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Even Better Tummy Tucking Ice Cream (FP)

Basic vanilla version with suggested flavor options

This is your perfect after-dinner light ice cream. It is not protein-rich—it is not supposed to be. It goes perfectly with any meal or snack that has already given you ample protein and calories, and now you just feel like a little something, light, sweet, and creamy without overdoing the density. If you want a protein-rich ice cream, you'll want to make the *Basic Ninja Ice Cream*.

This is an even better (and definitely easier) version of the Tummy Tucking Ice Cream that was in our first <u>Trim Healthy Mama book</u>. But that one took freezing the base first in ice cube trays and then blending in a food processor (which was a bit of a chore). The Ninja Creami arrived on the scene, and now the task is easy. You got this!

2 – 3 servings for an after-dinner delight

INGREDIENTS:

- 2 tsp <u>TH Just Gelatin</u>
- 1 Tbs cold water and 1½ Tbs hot water
- 12 ounces unsweetened nut milk or lean kefir
- 1-2 Tbs TH Gentle Sweet
- 1-2 tsp <u>TH Natural Burst Vanilla Extract</u> or extract of choice (a full 2 tsp is perfect for the basic vanilla option)
- 2 pinches <u>TH Mineral Salt</u>
- 3/4 tsp TH Glucomannan ("gluccie")

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Put the gelatin and cool water in a small bowl. Stir then allow to sit for a couple minutes. Add hot water, stir then add to blender.
- 2. Put all other ingredients in the blender. Blend until just incorporated without over-blending to avoid getting too frothy.



- 3. Pour into one Ninja Creami container. Freeze for 24 hours.
- 4. After frozen, put the container in your Ninja Creami and process using the LITE ICE CREAM function.
- 5. Then take the lid off, make a hole in the middle, and add about 2 Tbs of liquid. This can be 1½ Tbs of nut milk (or kefir) and ½ Tbs heavy cream or tahini, OR 2 Tbs nut milk (or kefir) alone, OR 2 Tbs Nutpods. Put the lid back on and RE-SPIN! You may need to use the RE-SPIN function more than once... until it's as creamy as you want.

Other Flavor Options:

Strawberry: Add ½ - 1 cup frozen strawberries and blend well.

<u>Chocolate:</u> Add 2 Tbs unsweetened cocoa, increase sweetener as needed, and add an additional pinch of salt.

<u>TH Hydrates</u>: Add one of our <u>TH Hydrate</u> stick packs or 1 tsp (or to taste) of our bulk flavors. Lemon Love is a great combination with kefir... or try our Cherry Berry! Get creative!

Protein Nerd Notes:

This ice cream does not have sufficient protein. It has just a little bit in the gelatin, but your protein profile is not complete, and it is low. Use this ice cream after a meal or snack that fulfills all your Protein Nerd Level 3 requirements.