LEMON GARLIC SALMON PACKET

Makes 2 Packets | 2 servings | \$3.84 per serving

Ingredients

2 3-ounce frozen salmon fillets

½ teaspoon salt

½ teaspoon black pepper

½ small lemon, washed and cut into thin rounds

1 garlic clove, peeled (¼ teaspoon powder or ¾ teaspoons minced)

Instructions

- 1. Place frozen fillets in the refrigerator overnight to thaw, or thaw in cold water, changing water every 30 minutes.
- 2. Preheat oven or electric skillet to 450°F.
- 3. Place each fish fillets on a sheet of aluminum foil (12x18-inches each). Sprinkle with salt, pepper, and garlic
- 4. Lay lemon rounds over fillets.
- 5. Wrap each packet by bringing up the sides. Double fold the top and ends to seal. Leave room for heat to circulate.
- 6. Cook packets using one of the following methods:
 - To bake in the oven, place packets on a cookie sheet. Bake at 450°F for 30 minutes. Halfway through baking, use a fork to poke small holes in the packet for steam to escape.
 - To bake in an electric skillet, heat skillet to 400°F. Use a cooking rack in the bottom of the skillet. Pour ½ inch of water into the skillet. Place the packets on the rack. Cover and close the steam vent. If you do not have a rack, make your own with aluminum foil. Form foil into a long snake about 1 inch thick. Form into a coil to fit in the skillet. Place the packets on top of the coil.
- 7. Packets are done when the fish reaches 145°F on the food thermometer. When cooking is done, carefully open packets to allow steam to escape.

Note

For a family meal that serves 4, double the recipe. For a family meal that serves 6, triple the recipe.