HAITIAN "JOUMOU"



Ingredients:

2	Teaspoons	Whole Cloves
2	Teaspoons	White or Black Peppercorns
2	Quarts	Chicken Stock
1	Tablespoon	Red Pepper Flakes
1	Small	Butternut Squash
1	Small	Red Onion, peeled and chopped
1	Medium	Green Pepper, chopped
1	Large	Potato, peeled and cubed ½"
1	Large	Carrot, peeled and cubed ½"
1	Small	Turnip, peeled and cubed ½"
1	Cup	Red Cabbage, shredded
2	Cups	Wild Rice blend
1/2	Teaspoon	Ground Nutmeg
1	Large	Lemon, juiced and zested
2	Teaspoons	Salt
11/2	Pounds	Cooked Chicken

Directions:

- 1. Place cloves and peppercorns in a sachet bag, or wrap & tie in cheesecloth. Crush lightly.
- 2. Peel, halve and remove seeds from squash. Cut into 1" cubes. Place in 6 quart pot with the chicken stock, red pepper flakes and clove/peppercorn sachet. Bring to a boil.
- 3. Reduce heat and simmer until squash is very tender. Remove sachet and smash the squash with a potato masher leaving a few chunks.
- 4. Zest and juice lemon. Whisk together the nutmeg and lemon juice and add to pot with the remaining ingredients. Simmer until the rice is al dente about 25 to 30 minutes.