

## Oyako Donburi

NIBBLEDISH CONTRIBUTOR

## Ingredients

For me, this is 2 healthy bowls/serving sizes...

- 1 Large Onion
- Couple Small Chicken Breasts
- Butter
- 1 1/2 Cup Water
- ~ 1 tsp Hon-dashi, ~1/2 tsp Konbu-dashi
- (basically add some dashi so you get that umami flavor don't make it too salty, and if you're out, try stock/broth)
- 2 TBSP Mirin
- 1 TBSP Brown Sugar
- 2 TBSP Soy Sauce
- 2 TBSP Cooking Sake
- Green Onions
- 2 Eggs
- Japanese Rice

## Instructions

1. Cut **ONION** into slices, add to saute pan with **BUTTER**, cook *MED-LOW* heat to allow caramelization (keep a constant eye on onions and occasionally toss to prevent burning.

- 2. Cut **CHICKEN** breasts (kitchen shears make this easy) and drop into sauce pan with **BUTTER** on *MED-HIGH* heat, to allow the skin to brown (don't touch them, except for checking test pieces to allow golden browning to occur).
- 3. Once chicken is browned on skin side (or one side), add **WATER**, both **DASHI**, **MIRIN**, **BROWN SUGAR**, **SOY SAUCE** <u>DO NOT</u> add sake, yet.
- 4. Liquid should cover chicken. Add onions.
- 5. Mix well including the bottom where chicken has browned.
- 6. Pour 1 TBSP **SAKE** into <u>saute pan that cooked onions to de-glaze pan</u>. Add liquid to broth, and repeat with other 1 TBSP of **SAKE**.
- 7. Bring to simmer and cook over *LOW* heat as long as you can bare...
- 8. While bringing to simmer, cut **GREEN ONIONS**: add **GREEN ONION-BOTTOMS** to broth, reserve sliced top section.
- After chicken is cooked and tender, crack two EGGS into a <u>SEPARATE BOWL</u>. Mix eggs and add most of the remaining GREEN ONION-TOPS (reserve some for garnish).
- 10. Prepare bowl of rice. Add chicken and some stock to the rice.
- 11. Move ~1/2 Cup **BROTH** to small saute pan (or Oyako Donburi container) over *MED* heat. Add half of the EGG mixture.
- 12. Allow to cook lightly (some like it runny Umai!).
- 13. Pour over top of rice and garnish with green onions.

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