

Simple Summer Dishes with Nina Safar (@kosherinthekitch) Follow Up August 12, 2021

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Nina's Tips & Tricks:

Lemon Tomato Salmon with Dill

- 1) You can use coconut or avocado as an alternative oil
- 2) You can add any of your favorite spices
- 3) Slice the tomatoes as thin as possible. It's much easier to cook and eat that way.
- 4) If cooking with induvial pieces of salmon, alternate between lemon and tomato when layering.
- 5) Fresh herbs are best for this recipe.
- 6) Serve it on a platter with fresh dill and lemon sauce.
- 7) If desired omit oil and rub spices directly on salmon.
- 8) You can use skinless salmon.
- 9) The salmon can be served cold, warm or room temperature.
- 10) Nina always uses fillet salmon. However, she doesn't have a preference for what type as long as it's boneless.

Mediterranean Couscous Salad

- 1) If you are using this dish as a meal, you can add grilled chicken, tofu, feta, or tuna.
- 2) Nina loves using the Near East couscous for time saving purposes!
- 3) Nina uses canned chickpeas.
- 4) You can swap out couscous for any grain. For example, brown rice, barley, quinoa or farro.
- 5) You can add pine nuts or slivered almonds as well.

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- 6) Serve in a large shallow dish to get the full layered presentation.
- 7) Nina likes using the <u>Mighty Sesame Company Tahini</u>. It comes in an easy squeeze bottle for time saving purposed!

No Bake Dairy Free Key Lime Cheesecake Bars

- 1) If you're using a 9x13 pan, double the recipe and make sure to use 2 ½ cups of dates and 2 ½ cups of pecans.
- Keep the can of coconut milk in fridge overnight and the liquid should harden on top overnight – scoop it out for the recipe. That is the coconut cream Nina refers to in the recipe. It is the same as coconut milk.
- 3) Nina prefers the <u>Roland brand</u> of coconut milk.
- 4) The dish needs at least a couple of hours in the freezer before ready to serve.
- 5) You can serve by cutting pieces into squares and serve with a dollop of coconut whip cream.
- 6) You can also shave some lime zest on top.
- 7) You can also drizzle sugar free/ dairy free dark chocolate (melted with added coconut oil), with raspberry and crushed pecan.
- 8) Keep it in freezer until right before serving (it melts quickly).
- 9) You can use walnuts instead of pecans.

