Mucver

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There are more than 4,000 years in Turkish history, but since this is a short history, I will cover only part of it. The Turkish people first lived in Central Asia, then moved around throughout Asia and Europe. They established many empires. Later they named themselves the Ottoman Empire (1299-1923), and established a country that covered three continents but fell apart at the end of World War I. Their capital, Constantinople, was captured by them and signified the end of the Middle Ages. In the New Age and the Renaissance, they fell behind the European countries in economic and military strength. They had the Turkish Liberation War in 1919-1922, and established its independence. Now, Turkey is a Republic. More recently however, for the last decade, Erdowan has ruled Turkey and completely demolished its economic strength and arrested hundreds of people he didn't like in jail. In the last year, one thing he did was try to establish a sort of war with Iraq which failed. They are in deep debt with multiple countries, and no one wants to invest in them.

Mucver's history dates back to the Ottoman empire, where it was primarily known and eaten as a snack with olives.

Ingredients:

2 pounds zucchini
1/4 pound Feta cheese
1/8 pound yellow cheese, shredded
2 tablespoons dill, chopped
couple of parsley sprigs
3 eggs

3 tablespoons flour 1 teaspoon red pepper flakes ½ teaspoon black pepper 2 cloves garlic, chopped 1 handful of scallions, chopped

Instructions:

Peel and shred the zucchini. Mix together zucchini and dill. Add eggs.

Mix in Feta cheese and yellow cheese. Mix in flour. Mix in red pepper flakes and black pepper.

Mix in scallions and garlic. Form into small balls and slightly flatten.

Fry in cooking oil until golden brown in color.