

INDIA

STARTER

SWEET PEA & POTATO SAMOSAS MANGO CHUTNEY

FOR THE PAST EIGHT CENTURIES, THE SAMOSA HAS HELD IMMENSE POPULARITY IN SOUTH ASIAN CUISINE. IT IS BELIEVED HISTORICALLY, IN CENTRAL ASIAN COMMUNITIES, SAMOSAS WERE FAVORED FOR THEIR CONVENIENCE, PARTICULARLY DURING TRAVEL, LEADING PEOPLE TO BOTH PREPARE AND RELISH THESE SAVORY DELIGHTS.

ENTREE

CHICKEN TIKKA MASALA

SAFFRON RICE, CUMIN SCENTED RAINBOW CARROTS AND POTATOES, CREAMY CURRY SAUCE

CHICKEN TIKKA MASALA IS A MODERN INVENTION (C. 1950'S), ITS HUMBLE ORIGINS DATE BACK ROUGHLY 5,000 YEARS TO THE TANDOOR OVEN IN INDIAN CULTURE. TANDOOR IS SAID TO COME FROM VARIOUS ANCIENT LANGUAGES SUCH AS PERSIAN, BABYLONIAN AND SANSKRIT.

SIDE

GUFERATI

SAUTÉED GREEN BEANS, ROASTED GARLIC & MUSTARD SEEDS

INDIA IS A VERY SPIRITUAL COUNTRY. IT HAS NO OFFICIAL RELIGION, BUT MORE THAN 80 PERCENT OF INDIANS ARE HINDU. ABOUT 13 PERCENT ARE MUSLIM. OTHER RELIGIONS INCLUDE BUDDHISM, SIKHISM, AND JAINISM, WHICH ALL BEGAN IN INDIA.

DESSERT

BOONDI LADDU

PISTACHIO ICE CREAM, CARAMEL DRIZZLE

INDIA IS A COUNTRY THAT OCCUPIES THE GREATER PART OF SOUTH ASIA. INDIA IS MADE UP OF 28 STATES AND EIGHT UNION TERRITORIES, AND ITS NATIONAL CAPITAL IS NEW DELHI, BUILT IN THE 20TH CENTURY JUST SOUTH OF THE HISTORIC HUB OF OLD DELHI TO SERVE AS INDIA'S ADMINISTRATIVE CENTER. ITS GOVERNMENT IS A CONSTITUTIONAL REPUBLIC THAT REPRESENTS A HIGHLY DIVERSE POPULATION CONSISTING OF THOUSANDS OF ETHNIC GROUPS AND HUNDREDS OF LANGUAGES. INDIA BECAME THE WORLD'S MOST POPULOUS COUNTRY IN 2023, ACCORDING TO ESTIMATES BY THE UNITED NATIONS.