

Hot Mulled Merlot Tea



Amount	Unit	Ingredient
3	cup	Strong brewed tea
3/4	cup	Sugar
1		Orange - peel and juice
2		Sticks cinnamon, and more for garnish
1 1/4	tsp	Nutmeg
5		Cloves
2		Star anise
4		Cardamom pods
1	bottle	Old York Cellars Merlot

Bring the tea to a simmer in a medium pot.

Add orange peel and juice, cinnamon, cloves, star anise, and cardamom.

Simmer gently until the sugar is dissolved and the orange rind has taken on the color of the wine, about 5 to 10 minutes.

Add the [Old York Cellars Merlot](#) wine and bring the mixture to a simmer.

Ladle the Mulled Merlot Wine Tea into mugs and add a cinnamon stick to each for a stirrer.

Serve & Enjoy!