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(Serves two as a main dish, or four as a side dish)

INGREDIENTS

Quinoa rotelli (by Ancient Harvest) 8 oz. package

1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil

1 clove garlic

1/3 cup minced parsley

2 cups fresh arugula leaves

16 cherry tomatoes, halved or quartered

16 cracked green olives, pitted and halved or quartered

16 Kalamata olives, pitted and halved or quartered

1/2 fresh lemon

1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese

Salt and pepper to taste

DIRECTIONS

Prepare olives, tomatoes, parsley and Parmesan ahead of time. When you're ready to eat, cook pasta according to directions. We like it slightly all dente. Toss cooked, drained pasta with olive oil and pressed garlic. Then toss in remaining vegetables (arugula, parsley, tomatoes and both kinds of olives), and squeeze lemon juice over all. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Garnish with Parmesan and serve with crusty French or Italian bread. Simple and delicious!

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