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Serves 6, 5 FSP per serving

Adapted from Damn Delicious.com

- 6 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 1 Tbsp Italian seasoning
- salt and pepper, to taste
- 5 Tbsp light butter, divided
- 3 cups baby spinach, roughly chopped
- 1 lb baby potatoes, halved and par boiled for about 7 minutes
- 2 Tbsp chopped fresh parsley, optional
- 4 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 Tbsp flour
- 1 cup fat free chicken broth, more as needed
- 1 tsp dried thyme
- 1/2 tsp dried basil
- 1/2 cup fat free half and half
- 1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan
- 1. Preheat oven to 400. Spray a 9X13 baking dish with non stick spray.
- Season chicken with Italian seasoning and salt and pepper to taste.

- 3. Melt 1 Tbsp butter in a large skillet over medium high heat. Add chicken and sear both sides until golden brown about 2-3 minutes per side. Remove from pan
- 4. In the same pan, melt 1 more tablespoon of butter. Stir in spinach and cook, stirring occasionally, until it begins to wilt, about 2 minutes. Set aside
- 5. To make the garlic parmesan sauce, melt remaining 3 Tbsp butter in the skillet over medium heat. Add garlic an cook stirring frequently, until fragrant, about 1 minute. Whisk in flour until lightly browned, about 1 minute.
- 6. Gradually whisk in chicken broth, thyme and basil. Cook, whisking constantly, until incorporated, about 1-2 minutes. Stir in half and half and parmesan until slightly thickened, about 1-2 minutes. If the mixture is too thick, add more chicken broth as needed, season with salt and pepper to taste.
- 7. Place chicken in a single layer into the prepared baking dish. Top with potatoes, spinach and cream sauce. Cover with foil.
- 8. Place into oven and roast until completely cook through, reaching an internal temperature of 165 degrees, about 25-30 minutes. Check potatoes with a thin blade knife for doneness.
- 9. Serve immediately, garnished with parsley if desired