## Root Veggie Turmeric Soup

Recipe by Joy McCarthy from Joyous Health

### Ingredients:

- 2 small white onions, chopped
- 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups chopped parsnips
- 2 ½ cups chopped carrots
- 3 cups chopped rutabaga
- 2 tbsp extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 tsp cumin
- 1 tsp turmeric
- 1/4 cup filtered water
- 2 garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 4-6 cups vegetable or chicken stock
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 tsp sea salt
- 1 can (400mL) full-fat coconut milk
- Chopped parsley for garnish
- Pumpkin seeds to sprinkle on top

#### Instructions:

- 1. Wash and peel the root veggies.
- 2. In a large soup pot, heat olive oil. Add chopped onions and stir occasionally for 5 minutes. Add the cumin and turmeric and stir for a minute.
- 3. Add the parsnips, carrots, and rutabaga to the soup pot. Stir and then add the water and saute for 5 more minutes.
- 4. Next, add the garlic and veggie stock. Start with 4 cups and add extra only if you want a thinner consistency.
- 5. Add the bay leaf and sea salt. Cook on low for 10-15 minutes or until veggies are starting to get tender.
- 6. Finally, remove from heat and add full can of coconut milk. Stir until combined. Enjoy right away with some fresh parsley and pumpkin seeds!
- 7. Store in the fridge for up to 5 days or in the freezer for up to 3 months.

#### Notes:

Serves 6 to 8

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