



# doghouse

## grilled lamp chops with zinfandel-glazed onions, artichoke couscous and spinach salad

THIS DISH BEGS FOR DOG HOUSE ZINFANDEL! THE INFUSION OF FLAVORS CREATES A SEAMLESS TRANSITION FOR YOUR TASTE BUDS.

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### INGREDIENTS

For the Zinfandel Glazed Onions:	1 bay leaf
1 cup Dog House Zinfandel	3 sprigs fresh thyme
1 cup balsamic vinegar	1 lb. pearl onions (peeled)

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### FOR THE LAMP CHOPS

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16 lamb loin-chops (4 oz. each)	Freshly ground black pepper

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### FOR THE SPINACH SALAD

1 lb. baby spinach leaves	½ cup extra-virgin olive oil
1 lemon, juiced	½ tsp. kosher salt

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### FOR THE COUSCOUS

2 cups instant couscous	3 Tbsp. flat-leaf parsley, chopped
4 cups chicken stock	2 tsp. fresh oregano, chopped
1 large can artichokes packed in oil, drained and oil reserved	Kosher Salt
	Freshly ground black pepper

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### METHOD

Bring chicken stock to a simmer. In a heat-proof bowl, combine couscous and artichokes. Carefully pour hot stock over couscous mixture. Stir and then cover for 10 minutes.

Once couscous is fully hydrated, add fresh herbs and fluff with a fork. Add olive oil, 1 Tbsp. at a time until the couscous is well dressed. Season to taste and set aside.

To assemble: Place small mound of Spinach Salad on dinner plate and top with Artichoke Couscous. Layer two lamb chops on top and drizzle with Zinfandel Glazed Onions.

*Serves 8*

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### FOR THE ZINFANDEL GLAZED ONIONS

In a sauté pan, combine all ingredients. Bring mixture to a simmer. Cover and cook until onions are tender (approximately 20 to 30 minutes). Set aside.

### TO PREPARE THE LAMB CHOPS

Pre-heat grill to medium high. Season lamb chops with salt and pepper. Grill until desired temperature is reached (medium- rare recommended) and brush lightly with the Zinfandel Onion Glaze. Remove lamb chops from heat, cover loosely with aluminum foil and let rest while the Spinach Salad is prepared.

### FOR THE SPINACH SALAD:

In a bowl, combine lemon juice and salt. Slowly whisk in the olive oil until combined. Toss spinach with the dressing.