## ROASTED CAULIFLOWER SOUP

**Basic Lifestyle** 

## **INGREDIENTS**

3 pounds cauliflower florets (about 2 large heads)

2 TSP olive oil

1-1/2 TSP minced resh thyme

1 TSP kosher salt

cooking spray

4 cups fat-free, lower-sodium chicken broth, divided

1-3/4 cups 2% reduced-fat milk

dash of finely ground black pepper

fresh thyme sprigs (optional)

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

-Preheat oven to 400°.

—Combine florets and oil in a large bowl. Toss to coat. Add thyme and salt. Toss well. Arrange florets on a jelly-roll pan coated with cooking spray. Bake at 400° for 1 hour or until golden brown, stirring after 30 minutes.

—Combine florets, 2 cups broth, and milk in a blender. Process 3 minutes or until smooth. Pour puréed mixture into a large saucepan. Add remaining 2 cups broth and pepper. Cook over medium heat until thoroughly heated. Garnish with fresh thyme sprigs, if desired.

**SERVING INFO:** (Yields 6 servings)

 $1 \frac{1}{2} cups = 2 V$