Seared Scallops & Walnut-Thyme Breadcrumbs

with Butternut Squash, Brussels Sprouts & Pear

WHY WE LOVE THIS DISH

For an elevated dish to celebrate the Thanksgiving season, we're making seared scallops with an aromatic fresh thyme and walnut breadcrumb topper—served alongside a roasted fall vegetable duo.

TECHNIQUE TO HIGHLIGHT

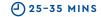
These delicate, tender sea scallops develop a crisp, golden brown exterior when seared in the pan—just be sure to thoroughly pat them dry, as excess moisture will prevent that delicious browning.





PREMIUM

2 SERVINGS





Serve a bottle of Blue Apron wine with this symbol: Crisp & Tropical.

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Ingredients



10 oz Sea Scallops



½ cup Panko Breadcrumbs



½ lb Brussels Sprouts



1/2 lb Diced Butternut Squash



1 oz Balsamic-Marinated Cipolline Onions



Pear



1 bunch Thyme



1 bunch Chives



1/4 cup Roasted Walnuts



1 oz Salted Butter



1 ½ Tbsps Spicy Maple Syrup



1 Tbsp Sherry Vinegar



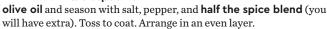
1 Tbsp Weeknight Hero Spice Blend¹



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1 Prepare & roast the vegetables

- Place an oven rack in the center of the oven; preheat to 450°F.
- Wash and dry the fresh produce.
- Cut off and discard the stem ends of the brussels sprouts; halve lengthwise.
- Place the squash and halved brussels sprouts on a sheet pan.
 Drizzle with 1 tablespoon of



• Roast 21 to 23 minutes, or until lightly browned and tender when pierced with a fork. Remove from the oven.

2 Prepare the remaining ingredients

- Meanwhile, roughly chop the walnuts.
- Pick the **thyme** leaves off the stems; roughly chop the leaves.
- Thinly slice the chives.
- Roughly chop the onions.
- Core and medium dice the pear.
- In a large bowl, combine the chopped onions, diced pear, spicy maple syrup, and vinegar.
 Season with salt and pepper. Set aside to marinate, stirring occasionally, at least 10 minutes. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.



3 Make the walnut-thyme breadcrumbs

- Meanwhile, in a medium pan (nonstick, if you have one), heat the butter on medium-high until melted.
- Add the **breadcrumbs** and **chopped walnuts**; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring frequently, 1 to 2 minutes, or until lightly browned.



- Turn off the heat; add the chopped thyme leaves. Stir to combine.
- Transfer to a bowl.
- Wipe out the pan.

4 Cook the scallops

- Pat the scallops dry with paper towels.
- Using your hands, remove and discard the tough side muscle from each scallop. Season with salt and pepper on both sides.
- In the same pan, heat
 2 teaspoons of olive oil
 on medium-high until hot.



- \bullet Add the seasoned scallops in an even layer. Cook 4 to 5 minutes, or until lightly browned. Flip and cook 1 to 2 minutes, or until lightly browned and cooked through.
- Turn off the heat.

5 Finish the vegetables & serve your dish

- Add the roasted vegetables to the bowl of marinated pear and onions. Toss to combine; taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.
- Serve the cooked scallops with the finished vegetables.
 Top the scallops with the walnut-thyme breadcrumbs.
 Garnish with the sliced chives.
 Enjoy!



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