Asparagus in Vinaigrette with Walnuts



Serves 4

Ingredients:

- 1 pound asparagus
- 2 tablespoons white wine vinegar
- 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- 1/2 individual packet low-carb sweetener
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- ¹/₄ small onion
- 1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 4 cups mixed greens

• 1/4 cup chopped English walnuts

Instructions:

- 1. To toast nuts, place them on a baking sheet in a preheated 325°F oven, turning them after 3 minutes.
- 2. Bake for another 3 to 6 minutes, checking frequently to avoid burning. You can substitute almonds for walnuts, if you prefer.
- 3. To make this dish suitable for Induction, simply eliminate the walnuts.
- 4. Steam asparagus until crisp-tender, about 4 to 7 minutes, depending upon size. Drain, and pat dry with paper towels. Set aside.
- 5. Combine white onion, vinegar, mustard, sugar substitute, salt and pepper in a mixing bowl. Gradually whisk in oil.
- 6. Divide lettuce on 4 plates; arrange asparagus on top and drizzle with vinaigrette. Sprinkle with walnuts and additional salt and pepper, if desired.

Nutrition per serving: Calories 204; Total Fat 18.6 g; Saturated Fat 2.4 g; Monounsaturated Fat 10.6 g; Polyunsaturated Fat 5.0 g; Total Carbohydrates 7.9 g; Dietary Fiber 4.1 g; Sugar Alcohols 0.1g; Sugar 3.1 g; Protein 4.6 g; Sodium 344 mg