Collard Greens W/Tomatoes and Garlic

- -1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
- -6 large garlic cloves, thinly sliced
- -1 medium onion, cut into 1/2-inch dice
- -1 jalapeño pepper, halved lengthwise
- -4 medium tomatoes, chopped
- -2 lbs collard greens, stems and leaves finely shredded
- -3 bay leaves
- -2 sprigs thyme
- -kosher salt & freshly ground black pepper

- 1. In a large saucepan, heat the olive oil over medium high heat; add the garlic, onions, and jalapeño and cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, about 3 minutes.
- 2. Stir in the tomatoes, collard greens, bay leaves, and thyme; cover, reduce heat to medium low, and cook, stirring occasionally, until collards are tender, about 20 minutes.
- 3. Remove the bay leaves, thyme sprigs, and jalapeño and discard; season with salt and pepper.
- 4. This dish can be prepared a day in advance and reheated

Nutritional Facts: 690 Calories, 46g Carbs, 57g Fat, 6g Protein, 64mg Sodium 19g Sugar