

## **Filipino Chicken Adobo** (Serves 4)

### **CHICKEN AND MARINADE**

- 1.5 lb chicken thigh fillets, boneless and skinless (5-6 pieces)
- 3 garlic cloves, minced
- 1/3 cup soy sauce
- 1/3 cup + 2 tbsp white vinegar
- 4 bay leaves (fresh) or 3 dried



### **FOR COOKING**

- 2 tbsp oil (vegetable, canola or peanut)
- 3 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 small brown onion, diced
- 1 1/2 cups water
- 2 tbsp brown sugar
- 2 tsp pepper

### **SERVING**

- 2 green onions/scallion, sliced

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Combine chicken and marinade ingredients in a bowl. Marinate for at least 20 minutes or overnight.

Heat 1 tbsp oil in skillet over high heat. Remove chicken from marinade (reserve marinade) and place in pan. Sear both sides until browned — about 1 minute on each side. Do not cook the chicken all the way through.

Remove chicken from skillet and set aside.

Heat the remaining oil in the skillet. Add garlic and onion. Cook for 1 1/2 minutes.

Add the reserved marinade, water, sugar and black pepper.

Bring it to a simmer then turn heat down to medium high. Simmer for 5 minutes.

Add chicken smooth side down.

Simmer uncovered for 20 to 25 minutes (no need to stir), turning chicken at around 15 minutes, until the sauce reduces down to a thick jam like syrup.

If the sauce isn't thick enough, remove chicken onto a plate and let sauce simmer by itself — it will thicken much quicker — then return chicken to the skillet to coat in the glaze. Coat chicken in glaze and serve over rice.

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