# CHICKEN TACO MEATBALLS W/ SALSA VERDE

6-8 Servings – 20 min. prep – about 2 hrs cook time

## **Ingredients**

#### For the Salsa Verde

6-8 medium tomatillos

1 medium poblano pepper

1/2 white onion

3-4 garlic cloves

1 tsp salt, pepper, cumin

Olive oil

### For the Meatballs

1 package of ground chicken (1lb)

1 egg

1/2 C breadcrumbs

Taco Mix 1tsp salt, pepper, cumin, chili powder, garlic powder, paprika

#### <u>Instructions</u>

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees F
- 2. Quarter the tomatillos, poblano, and onion. Add to a large sheet pan
- 3. Add garlic cloves, whole. Toss with some olive oil
- 4. Roast for about 1 hour. Flipping halfway through.
- 5. Once out of the oven, let cool for about 10 minutes before blending
- 6. Add the contents of the sheet pan to the food processor. Season with salt, pepper and cumin
- 7. Blend until mostly smooth. Add more olive oil if needed to blend to the desired consistency
- 8. Onto the meatballs, turn the oven up to 400 degrees F
- 9. Mix all ingredients in a large bowl. Mix enough to combine but do not over mix
- 10. Form the mixture into 1 inch balls
- 11. When ready to bake: pour the salsa verde into a casserole dish
- 12. Place the meatballs into the casserole dish, on top of the salsa verde
- 13. Bake in the oven for about 20-25 minutes. Turn them over after 12 minutes
- 14. Remove from the oven. Serve over rice or in a tortilla as a taco. Enjoy!