

CHICKEN KATSU

with Roasted Green Beans & Ginger Rice



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KATSU

Japanese-style fried cutlets, breaded in panko and served with a tangy-sweet sauce















Katsu Sauce (Contains: Soy, Wheat)



PREP: 5 MIN

TOTAL: 30 MIN CALORIES: 710

Jasmine Rice



Chicken Cutlets Panko Breadcrumbs

Sesame Seeds

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START STRONG

In step 3, you'll be pounding chicken to a ½-inch thickness to help with quick and even cooking. For best results, use a flat work surface and apply uniform pressure with a meat mallet or heavy-bottomed pan (we love a cast-iron skillet for the job). Bonus: you might just relieve some weeknight stress while you're at it!

BUST OUT

- Small pot
- Large pan
- Baking sheet
- Small bowl
- Paper towels
- Kosher salt
- Plastic wrap
- Black pepper
- Vegetable oil (2 tsp
 + more for frying)
- Butter (1 TBSP | 2 TBSP) (Contains: Milk)

INGREDIENTS

Ingredient 2-person | 4-person

• Ginger 1 Thumb | 2 Thumbs

• Jasmine Rice ½ Cup | 1 Cup

Green Beans
 6 oz | 12 oz

Chicken Cutlets*
 10 oz | 20 oz

Garlic Powder
 1tsp | 2 tsp

• Panko Breadcrumbs ½ Cup | 1 Cup

Sour Cream 2 TBSP | 4 TBSP

Katsu Sauce
 4 TBSP | 8 TBSP

• Sesame Seeds 1 TBSP | 1 TBSP

* Chicken is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 165 degrees.

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Preheat oven to 425 degrees. **Wash** and dry all produce. Peel and mince or grate ginger. Heat a drizzle of oil in a small pot over medium-high heat. Add ginger; cook, stirring, until fragrant, 1-2 minutes. Stir in rice and ¾ cup water (1½ cups for 4 servings). Bring to a boil; cover and reduce heat to low. Cook until rice is tender, 15-18 minutes. Keep covered off heat until ready to serve.



BREAD CHICKEN
In a shallow dish or plate, combine
panko, cornstarch, and ½ tsp salt (1 tsp
for 4 servings). Brush a thin layer of sour
cream onto both sides of chicken (you
may not use all the sour cream). Working
one piece at a time, press chicken into
panko mixture, coating all over.



ROAST GREEN BEANSWhile rice cooks, toss **green beans** on a baking sheet with a drizzle of **oil**; season with **salt** and **pepper**. Roast on top rack until browned and tender, 12-15 minutes.



3 POUND CHICKEN
Meanwhile, pat chicken dry with
paper towels. Place between two
pieces of plastic wrap and pound with a
mallet or heavy-bottomed pan until ½
inch thick. Season all over with garlic
powder, salt, and pepper.



Heat a ½-inch layer of oil in a large, preferably nonstick, pan over mediumhigh heat. Once oil is hot enough that a pinch of breadcrumbs sizzles when added to the pan, add chicken. Cook until panko is golden brown and chicken is cooked through, 2-3 minutes per side. (For 4 servings, cook in batches.) (TIP: Thinner pieces will cook faster.) Transfer to a paper-towel-lined plate.



FINISH & SERVE
Place katsu sauce in a small
microwave-safe bowl; microwave until
warm, 20 seconds. Fluff rice with a fork; stir
in 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings)
and season with salt and pepper. Divide
rice, chicken, and green beans between
plates. Drizzle chicken with katsu sauce
to taste (or serve on the side for dipping).
Sprinkle chicken and green beans with as
many sesame seeds as you like. Serve.

KATSU LATER

Try making this crispy dish again with pork cutlets (also known as *tonkatsu*).

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