

# RECIPE

## Hero Vegetable: Collard Greens

## **Collard Green Cornbread**

### Ingredients:

2 cups collard greens, rinsed, stems removed and chopped small 1 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese 1½ cups stone ground cornmeal ¾ cups fresh or frozen corn kernels ¾ cup milk ⅓ cup butter, melted ⅓ cup red bell pepper, diced small ¼ cup red bell pepper, diced small ¼ cup green pepper, diced small ¼ cup celery, diced small ⅓ cloves garlic, minced 2 eggs 1 tsp salt 1 tsp baking soda

### **Directions:**

Preheat your oven to 350F.

In a medium sized sauté pan, melt the butter over medium heat. Add the onion, garlic, and peppers. Sauté for about 2 minutes. Add the chopped collard greens. Cook for another 2-3 minutes until the greens begin to soften. Turn off heat and let cool.

In a large bowl whisk together the cornmeal, salt and baking soda. Add in all the remaining ingredients including the collard green mixture.

Bake in a greased 9-inch baking pan for 25-30 minutes or until a toothpick inserted comes out clean. Allow to cool in the pan for 10 minutes before slicing.