## Mediterranean Baked Okra (Total Time: 1 1/2 hours)

## **Nutrition Information Per Serving:**

Calories:145, Protein: 3g, Fat: 9g, Carbohydrate:14g, Saturated Fat: 1g, Fiber: 5g,

Cholesterol: 0mg, Sodium: 42mg

## **Ingredients**

- 1 pound fresh okra
- 1/2 cup red wine vinegar
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1 red bell pepper cut in thin strips
- 1 green bell pepper cut in thin strips
- 2 white onions, chopped finely
- 3 tomatoes sliced in rounds
- 1/2 bunch flat leaf parsley, finely chopped
- 1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes

## **Directions**

- 1. Preheat oven to 375°F.
- 2. Wash okra and dry well.
- 3. Trim off the end of the stems, being careful not to cut into the pod.
- 4. Put okra in a large, flat dish and sprinkle with vinegar. Make sure all sides are coated well.
- 5. Allow to marinate at least 30 minutes. Rinse okra well in cold water and drain.
- 6. Meanwhile, heat 2 tablespoons olive oil in a skillet and cook onions until golden brown.
- 7. Place okra pods in rows in a baking dish and sprinkle with onions.
- 8. Put tomato slices on okra and then crisscross pepper strips on tomatoes.
- 9. Scatter the parsley over and season with plenty of black pepper and pepper flakes.
- 10. Drizzle rest of olive oil evenly over vegetables and add water.
- 11. Bake at 375°F for almost an hour.
- 12. Allow to cool and serve barely warm.

