

## Crispy Coconut Chicken with Bang Bang Sauce

## Ingredients:

- 1 lb (450g) boneless chicken breasts
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 large eggs
- 1 cup shredded coconut
- 1 cup panko breadcrumbs
- 1 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp black pepper
- 1/2 tsp garlic powder
- 1/2 tsp paprika
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil (for frying)

## For the Bang Bang Sauce:

- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 2 tbsp sweet chili sauce
- 1 tbsp sriracha (adjust to taste)
- 1 tsp lime juice

## **Directions:**

- 1. Preheat your oven to 200°F (95°C) to keep the chicken warm after frying.
- 2. Cut the chicken breasts into strips or bite-sized pieces.
- 3. In a shallow bowl, mix the flour, salt, pepper, garlic powder, and paprika.
- 4. In another bowl, beat the eggs.
- 5. In a third bowl, combine the shredded coconut and panko breadcrumbs.
- 6. Dip each piece of chicken first into the flour mixture, then into the beaten eggs, and finally coat it well with the coconut and panko mix.
- 7. Heat the vegetable oil in a large skillet over medium heat.
- 8. Fry the chicken pieces in batches for about 4-5 minutes on each side or until golden brown and crispy.
- 9. Once cooked, transfer the chicken to a baking sheet and keep it warm in the oven.
- 10. In a small bowl, mix together the mayonnaise, sweet chili sauce, sriracha, and lime juice to make the Bang Sauce.
- 11. Serve the crispy coconut chicken hot with the Bang Sauce on the side for dipping. Enjoy your delicious Crispy Coconut Chicken with Bang Bang Sauce!