STUFFED PEPPER SOUP

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- □ 2 lbs lean ground beef chopped and cooked
- □ 1 cup chopped onion
- □ 4 chopped peppers Red, orange, green or yellow all work
- □ 2 15 oz cans tomato sauce
- □ 4 14.5 oz cans diced tomatoes roasted garlic and onion flavored works well
- □ 2 14.5 oz cans low sodium beef broth
- □ 1 or 2 cups cooked rice depending on preference
- □ 1 tablespoon minced garlic
- □ 2 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- □ ¼ teaspoon fresh ground pepper
- Shredded Parmesan cheese (optional)

Sauté onions slightly in olive oil.

Add peppers, garlic, Worcestershire sauce, diced tomatoes, tomato sauce, beef broth and black pepper.

Cook on low until peppers are soft and mixture boils down, covering occasionally.

Mix in cooked ground beef and simmer another 10 - 15 minutes.

Stir in cooked rice before serving and heat through.

Top with shredded Parmesan cheese when serving.