

## Slow Cooker Balsamic Roast Beef

Ingredients

- 2 2 ½ pounds beef cross rib roast
- 1 large onion sliced
- 2 tablespoons garlic minced
- 4 bay leaf
- 1 cup beef broth
- 1 can (5 ½-6 oz) tomato paste
- 1/2 cup Tillie's Nevada balsamic vinegar
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce plus 2 teaspoons
- 1 tablespoon Misbeehaven Farm honey plus 2 teaspoons
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard plus 2 teaspoons
- 1 sprig fresh rosemary
- <sup>1</sup>⁄₃ cup all-purpose flour
- 1 tablespoon parsley dried
- 1 teaspoon salt separated
- 1 teaspoon pepper separated
- 1 tablespoon sugar if needed

## Instructions:

- 1. Coat your beef with 1/2 tsp of salt and 1/2 tsp of pepper. Set aside.
- 2. In your slow cooker, add the onion, garlic and bay leaves. Place beef over the top.
- 3. In a medium bowl, combine broth, vinegar, tomato paste, mustard, honey, Worcestershire sauce, rosemary and remaining salt and pepper. Stir until blended. Pour over beef.
- 4. Cover and cook on low until beef is cooked and tender, 6-8 hours. Discard Bay leaves.
- 5. Remove beef to a plate and let rest.
- 6. In a bowl, whisk flour with 1/3 cup water. Add meat juices from crock pot and add with flour and water mixture to a pan. Cover and cook on medium high until simmering for about 20 minutes, whisking occasionally, until sauce thickens to your desired consistency. Add parsley. Taste and add sugar if needed.
- 7. Slice or shred beef and serve over rice, noodles or potatoes!

