Carrot Souffle~

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A note before you start:

As the original recipe states: Don't be intimidated by the word souffle~. This will not collapse on you!

Ingredients:

2 lbs of carrots, peeled and cut into 1/4" thick rounds

- 1 cup of whole milk
- 1 cup of saltine cracker crumbs
- 1 cup of grated sharp Cheddar cheese
- 1/3 cup of minced onion
- 2 TBSP of room temperature butter divided
- 1 tsp of kosher salt
- 1/8 tsp of cayenne pepper
- 1/4 tsp of freshly ground black pepper
- 3 large eggs

Step 1: Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. using 1 TBSP of butter, grease a 2 quart baking dish and set aside.

Step 2: Put the carrots into a large pot and cover with about an inch of salted water. Bring to a boil over high heat, reduce the heat, and simmer the carrots for about 10 minutes, until tender when pierced with the tip of a sharp knife.

Step 3: Strain the carrots, and puree in a food processor and transfer to a large mixing bowl. Stir in the milk, cracker crumbs, cheese, onion, remaining butter, salt, cayenne, and black pepper.

Step 4: In a large bowl using an electric mixer or wire whisk to beat the eggs until they are foamy, and gently fold them into the carrot mixture.

Step 5: Transfer the carrot mixture into the prepared souffle~ dish and bake for 40-45 minutes, until puffed and light golden brown on top. Serve warm.

Buon Appetito!



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