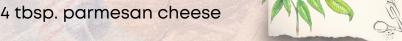


- 2½ pounds of chicken breast
- 2 tsp. salt
- 1 tsp. black pepper
- 1 tsp. paprika
- ¾ cup spinach
- ¾ cup basil
- 5 cloves garlic
- ½ of a lime (1 tbsp lime juice) (optional)
- ¾ cup parmesan cheese
- ¼ cup walnuts
- ¼ cup olive oil
- ¼ cup diced grape tomatoes
- 4 tbsp. parmesan cheese

This roasted pesto chicken is incredibly delicious! The homemade pesto is bursting with flavor, easy to make & you can have dinner on the table in under 30 minutes! The flavors are undeniably amazing! A



- 1. Preheat the oven to 425 on the roast.
- 2. Butterfly the chicken breasts & arrange them on a baking sheet. Season with salt, black pepper, & paprika then set aside.

instructions

- 3. Add spinach, basil, garlic, lime, parmesan cheese, & walnuts to a food processor & pulse until finely chopped. Add half the olive oil & allow the food processor to run for about ten seconds then add the next half of the olive oil and process until well blended.
- 4. Cover both sides of the chicken breast with pesto & place in the oven for approximately 12-15 minutes depending on the thickness of your chicken breast.
- 5. Top with diced grape tomatoes & parmesan cheese & return to the oven on broil for 2 minutes.
- 6. Serve with sides of your choice! I served this with white rice & cinnamon-roasted carrots.