Extra-Crispy Fried Chicken Tenders

Seasoned Flour Ingredients

- 3 cups All-Purpose Flour
- 1 1/2 teaspoons Black Pepper
- 1 1/2 teaspoon Paprika
- 1 teaspoon Chili Powder
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic Powder

Batter Ingredients

- 1 1/3 cups All-Purpose Flour
- 1 teaspoon Salt
- 1/4 teaspoon Black Pepper
- 1 1/2 cups Water
- 2 large Egg Yolks

Steps (<u>Video</u>)

- 1. Pour about four inches of vegetable oil in large pan.
- 2. Place pan with oil on medium heat.
- 3. Place all ingredients for seasoned flour in bowl and mix well.
- 4. Put about 1/3 of the seasoned flour in another bowl (this is for the initial coating).
- 5. In a separate bowl mix the flour, salt, and pepper for the batter.

- 6. In a separate bowl whisk the water and egg yolks for the batter.
- 7. Add the water and egg mixture to the dry ingredients for the batter.
- 8. Mix until well combined.
- 9. Slice the chicken tenders into thinner strips.
- 10. Coat the chicken strips with the seasoned flour.
- 11. One at a time, coat the strips with batter then immediately dredge again in seasoned flour.
- 12. Fry the chicken strips in 365 F oil for 7-8 minutes or until deep golden brown (loner cooking time for larger pieces of chicken).
- 13. Remove from oil and drain excess oil on paper towels.
- 14. Transfer to wire rack to finish cooling.
- 15. Best served warm.
- 16. Hear that crunch!