### Guava Teriyaki Baby Back Ribs w/"BBQ" Tostones"

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Ingredients: 2 full racks Pork baby back ribs Guava Teriyaki BBQ Sauce (see recipe below) BBQ Dry Rub (see recipe below) 1 cup apple juice 1 unripened green plaintain Canola oil for frying

### **BBQ Dry Rub**

1/2 cup kosher salt1/2 cup coarse cracked pepper1/2 cup brown sugar3 tablespoons white sugar1 tablespoon smoked paprika1 teaspoon garlic powder1 teaspoon onion powder

Recipe: 1.) Mix together in medium bowl until well incorporated.

Yield: about 1.25 cups

#### Guava teriyaki BBQ sauce

Ingredients: 10 oz guava paste 1/4 cup dark spiced rum 1/2 cup ketchup 1 tablespoon freshly grated ginger 2 freshly grated garlic cloves 1/4 teaspoon sesame oil 1 teaspoon sriracha hot sauce 1 tablespoon tomato paste 1/2 cup rice wine vinegar 2 teaspoon apple cider vinegar 1/2 cup teriyaki marinade/sauce 1 teaspoon smoked paprika 1 teaspoon Worchestire sauce 1 teaspoon brown sugar



Recipe:

1.) Whisk all ingredients in medium sized sauce pot. Bring to a boil then simmer for 10 to 12 mins. Cool to room temperature before serving BBQ sauce.

Yield: About 2 cups

# Guava Teryaki Baby Back Ribs

Recipe:

1.) Take baby back ribs out of the fridge and allow to come to room temperature, about 30 mins. 2.) While ribs are coming up to room temperature, prepare your grill/smoker for indirect grilling at 275 degrees. At this point feel free to add a heaping hand full of soaked apple wood chips to the charcoal, to add an additional smoky flavor to the ribs. (\*Wood chips/chunks, should be soaked a minimum of 30 mins in water, to ensure slow burning)

3.) Remove membrane from the back of the ribs, with a knife, and pull away from ribs with a paper towel, for easier removal, discard.

4.) Season both sides of the ribs liberally with BBQ dry rub, and place meaty side of ribs up first in grill (indirect heat)/smoker. Place aluminum pan under ribs, to catch drippings.

5.) For these ribs, the total cook time will be 3 hours. First hour ribs are grilled uncovered, 1 hour ribs wrapped in aluminum foil, last 1 hour ribs grilled uncovered again.

6.) For the 2nd hour... Prepare a double layer of aluminum foil, big enough to wrap each rack. Crimp sides of aluminum foil up, and pour a 1/2 cup of apple juice in the bottom. Place a rack in each piece of aluminum foil. Fold aluminum foil over and wrap loosely, around the ribs. Place wrapped ribs back into grill (indirect heat)/ smoker and cook for the 1 hour.

7.) Remove the ribs from the aluminum foil, and place ribs back on to grill. Once a nice crust starts to form on the ribs, brush/baste ribs liberally with Guava Teriyaki BBQ sauce on each side of ribs 2 to 3 times. Allowing a nice sticky layer of BBQ sauce to adhere to the ribs. This last hour is extremely important, as we are looking for a finished caramelization on the ribs.

8.) Once achieved caramelization is achieved on the ribs, remove ribs from grill/ smoker with tongs, and place on cutting board.

9.) Slice each rib, down each bone to separate each individual rib. Serve with "BBQ tostones"

# "BBQ" Tostones

Recipe:

1.) In a medium sized pan, heat up canola oil about 1/2" depth to medium high heat.

2.) Peel green plaintain, slice into about 1/2" slices. About 8 to slices helper plantain.

3.) Fry on both sides until lightly golden brown about 2-3 mins. Remove from heat, and drain on paper towel lines dish.

4.) Using the back of a spatula, carefully smash the green plantain medallion until they're thin.

5.) Refry plantain until golden brown and crispy, remove from heat and lightly toss with bbq dry rub.

6.) Serve hot with ribs!!

Yield: About 6 to 8 servings