

Kelley Orchard's Sour Cherry Sorbet

INGREDIENTS:

2 Cups Sour Cherry Purée
1 Cup Simple Syrup*
2 Tblspn. Fresh Lemon Juice

To make the cherry purée, remove the pits from about 1 lb. of sour “pie” cherries and place them in a blender or food processor. (**1 lb. of pitted cherries = 2 cups purée**) Process until the fruit is very smooth. Pour it into a fine mesh strainer set in a deep bowl. Use a rubber spatula to press down on the mixture to extract as much liquid as possible. Discard any pulp that remains in the strainer.

Add the simple syrup and lemon juice to the purée, and stir until well combined. Cover the bowl and refrigerate until chilled before using, at least 1 hr.

Pour mixture into an ice-cream maker, and freeze according to manufacturer's instructions. Transfer sorbet to an airtight container; place in freezer at least 2 hrs. or overnight before serving.

*To make simple syrup, combine equal parts of sugar and water in a saucepan and bring to a boil over medium-high heat. Cook, stirring occasionally, until sugar has completely dissolved. Cool before using. *Variation:* Add a split and scraped vanilla bean to the simple syrup while hot. Cool and remove the bean before using. Use syrup for a cherry-vanilla sorbet!

Makes about 1 quart of Sorbet



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Serving Dinner Tues. – Sat. from 5-9 P.M