

Ham Bone Soup

INGREDIENTS

8 cups water

1 meaty ham bone

2 carrots, peeled and sliced

1 large onion, peeled and roughly chopped

3 cloves garlic

2 stalks celery, trimmed and sliced

1/4 cup fresh parsley, chopped

2 bay leaves

1 tsp. dried thyme

1 tsp. salt

1/2 head small green cabbage, roughly shredded

1 - 16 oz.can northern beans, rinsed and drained

Black pepper to taste

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Place ham bone in large pot, cover with the water. Add the rest of the ingredients. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer for 15 minutes (carrots should be tender).
- 2. Remove ham bone and cool enough to be able to handle. Remove meat from bone and cut into bite-size pieces. Add the ham to the pot and simmer the soup for another 10 minutes or until the carrots are tender. Remove bay leaves.

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