## POTSTICKER-STYLE CHICKEN MEATBALLS

(inspired by <u>Dinner: Changing the Game</u>)

1 pound ground chicken (white meat is fine) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup finely chopped fresh cilantro leaves 1 serrano chile, seeded and chopped 1 tablespoon finely chopped peeled fresh ginger zest of 1 lime juice of 1/2 lime juice 2 teaspoons soy sauce 1 teaspoon Asian fish sauce <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> teaspoon kosher salt 1/4 cup almond meal or almond flour for finishing sauce: 3 tablespoons rice vinegar 2 tablespoons soy sauce 1/2 tablespoon Sriracha or to taste 2 teaspoons sesame oil 1 teaspoon light brown sugar

Heat the oven to 425F.

In a large bowl, combine the ground chicken, cilantro, Serrano pepper, ginger, lime zest and juice, soy sauce, fish sauce, almond flour and salt. Roll the mixture into 1-inch balls.

Arrange the meatballs in a single layer over aluminum foil (I like to use non-stick foil). Bake until cooked through, around 20 minutes, turning them over mid-way through baking. As they bake, prepare the sauce by combining all ingredients.

After they are cooked, brush them lightly with the sauce and keep in the oven for a couple more minutes, then serve with your favorite side dish. They also work well as appetizers, with a side of napkins...