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A Free Community Event Celebrating the Environment



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### Is spring cleaning a tradition?

## A Tradition of Renewal

With roots that trail through neurochemistry, religion, spirituality, and healthy living, spring cleaning is a popular practice that, given its prevalence, could even be considered a global rite.

#### What is the history behind spring cleaning ?

In Persian culture, spring cleaning traces back 3,000 years ago to a spring tradition called Khaneh tekani. This translates to "shaking the house." It was believed that sweeping up dust and removing clutter from one's home would prevent ill-fortune in the upcoming year .

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Be like the flower, turn your faces to the sun. Kahlil Gibran	

### BLACK BEAN QUESADILLA

**Ingredient Checklist:** 

- (1)One can black beans, rinsed
- (2)1/2 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese, preferably pepper Jack
- (3)1/2 cup of prepared of salsa divided
- (4)Four 8-inch whole-wheat tortillas
- (5)Two teaspoons canola oil divided
- (6)One avocado diced

Step 1:Combine beans, cheese and 1/4 cup salsa in a medium bowl. Place tortillas on a work surface. Spread 1/2 cup filling on half of each tortilla. Fold tortillas in half. pressing gently to flatten.

Step 2: Heat 1 teaspoon oil in a large nonstick skillet over medium heat. Add 1 quesadilla and cook, turning once, until golden on both sides, 2 to 4 minutes total. Transfer to a cutting board and tent with foil to keep warm. Repeat with the

remaining 1 teaspoon oil and guesadilla. Serve the guesadillas with avocado and the remaining salsa.

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When we first met, we were both homeless and struggling with addiction. Our addiction lasted 7 and 10 years. In 2019, around Christmas time, we decided to start getting clean. Between now and then, we've completed probation successfully and also completed the GED program. In the summer of 2022 we were given the opportunity to live at Many Mansions, which made getting on our feet so much easier. I am able to work and come home every day to a comfortable home. Our kids come and visit whenever they want and have their own rooms to sleep in. Without the help of Many Mansions we would not be where we are at today. We started at the bottom and now we are here

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