Parmesan Cheesy Grits

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From Aaron McCargo, Jr. on the Food Network. I served it under Picadillo.

2 tablespoons butter

1/2 whole onion, diced

1 tablespoon garlic, minced

1 1/2 cups milk

1/2 cup heavy cream

1/2 cup grits (preferably stone ground white)

1/2 cup Parmesan cheese, grated

1 lemon, juiced

1 tablespoon kosher salt

1 teaspoon black pepper

3 tablespoons chopped chives

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Servings: 4

- 1. In a heavy-bottomed large saucepan over medium-high heat, add the butter. Add onion and garlic and cook until softened, about 1 to 2 minutes. Stir in the milk and cream and bring to a boil. Whisk in the grits, then lower the heat and simmer, stirring frequently, until thick and tender, about 35 to 40 minutes.
- 2. Add the Parmesan, lemon juice, salt, pepper and chives. Stir well. Keep warm until ready to use.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 341 Calories; 23g Fat (59.8% calories from fat); 10g Protein; 25g Carbohydrate; 1g Dietary Fiber; 77mg Cholesterol; 1712mg Sodium. Exchanges: 1 Grain(Starch); 1/2 Lean Meat; 1/2 Vegetable; 0 Fruit; 1/2 Non-Fat Milk; 4 Fat.