CHANGING FROM OLD TO NEW!

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ENJOY LOW FAT COOKING METHODS:

- 1. Bake, barbecue, boil, broil, poach or roast instead of frying.
- 2. Start with lean cuts of meat and trim the fat off carefully.
- 3. Remove the skin from poultry **before** cooking.
- 4. To brown meat, turn down the heat and cover the pot instead of adding oil. The juice from the meat will do the "browning".
- 5. When a recipe calls for vegetables sauteed in oil, try using water, wine, stock or broth.
- 6. Baste with wine, tomato juice or lemon juice instead of butter or meat drippings.
- 7. Use more herbs and spices, onion, garlic, lemon juice, vinegar or table wine in cooking. This will also help cut down on salt.
- 8. When cooking stews, soups, gravies or other dishes which contain fat in a liquid base, prepare it a day ahead of time and refrigerate. The hardened fat is easily spooned off the top before reheating. This also works for canned soup or broth.