

LISEBEBE (Pumpkin Leaf Vegetables)



INGREDIENTS

- · A handful of Vine spinach nderema
- 2 handfuls of pumpkin leaves
- 250 mls of milk
- 200 gms of simsim paste or flour
- A pinch of salt
- 2 medium-sized tomatoes
- 1 litre of water
- 150 mls of indigenous tenderizer (musherekha)



PREPARATION

- 1. Wash the pumpkin leaves and detach from stalks
- 2. Cut leaves into small sizes
- **3.** Put tenderizer in a *sufuria* (cooking pot)
- 4. Wash the leaves and add to sufuria
- 5. Boil until soft
- 6. Heat oil in a sufuria
- **7.** Add onions
- 8. Fry until golden brown
- 9. Add vegetables
- 10. Simmer for 5 minutes
- 11. Add simsim paste and milk
- 12. Cook for five minutes
- 13. Serve with ugali



NUTRITIONAL BENEFITS:

Vine spinach: Vitamin C and A, plant protein, iron, calcium, magnesium, phosphorous and potassium and antioxidants

Pumpkin leaves: Niacin, dietary fiber, protein, vitamin A, E K,

thiamin, riboflavin, vitamin B6

Milk/cream: Protein, carbohydrates, sugar and fat

Simsim: Fat, potassium, carbohydrates, protein, calcium, iron,

Vitamin B6, magnesium

