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## FEATURING



## Nashville Hot Chicken Nachos

### INGREDIENTS

- MARINADE
- 1 cup buttermilk
- 1 egg
- 2 teaspoons kosher salt
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon black pepper
- ½ teaspoon garlic powder
- CHICKEN
- 1 pound boneless, skinless chicken thighs, cut intobitesize pieces
- Vegetable oil, for frying
- 1 cup flour
- 1/3 cup cornstarch
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt
- ½ teaspoon baking powder
- SAUCE
- ¼ cup frying oil
- 4½ teaspoons cayenne pepper, or to taste
- 1½ teaspoons packed brown sugar
- ½ teaspoon black pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/4 teaspoon chili powder
- 1/4 teaspoon paprika
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- NACHOS
- 1 bag TOSTITOS® Original Restaurant Style
- 1 jar TOSTITOS® Queso Blanco Dip
- 1/4 cup dill pickle slices, drained

# HOW TO MAKE

#### **DIRECTIONS**

• For Marinade:

- Whisk ingredients together in medium bowl.
- For Chicken:
- Stir chicken pieces into marinade. Cover and refrigerate for 2 hours.
- Heat vegetable oil in deep fryer to 350°F.
- Combine flour, cornstarch, salt, and baking powder in shallow bowl.
- Set a wire rack on top of rimmed baking sheet and set aside.
- Working in batches, remove chicken pieces from marinade, coat thoroughly with flour mixture, and lower into fryer. Fry until cooked through and crisp, 4to 8 minutes. Drain on wire rack.
- For Sauce:
- Carefully ladle ¼ cup of hot frying oil into a medium heat proof bowl. Whisk in remaining sauce ingredients. Coat fried chicken pieces thoroughly with sauce.
- For Nachos:
- Spread Tostitos chips evenly on sheet pan.
- Distribute chicken pieces over chips.
- Drizzle with Queso Blanco.
- Top with pickle slices.
- Serve immediately.