten slightly into 3cm-thick patties. Heat 1 tbs **oil** in a large non-stick frypan over medium-high heat. Cook **patties**, covered, for 4-5 mins each side until deeply browned and cooked through



6. Finish green beans

Add green beans to the tomato mixture and increase heat to high. Simmer rapidly for 3-4 mins until beans are just tender. Remove from heat. Stir in remaining chopped parsley leaves and season with sea salt and pepper. Serve biftekia with green beans.

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