Asparagus, Egg & Cheese Tart

Prep Time: 10 minutes Cook Time: 25-30 minutes

Servings: 6

Turn left-over asparagus into this easy to make egg tart. This recipe combines the buttery sweet flavor of asparagus with a tart and tangy herbed goat cheese. More eggs and less milk separates this recipe from a custardy quiche; while the crust means it is not an eggy frittata. Simply put an egg tart has the crust of a quiche with the texture of a frittata. For a heartier meal pair with soup, salad or both.



Ingredients

- 10 spears asparagus, cooked
- 6-8 medium eggs*
- 1/2 cup milk
- 4 ounces herbed goat cheese or your favorite cheese
- 1 pie crust, ready made
- salt & pepper, to taste
 - * If using larger eggs less will be needed, if using smaller eggs more will be needed.

Steps

- 1. Left-over cooked asparagus is perfect for this dish. If none is available, prepare asparagus using our recipe for Simple Sautéed Asparagus, let cool.
- 2. Pre-heat oven to 350°F.
- 3. Line a square metal baking pan (8X8)** with parchment paper and then fit with a single pre-made refrigerated pie crust (a frozen pie crust in a tin may be substituted).
- 4. Crack eggs into a large bowl, mix with fork. Add milk and season with salt and pepper, mix again. Chop 3 stalks of asparagus and combine with egg mixture.
- 5. Carefully pour egg mixture into prepared baking pan, do not overflow edge of crust.
- 6. Using your hands, evenly dot goat cheese over egg mixture. Arrange remaining 7 spears of asparagus over top.
- 7. Carefully move the tart from the counter to pre-heated oven. Bake for 25-30 minutes until crust is golden brown and egg mixture is just set. **If using a glass pan, increase baking time by 10-15 minutes.
- 8. Let rest for a few minutes, carefully remove by tilting baking dish and tugging parchment paper to slide onto cutting board. Cut into 6 pieces and enjoy.



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