Sri Lankan Chicken Kottu Recipe

Ingredients:

- For the Kottu:
- 3 cups chopped godhamba roti (or paratha)
- 1 cup cooked and shredded chicken
- 1 medium onion, sliced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1-inch piece ginger, minced
- 1 medium carrot, julienned
- ½ cup cabbage, shredded
- ½ cup leeks, sliced
- 2 green chilies, sliced
- 1 medium tomato, chopped
- 1 teaspoon curry powder
- ½ teaspoon turmeric powder
- ½ teaspoon chili flakes (optional)
- ½ teaspoon salt (or to taste)
- ½ teaspoon black pepper
- 1 egg (optional)
- 2 tablespoons coconut oil or vegetable oil
- For the Kottu Gravy (Optional):
- 1 cup chicken curry sauce (or chicken stock)
- ½ teaspoon garam masala
- ½ teaspoon cumin powder
- 1/2 teaspoon coriander powder
- ½ teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- 1. Prepare the Chicken and Roti: Cook and shred the chicken if not already prepared. Chop the godhamba roti or paratha into small strips.
- 2. Make the Kottu Base: Heat oil in a large wok or pan over medium heat. Sauté the onions, garlic, and ginger until fragrant. Add green chilies, tomatoes, and all the vegetables. Stir-fry for 2-3 minutes.
- 3. Add Spices and Chicken: Add curry powder, turmeric, black pepper, salt, and chili flakes. Stir well, then add the shredded chicken and mix thoroughly.

- 4. Cook the Egg (Optional): Push everything to one side of the pan and crack the egg into the empty space. Scramble the egg and mix it with the rest of the ingredients.
- 5. Add the Roti and Gravy: Add the chopped roti and mix well. Pour in the chicken curry sauce or stock for extra flavor. Stir-fry everything together for a few minutes until well combined.
- 6. Serve Hot: Garnish with extra black pepper or a squeeze of lime. Serve hot with a side of curry or yogurt.