



Carolyn's Taco Soup

1 ½ lb hamburger, browned and drained OR 2 C. Cooked Chicken

1 onion, chopped

1 can each of – (DO NOT DRAIN LIQUIDS)

Ranch Style Beans

Ranch Style Beans with jalapeños

Pinto Beans

Hominy, Yellow

Tomatoes with chilies

1 Package of Taco Seasoning Mix

1 Package of Original Hidden Valley Ranch Dressing

2 C. Water

Simmer everything for 1 Hour or hot if in a hurry.

Good with Cornbread or corn chips, shredded cheese or sour cream

I personally like it better with the chicken. Freezes well and if you are single or have kids who can heat it up in a microwave - -

Put these things in freezer zip lock bags

*** 1 ½ to 2 Cups of the soup**

*** Cornbread – wrap with saran wrap**

*** Corn chips – all chips remain fresher longer when kept in the freezer**

And the most important part of this recipe? I remember that wonderful gift that she gave me from her heart in 1996. When you plan for your gifts for the holidays next year, please remember this story. Sometimes giving from your heart is so much more important than from the wallet.