Charred Fava Bean Salad

APPETIZER

Ingredients

- 3 lbs fresh fava beans, shelled (or sub edamame)
- · 2 tbsp extra virgin olive oil
- 1 clove garlic
- 1 small jalapeño, seeded and minced
- 2 tbsp Truly Grass Fed Salted Butter
- 1/2 tbsp fresh lemon juice
- 2 tbsp Truly Grass Fed Aged Cheddar, grated
- · 1 tbsp chopped tarragon



- 1. Fill a large bowl with ice water. In a large saucepan of boiling salted water, blanch fava beans for I minute. Using a strainer, transfer fava beans to ice water to stop the cooking. Drain ice water, then peel.
- 2. Heat I tablespoon of olive oil in a small saucepan. Add garlic and cook over low heat for about 2 minutes or until golden. Add jalapeño and cook for I minute longer. Season with salt and set aside.
- 3. In a large skillet, heat remaining olive oil until shimmering. Add fava beans and cook over medium high heat without stirring for about 1 minute, or until blackened. Transfer to serving bowl and season with salt.
- 4. Add butter to skillet and cook on medium high heat for about 30 seconds, or until it starts to brown. Then, stir in lemon juice and remove from heat.
- 5. Add garlic-jalapeño mixture, cheese, and tarragon to fava beans and pour in butter. Toss everything together until evenly coated.
- 6. Option to grate additional cheese on top to taste. Can be served warm or chilled.



