Creamy Lemon Chicken

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Ingredients

2 pounds chicken breasts(about 3 breasts)

½ teaspoon pepper

1 teaspoon kosher salt

1/4 cup all-purpose flour(for dredging)

2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil

2 tablespoons unsalted butter

1/2 large white onion, diced

4 cloves garlic, minced

½ cup dry white wine

1 teaspoon salt

Juice 2 lemons, additional sliced lemons to garnish

1 cup heavy cream

4 sprigs fresh thyme

1 1/2 tablespoon fresh parsley, rough chopped

2 tablespoons Parmigiano Reggiano, grated

Instructions

- 1. Using a meat mallet, lightly pound chicken breast on both sides until slightly flatten.
- 2. Season with pepper and salt, then, dredge both sides with flour. Dust off any excess flour.
- 3. In a large skillet, preheat to medium heat and add olive oil and butter. Once the butter has melted add chicken breast. Cook for 3 minutes on each side. Remove chicken and set aside.
- 4. Sauté onions and garlic in the remaining oil/butter for 3-4 minutes until translucent.
- 5. Add white wine to deglaze the skillet. Scape the remaining onion and garlic from the bottom of the pan with a spatula. Turn heat down to medium-low. Add salt and lemon juice.
- 6. Whisk in heavy cream until combined, place par-cooked chicken back into skillet. Bring the pan to a simmer and cook for 4-5 minutes on low. The sauce should be reduced and creamy.
- 7. Add fresh thyme, parsley, and lemon slices for garnish. Sprinkle grated Parmigiano Reggiano over top right before serving.