

Recipe from: Cucina Amore

Nick Stillino's *Glorious Italian Cooking*

2 cans cannellini beans or garbanzo beans

3 garlic cloves

4 tablespoons lemon juice

2 tablespoons olive oil

½ teaspoon salt

½ teaspoon pepper

Food process or blend until smooth. Good on bread or crackers or celery with olives. For an herbal spread, add cumin or curry or other fresh herbs. Enjoy as a dip or with crisp vegetables.