## **Szechwan Beef Noodle Soup Recipe**

## **Ingredients:**

- 1.3 lbs beef brisket
- 1 portion La noodles
- 1 tablespoon chopped scallions

Minced cilantro as needed

## Seasonings:

- A 2 scallions
  - 1 small piece ginger
  - 4 cloves garlic
  - 4 tablespoons chili bean paste
  - 2 tablespoons Szechwan peppercorns
  - 2 tablespoons cooking wine
  - 15 cups water
- **B** 2 tablespoons soy sauce
  - 4 tablespoons chili oil
  - 1 teaspoon salt
  - 1 tablespoon sugar

## **Method:**

Blanch the whole beef brisket in boiling water, rinse out the foam and remove from the water. Heat 2 tablespoons of cooking oil to stir-fry scallions, ginger and garlic as well as chili bean paste over high heat rapidly until fragrant. Add the remaining seasoning **A** and **B**, then heat until boiling. Return brisket and cook on low for 40 minutes. Remove and cut into small pieces. Remove the spices from soup with a sieve, then return brisket and continue cooking for 20 more minutes until completely tender. Bring a pot of water to a boil. Cook the noodles until the water boils, then remove to a soup bowl. Drizzle with brisket and the beef soup, then sprinkle with chopped scallions and cilantro. Serve.

Note: If a spicy taste is not desired, skip the chili oil.

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