Raw Vegan Dehydrated Tomato Pesto Vegetable Leaf Chips



- 8 firmly packed cups of vegetable leaves

 curly kale, spinach, chard, collard
 greens, beet leaves, sorrell, arugula, or
 cabbage (dehydrate longer)
- 1 cup raw cashews or walnuts soaked in filtered water for 2 4 hours
- ¼ cup nutritional yeast
- 2 cups sun dried tomatoes or 4 tomatoes
- 1 red bell pepper seeded & chopped or dried peppers
- 1 large jalapeno or 1 tsp cayenne pepper
- 1 ½ Cups cilantro

- 1 stalk of celery
- 1 carrot
- 1/4 cup cold pressed extra virgin olive oil or coconut oil
- 2 Tbsp minced fresh garlic
- 2 tsp Italian seasoning (equal parts of basil, marjoram, oregano, rosemary, thyme)
- 2 tsp fresh lemon juice
- ½ C sour kraut (optional)
- 1 1/2 tsp Celtic sea salt
- 1. Wash vegetable leaves and place in a colander to drain. (May cut kale leaves off stalks and use stalks for juicing or feeding to animals, or may cut stalk down center and dehydrate longer.)
- 2. Blend all the ingredients except leaves in your food processor until smooth, thick and creamy. You want something like the consistency of hummus.
- 3. Tweak flavour. You might want some more salt or lemon juice to get your blend right.
- 4. Brush blended mixture onto one side of the kale or vegetable leaves.
- 5. Place the kale or vegetable leafs evenly on dehydrator sheets and dehydrate at 115 degrees for about 8 hours until crisp or longer for thick vegetables like cabbae. Temperatures over 118°F will destroy enzymes.
- 6. Devour.....and TRY stopping at one! These kale chips are morish.....yes.....I want more!

Raw Vegan Garlic Kale Chips



- 1 large bunch of curly green kale–about 8 firmly packed cups
- 1 cup raw cashews soaked in filtered water for 2-4 hours
- 1/8 cup filtered water as needed for desired consistency
- 3 Tbsp freshly squeezed lemon juice
- 1/4 cup nutritional yeast to taste
- 1 whole bulb of garlic (about 8-10 cloves) chopped roughly
- 1 tsp Celtic sea salt
- 1 Tbsp agave nectar (optional)
- 4 teaspoons granulated garlic
- 1. Rip the kale from off the stalks (discard the stalks), wash and place in a colander to drain. You want a little bit of water left on the kale.
- 2. Transfer to a large bowl.
- 3. Place all the ingredients except the granulated garlic in a food processor until smooth, thick and creamy. You want something like the consistency of hummus. You might need to add a little bit more water.
- 4. Take small handfuls of the cashew cheese and massage into the kale. I use kitchen gloves for this. Repeat this until all of the mixture has been added and the kale is evenly coated with no large clumps of "cheese".
- 5. Toss through the granulated garlic so that it is evenly distributed.
- 6. Place the kale evenly on dehydrator sheets and dehydrate at 115 degrees for about 8 hours until crisp.