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GAZPACHO WITH BLEMISHED VEGETABLES, BY CHEF JAGGER SEAN GORDON

You can watch chef Jagger Sean Gordon demonstrate the recipe on THEGREENLINE.TO.

To make this recipe, you can use any leftover vegetables in your fridge. Chef Gordon

INGREDIENTS:

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	☐ 1 kg ripe Roma or cherry tomatoes, ha	alved and c	ored		
	☐ 1 small cucumber, peeled				
	☐ 1 medium green bell pepper, cored				
	☐ 1/2 small red onion, peeled				
	☐ 2 small garlic cloves, peeled				
	☐ 3 tbsp olive oil				
	☐ 2 tbsp vinegar				
	☐ 1 tsp salt				
	☐ 1/2 tsp black pepper				
	☐ 1/2 tsp ground cumin				
	☐ chives for garnish				
	☐ Optional garnishes: Homemade crout	ons, chopp	ed fresh h	erbs, a drizzle	of olive oil,

INSTRUCTIONS:

Step 1: Blend the ingredients

or any leftover chopped ingredients

Look in your fridge and collect any blemished vegetables you need to use, or use the vegetables listed above.

Roughly chop the ingredients so it's easier to blend them together.

Combine everything in a blender or food processor.

Puree for one minute, or until the soup reaches your desired consistency.

Step 2: Season

Chef Gordon recommends including essential ingredients to enhance flavour, such as garlic, salt, pepper, cumin, vinegar, olive oil. You can also include pumpkin seeds, spices tajin, or different sauces like Worcestershire.

Remember to taste along the way and adjust seasonings accordingly.

Step 3: Chill

Refrigerate in a sealed container for three to four hours, or until completely chilled.

Step 4: Serve

Serve cold, topped with your desired garnishes. This could include fresh herbs or left over vegetables, as well as nuts and seeds.