

Jennifer's Hot Chicken Salad

A comfort dish from *The Tonto Two-Step*

A Note from Jennifer

This is the dish I make when someone I know is going through a hard season.

I've taken it to friends recovering from surgery, to new parents finding their footing, and to kitchens that feel a little too quiet after a loss. It isn't fancy, and it isn't meant to impress - it's meant to say, *you're not alone*.

If this story reminded you of someone you love, or of a time you needed comfort yourself, then perhaps my recipe will find its way to the right table - again.

—Jennifer

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Servings: 6 servings. Double or triple it as needed.

Ingredients:

2 cans of chicken (Costco's Kirkland brand is great!)

½ C sliced celery

½ C slivered almonds

¼ C chopped onion

½ C mayonnaise

¼ C grated mild cheddar cheese

¼ C crushed potato chips

Squeeze of lemon juice

Salt and pepper to taste

Preparation:

Drain the chicken, place in a medium mixing bowl, and separate into chunks, using a fork. Add the remaining ingredients, except for the cheese and the potato chips, and mix with the fork, blending only as needed. Spread the mixture into a lightly greased casserole dish, and sprinkle the cheese, then the chips, on top.

Store in the refrigerator until ready to cook or deliver to a friend.

Cooking instructions:

Heat in a 325-degree oven until bubbly – cheese is melted, and potato chips are lightly browned.

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—Sherry Kenney