Sake Cocktail



Ingredients:

Use large Pitcher or like container
20 stalks of Lemongrass
3 pieces of fresh Ginger
¾ cup Sugar
3 cups vodka
12 cups premium Sake
4½ cups freshly squeezed pink or red Grapefruit juice
1½ cup freshly squeezed Meyer Lemon juice

Directions:

Trim bottom end and woody top half of each lemongrass stalk, reserving tops to use as garnish.

Roughly chop remaining segments and add to a mini food processor.

Roughly chop ginger (no need to peel) and add to food processor along with sugar.

Pulse until ingredients are very finely chopped.

Transfer lemongrass mixture to a large pitcher or bowl.

Pour in the vodka and stir.

Let sit for at least 15 minutes at room temperature.

Strain vodka into a pitcher through a fine-mesh sieve, pressing down a bit to extract flavor from the solids.

Pour in sake, grapefruit juice, and Meyer lemon juice and give it a stir.

Add two cups of ice.

To serve, pour into glasses filled partway with ice.

To garnish, trim woody bits from tops of reserved lemongrass stalks and slice to form a fanlike shape.