

Winter Solstice Gin Mar-tea-ni Cocktail Recipe

Winter Solstice-Infused Gin

Ingredients

1 tea pouch (or 1 heaping teaspoon, loose) Winter Solstice tea

1 cup gin

Directions

Infuse tea in 1 cup (8 oz) of your favorite gin for 3 hours at room temperature. Remove the tea pouch (or strain the tea), and store the tea-infused gin in a clean, clearly labeled mason jar.

Candied Cranberries

Ingredients

1 cup fresh cranberries

½ cup sugar

Juice from a medium orange

Directions

Heat cranberries in a small saucepan with ½ cup sugar and juice from 1 medium sized orange. Bring just to a simmer and shut off the heat. Pour into a mason jar and allow to cool before storing in the refrigerator. Keeps up to 1 week.

Making the Cocktail

Ingredients

10 ml dry vermouth

50 ml Winter Solstice-infused gin

Ice

Citrus peel

Candied cranberries

Directions

Rinse a chilled martini glass with the dry vermouth. Add the infused gin to a shaker with ice, stir to chill, and then strain into the martini glass. Top with a garnish of citrus peel and candied cranberries. Enjoy responsibly.