## **Curried Pumpkin-Apple Soup- Maple Syrup Cookbook (Ken Haedrich)**

## A Tbsp butter 1 C chopped onion 1 sm tart apple, peeled, cored, and coarsely chopped 2 cloves crushed garlic 1 tsp curry powder ½ tsp salt ¼ tsp ground coriander 1/8 tsp red pepper flakes 2 C chicken broth 1 C apple cider 2 C pumpkin puree 1 C half & half ¼ C Pure Maple Syrup

## Directions:

- Melt butter in a saucepan over medium-high heat. Add onion, apple, and garlic. Sauté until soft. Add curry powder, salt, coriander, and red pepper. Cook until fragrant, about 1 minute.
- Add broth and cider, boil gently, uncovered, for 15-20 minutes. Stir in pumpkin, cream, and maple syrup. Cook for another 5 minutes.
- In a blender, puree the soup in three or four batches. DO NOT fill blender more than one-third full to prevent the lid from blowing off. Return to pot and cook over low heat for 5 minutes. Serve hot

## Serves 4