

EPISODE 56: COFFEE, TEA & FASTING

The Fasting Podcast WOW (Wellness & Optimal Weight)





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The Fasting Angle



- If you choose to drink black unsweet coffee or even add a little organic healthy fat (e.g. MCT oil or ghee – "butter coffee"), it won't break a fast
- The black coffee & herbal tea can provide variety & warmth during the water only portion of the fast & may enhance weight loss
- If you need a sweetener, a little bit of pure liquid stevia will not stop the fast
- If you need a creamer, a little bit of organic heavy (e.g. almond or coconut) cream will not stop the fast (chemical based creamers have toxins & often aluminum)
- Given possible benefits & drawbacks, I suggest organic & moderation



Coffee Potential Benefits



- Liver health & circulation
- Antioxidant support
- Brain function & blood flow to brain
- Enhancing workouts
- Blood sugar
- Heart health
- Healthy cells vs abnormal cells
- Weight loss via fat burning metabolism



Coffee Potential Drawbacks



- Addiction
- Can stress the adrenal glands
- Mood altering & anxiety
- Digestive issues (nausea, diarrhea, vomiting, worsening reflux...)
- Creamers & sweeteners can deter weight loss
- Headaches
- Trouble sleeping
- Cautions for kids & pregnant/nursing

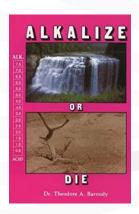
Many Fasters Choose Organic Herbal Teas. If You're Choosing Coffee:



- Consider organic instead of chemical based or fiber rich chicory root
- Consider 1, 2 or 3 cups instead of more is the lack of energy the real reason to drink more? (episode 54 Low Energy Level & Fasting)
- Try going without sweetener & cream may get used to it quickly
- Try the 2 kinds of weight loss organic coffee that includes the mitochondria nutrients (episodes 37-38) – my family member likes the light one and has never liked an organic coffee before – see mitochondria nutrients on our website at the end
- Consider water as 1st thing of morning research director of glycemic institute says 1st thing regular coffee signals let's store fat today, plus the body needs hydration from a night's sleep



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- Because of the acidic nature of most coffees, suggest keeping away from meals so they don't interfere with digestion
- The mitochondria nutrients also have a water catalyst that can be added which may neutralize the acidity of any coffee, while producing oxygen – both conducive to good fasting results – can be used in ANY liquid you & your pets consume
- If you feel you are addicted & have tried tapering off, consider the WOW drops
- Consider organic green tea with EGCG fasting benefits
- Key is natural & organic when possible and moderation, but totally enjoy!





Possible Next Steps

Watch related episodes mentioned, refer others & check out our website that includes the slides for each episode: www.JPWOWPrograms.com

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