Quesadilla Crunchwrap

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Prep Time: 01:00 Cook Time: 00:15

The Quesadilla Crunchwrap (commercially marketed under a similar name) could be easily obtained at a well-known fas t food chain. However, this recipe will allow you to replace the "fast food" ingredients with better quality and better flavor. This Quesadilla Crunchwrap can be cooked in a frying pan, or (ideally) with a Panini Press. The Quesadilla Crunchwrap is an extremely flexible dish that can be filled with pretty much any kind of Meat that you have on hand.

Ingredients:

8 Street Taco Corn Tortillas
8 Large Flour Tortillas
1 Pound Cooked Meat: Ground Beef, Grilled Chicken, Shredded Beef, or Shredded Pork
8 Ounce Can Sweet Corn, pan roasted
1 Red Bell Pepper, diced
1 Poblano Pepper, diced
1/2 Poblano Pepper, oven roasted
1/2 Red Onion, diced
4 Ounce Mushroom, diced
15 Ounce Can Black Beans, rinsed and drained
1 Cup Medium Grain Rice, cooked
2 Roma Tomatoes, diced
8 Oz Cheese Sauce or Pasteurized Cheese

1/2 Cup Shredded Cheese

Olive Oil

Cream Sauce:

4 Ounces (1/2 Cup) Crème Fraîche
1/2 Poblano Pepper, oven roasted
1 Tablespoon Cilantro
1/2 Tablespoon Lime Juice
1 Garlic Clove, finely minced
Directions:
Lay 8 Street Tacos in a large oven sheet pan.
Spray or brush lightly with Olive Oil.
Broil on high for 3 minutes until the tortillas are lightly browned.
Turn over each Tortilla, add more Oil, and broil for another 2 minutes or until the tortillas are lightly browned.

Prepare the Cream Sauce.

Add a splash of Olive Oil to a small frying pan and place over medium high heat. Grill the Diced Peppers, Diced Onions, and Diced Mushroom until lightly browned.

Lay out 1 large Flour Tortilla. Spread the Cooked Meat across the center of the Tortilla. Add Grilled Vegetables. Cover with a thin layer of Rice. Add a large pinch of Shredded Cheese.

Mash 2 Tablespoons of Black Beans into a thick Paste. Spread the Bean Paste across the top of a crispy Street Tacos. Cover the Meat and Grilled Vegetables with a crispy Street Taco, Bean Paste side up. The Street Taco should completely cover the Meat and Vegetables underneath. Add a scoop of Cheese Sauce, Tomatoes, and Lettuce. Add a scoop of the Cream Sauce.

Fold the edges of the large Flour Tortilla into the center, fully covering the contents, in 6 folds.

Heat a frying pan or Panini Press. Grill until browned, flipping if necessary.

Cut into quarters and serve warm.