How To Cook The Perfect Steak

Hands-on 15 minutes Overall 45 minutes

Nutritional values (per serving): Total carbs: 0 g, Fiber: 0 g, Net carbs: 0 g, Protein: 41.2 g,

Fat: 38.5 g, Calories: 524 kcal,

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Ingredients (makes 4 servings)

2 large boneless strip or ribeye or filet mignon steaks, 1 1/2 - 1 3/4 inch / 4 - 4 1/2 cm thick (800 g/ 1.76 lb)

salt and pepper to taste (I like pink Himalayan salt)

1-2 tbsp ghee for frying

Optional: serve with <u>Gremolata</u> or your favourite steak sauce If your steak is thinner than 1 1/2 inch, do not use the reverse-searing method as it will overcook. Instead, use the <u>this simple pan-searing</u> method.

Instructions (Reverse-Seared Method)

- Preheat the oven to 135 °C/ 275 °F. Remove the steaks from the fridge. Pat the steaks dry using a paper towel. Cut each steak in half vertically to create four evenly sized steaks. Season the steaks with salt and pepper. Press the sides of the steaks in until uniform 1 1/2 inches (4 cm) thick.
- Place the steaks on a wire rack set in rimmed baking sheet lined with aluminium foil.
- Place in the oven. Cook for 20-25 minutes until meat registers 32-35 °C/ 90-95 °F (for rare to medium-rare) - I like mine rare - ...
- ... or 25-30 minutes until meat registers 38-40 °C/ 100-105 °F (for medium). If using filet mignon steaks, increase the cooking time by about 5 minutes.
- 5. Heat a <u>large skillet</u> greased with ghee over a high heat. Cook for 1 1/2 - 2 minutes on one side, lifting once halfway through cooking to redistribute fat underneath each steak. <u>Using tongs</u>, turn and cook until well browned on the second side for 2 - 2 1/2 minutes. *It is* essential to sear the steaks briefly in order to keep the meat directly under the crust from turning grey.
- Transfer all the steaks to a clean wire rack and reduce the heat under the pan to medium. Holding two steaks at a time together, return to the pan and sear on all sides until browned, for about 1 1/2 minutes.

- Repeat for the remaining two steaks. Transfer the steaks onto a wire rack, loosely cover with a foil and let them rest for about 10 minutes before serving.
- 8. Meanwhile, prepare your favourite steak sauce or try with

 Gremolata, Hollandaise, Ranch Dressing, Marinara Sauce or

 Keto Cheese Sauce. Serve with Creamy Keto Mash or Greek
 Salad!

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