## Wild Rice and Onion Soup – Gibbs-California Wild Rice

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• **Yield:** 10 Servings

The combination of onions and wild rice will leave your taste buds wanting more. Wild rice's texture complements the onions perfectly.

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## **Ingredients**

- 4 1/2 lb onions sliced thin
- 1/3 cup butter
- 1/4 cup <u>sugar</u> optional
- 3 1/3 pints beef broth
- 3 1/3 cup California Wild Rice cooked
- 2 tbsp port wine
- 30 French baguette slices lightly toasted
- 2 2/3 cups grated Gruyere of Swiss cheese
- salt and pepper to taste

## **Instructions**

- 1. Sauté onions in butter over medium heat 15 minutes, stirring frequently. If desired, sprinkle with sugar. Caramelize approximately 45 minutes.
- 2. Season with salt and pepper. Add half of the broth; simmer uncovered 15 minutes.
- 3. Add remaining rice; simmer 5 minutes, remove from heat and stir in wine.
- 4. Top each serving with 3 bread slices; sprinkle with cheese. Run under grill to melt cheese. Serve immediately.
- Course: Soup