

Cow Camp Creamed Corn

Grady Spears' A Cowboy in the Kitchen

5 cups fresh corn kernels

9 slices smoked bacon, dices

1 ½ cups diced red onion

3 cloves garlic minced

5 cups heavy cream

1 ½ cups sliced scallions

1 ½ cups diced roasted red pepper Kosher Salt

Ground Pepper

Prep time 20 minutes

Preheat oven to 350 degrees

Sauté the bacon over medium heat in an oven-proof skillet.

As the bacon begins to crisp add the garlic and onions cooking briefly. Add $\frac{1}{2}$ of the corn, stir well then place into the oven under the broiler for $\frac{10 \text{ minutes}}{20 \text{ minutes}}$ to roast the corn.

Puree the mixture in a blender and pulse to a course consistency then return to a clean saucepan. Add the remaining corn, red pepper and scallions and the cream, rapid simmer over medium heat until reduced by 1/3.

<u>DO NOT SCORCH</u>. Continue stirring and scraping the bottom of the pan to prevent scorching.

Cook time 30-40 minutes. Add salt to taste and serve.

Serves 10 to 12