

Hubbard Squash

Is NOT the same as

Butternut Squash

Why is the world would anyone think they were the same? Well for some misguided reason I thought the two names were used interchangeably for what I now know to be ONLY as Butternut, thanks to my Parade Magazine. I swear I though I heard my grandmother call butternut Hubbard. I now know, I was mistaken.



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In order to make amends I went searching for a photo of a Hubbard and found this, what I think to be, gorgeous Blue Hubbard on the [Cherry Gal Seeds](#) site.

I think you'll find her site not only to be most informative but also a delight to brows, get an education and dream of beautiful food growing in your own garden. Interesting, her insight to the "hive-kill" for bees. Maybe there is something we can do to help. Plus I love her *method* of "cutting" open a large hard squash.

Quite some time ago I decided "cutting" any size squash to be far too much work and began using an ice pick to simply poke holes for ventilation before baking. When I bake for dicing in salads, as above, I simply don't bake as long as I would for making soups. It's my *mystery* ingredient in **Mexican Soup** on page 9 in **Cooking with Judy** and in my **Apple Spinach** salad on page 44 in **Volume 6**.



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Roasted Butternut Squash Salad
on page 7 in **Cooking with Judy**.



Blue Hubbard

Joy is the holy fire that keeps our purpose warm and our intelligence aglow.

- Helen Keller

The more you recognize the immense good within you,
the more you magnetize immense good around you. ~ Alan Cohen

Almost everything will work again if you unplug it for a few minutes, including you.

- Anne Lamott