

## Orange Tea Punch



### *Ingredients*

6 cups water

3/4 cup sugar

2 cinnamon sticks

8 whole cloves

5 bags of your favorite black tea

1-1/2 cups orange juice at room temperature

Orange slices and fresh mint for garnish

### *Directions*

Bring first 4 ingredients to a boil in large saucepan, stirring until sugar dissolves. Boil for about 5 to 6 more minutes. Remove pan from heat, add teabags and cover to let steep for 10 minutes.

Discard teabags. Add orange juice to the mixture. If preferred, reheat the punch on medium until desired temperature is reached. Serve hot, garnished with orange slices and fresh mint.

To add a bit of Florida to your tablescape, find a vase and fill it with some water and orange slices. Tie a beautiful satin ribbon around the vase and insert Mom's favorite flowers.

A simple orange rose at Mom's place setting is a perfect gift!