

# **Balsamic Grape Crostini**

## Ingredients:

1 (12 oz.) French bread baguette, (1/2 inch thick) slices
2 tablespoons olive oil
½ teaspoon of salt
¼ teaspoon black pepper
2 cloves garlic, minced
¼ cup balsamic vinegar
1 teaspoon light brown sugar
4 cups seedless red grapes
1 cup goat cheese
¼ cup rosemary, chopped

### Instructions:

- 1. Preheat broiler.
- 2. Brush each baguette slice with olive oil and sprinkle salt, pepper, and garlic. Broil for 10 minutes. Remove bread from oven
- 3. Simmer balsamic vinegar and brown sugar in medium sized skillet over medium-low heat. Add grapes are wilted and vinegar is thick and reduced or for about 10 minutes.
- 4. Coat each slice with a 1 teaspoon of goat cheese on each slice. Top with grape mixture and garnish with chopped rosemary.

### Variations:

- Add chopped pecans or pine nuts to garnish.
- Substitute blue cheese.
- Use a mixture or red and green grapes.
- Add chopped red chili flakes to the grape mixture to add some spice.
- Use thyme instead of rosemary.

## Prep Time: 10 minutes

### Cooking Time: 35 minutes

**Equipment:** oven medium mixing bowl baking sheet knife cutting board measuring cups and spoons

#### *Servings:* 12 servings Serving Size: 2 slices



Nutrition Facts: 170 Calories, 7 g Fat, 3 g Saturated Fat, 31 g Carbohydrates, 8 g Protein, 2 g Fiber, 11 g Sugar, 380 mg. Sodium.

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