# Lemon Chicken Souvlaki

We adore the flavors of a classic souvlaki, but on a busy weeknight, marinating the meat and loading up skewers is more work than we want. Ours is a streamlined version with lemony chicken served with a flavorful rice pilaf and cooling roasted red pepper tzatziki sauce. It is just as flavorful but without the fuss. 25 Minutes to the Table 25 Minutes Hands On 1 Whisk Super Easu

<u>Getting Organized</u> EQUIPMENT Saucepan

Large Skillet

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Basmati Rice Garlic, Onions & Raisins Chicken Breast Peppers & Onions Lemon Marinade Roasted Red Pepper Tzatziki

# Good To Know

**Health snapshot per serving** – 560 Calories, 50g Protein, 18g Fat, 51g Carbs, 11 Freestyle Points

If you ordered the **Carb Conscious** version, we sent you cauliflower "rice" instead of the basmati rice, reducing the calories to 500 and the **Carbs to 40g** per serving. Skip step 1 and cook the cauliflower rice with the other veggies in step 2 for 4 to 5 minutes.

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Chicken Breast, Basmati Rice, Greek Yogurt, Red Pepper, Green Pepper, Red Onion, Yellow Onion, Golden Raisins, Mayonnaise, Cucumber, Roasted Red Pepper, Cream, Ginger, Chicken Stock, Lemon, Garlic, Dill, Lemon Pepper, Kosher Salt, Cinnamon, Clove, Turmeric



### 1. Get Started

Bring a saucepan of water to a boil.

### 2. Cook the Rice

Add the **Basmati Rice** to the boiling water and reduce the heat to medium. Simmer, uncovered, until the rice is tender, about 15 to 20 minutes. Drain well and set aside in the colander.

Heat 1 Tbsp olive oil in the now-empty saucepan over medium high heat. When the oil is hot, add the **Garlic, Onions & Raisins** and sauté until the onions soften, about 2 to 3 minutes. Add the drained rice and mix well, then cover and set aside.

#### 3. Cook the Chicken

While the rice is cooking, heat 1½ Tbsp of olive oil in a large skillet over medium high heat. Pat dry and generously salt and pepper the **Chicken Breasts** on both sides. When the oil is hot, add the chicken and cook until the bottom is brown, about 4 minutes. Flip and cook for another 4 minutes on the other side. Transfer the chicken to a cutting board. Let rest for 5 minutes, then slice into ½" strips. Do not wipe out the skillet.

#### 4. Cook the Peppers & Onions

Heat 1 Tbsp olive oil in the now-empty skillet over medium-high heat. When the oil is hot, add the **Peppers & Onions** and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cook until the vegetables start to char, about 3 to 4 minutes. Remove the veggies from the skillet and add to the saucepan with the seasoned rice. Mix well.

Add the **Lemon Marinade** to the now-empty skillet over medium-high heat and cook until clear and starting to brown, about 3 to 4 minutes. Turn off the heat and return the sliced chicken to the skillet. Mix well.

## 5. Put it All Together

Serve the chicken over the rice and vegetables and finish with some generous dollops of the **Roasted Red Pepper Tzatziki.** Enjoy!

Instructions for two servings. Meez Meals \* 1459 N. Elmwood Avenue \* Evanston \* Illinois \*