

Thanksgiving Side Dishes and Styling Tips from:





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HOW TO MAKE IT

I. Peel and boil a sweet potato (or several) for about 25 minutes—or until tender.

2. Mash or puree with the butter and dash of salt and pepper.

3. Transfer the mash to a serving dish. Place the lightning stencil from *The Official DC Super Hero Cookbook* on top and sprinkle some cinnamon over it for a cool design. If you do not have the book, make your own stencil using wax paper.

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FIRESTORM'S ROASTED CORN SALAD

Naturally, Firestorm likes his corn flame-roasted. You can roast yours on the stove top.



INGREDIENTS

- * 12- to 14-ounce bag of frozen corn
- #1 tablespoon butter
- * ¹/₂ cup red pepper, diced
- ***** Salt and pepper
- * 1 yellow pepper, cut into triangles
- * 1 orange pepper, cut into triangles

HOW TO MAKE IT

I. Cook the frozen corn according to package directions. Be careful not to overcook the corn.

2. Drain the cooked corn, then sauté in a pan of melted butter until some of the kernels turn golden brown.

3. Toss with diced red pepper, salt, and pepper.

4. Place in a serving bowl. Spice up the presentation with the triangle pepper shapes.

SERVES 4



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Mix up whatever fresh greens you have available: lettuce, green pepper, cucumbers. Toss with your favorite dressing—and be sure to cut some veggie strips into the shape of the Green Lantern Power Battery.

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ADD A SPLASH OF COLOR

Buy napkins and plastic cutlery in primary colors to match your favorite characters. Use the cutouts from *The Official DC Super Hero Cookbook*, or draw your own symbols.





SHARE LEFTOVERS WITH STYLE

The Official DC Super Hero Cookbook comes with cutouts and stencils, but you can also create your own.

COLORFUL CHIPS

Add some super hero primary colors to your chips.

- * Parsley flakes for green
 - * Paprika for red
- Or sprinkle a few drops of food dye in a paper bag filled with chips and shake to color them.





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KRYPTONITE KRUNCH

Mix granola, pistachio nuts, and green candycoated chocolates (about 1 cup of granola to ¼ cup each of candy and pistachios) for a sweet and salty snack mix.



WONDER WOMAN CRUDITÉ

A Golden Lasso (or any gold cord) comes in handy for tying up pretty bundles of vegetables. Add a bowl of ranch dressing, and you've got a quick and healthy appetizer or side dish.



BATARANG CRACKER

Ham, cheese, and crackers make the perfect nibble. They're even better when the toppings have been cut into bat-symbol shapes.



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