Seasonal Spring Recipe

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Greek Salad

This salad can be dressed before it's served and it stays delicious over a couple days if kept in the refrigerator! Great for light, fast meals!

Ingredients

1 cucumber, unpeeled, seeded, and sliced 1/4-inch thick

1 red bell pepper, large-diced

1 yellow bell pepper, large-diced

3 tomatoes, halved, seeded and diced

1/2 red onion, sliced in half-rounds

1/4 cup feta cheese, crumbled

1/2 cup kalamata olives, pitted and diced

For the vinaigrette:

2 cloves garlic, minced

1 teaspoon dried oregano

1/2 teaspoon Dijon mustard

1/4 cup good red wine vinegar

1 teaspoon kosher salt

1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

1/3 cup good olive oil

Directions

- 1. Place the cucumber, peppers, tomatoes and red onion in a large bowl.
- 2. For the vinaigrette, whisk together the garlic, oregano, mustard, vinegar, salt and pepper in a small bowl. Still whisking, slowly add the olive oil to make an emulsion.
- 3. Pour the vinaigrette over the vegetables.
- 4. Add the feta and olives and toss lightly. Set aside for 30 minutes to allow the flavors to blend. Serve at room temperature.



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