

Bistro Cooking ~Fresh and Simple~



My Mothers String Beans

My mother was a great cook even with the simplest of foods. Here is my mom's string bean recipe. This recipe freezes well and is a part of our Thanksgiving table.
(Serves 6-8)

Ingredients:

2 pounds of fresh green beans trimmed & cut in half
1/2 cup olive oil (substituted for bacon fat)
1/2 package bacon cut into bite size pieces
2 onions- sliced
2 cloves of minced garlic
2 cans diced tomatoes
Salt and pepper

Directions:

Fry bacon in pan and when crisp add sliced onion & cook until onion begins to soften. Add string beans and then toss in the tomatoes. Add salt and pepper to taste. Lower heat to med/low and cook until very tender. Check seasoning again. If freezing, cool first then freeze.