## PAN-SEARED SCALLOPS WITH TOMATO SALAD

- 1 cup Ken's® Balsamic Vinaigrette, divided
- 2 Shallots, finely chopped
- 2 cloves Garlic, minced
- 1 tsp ea Kosher salt and freshly ground black pepper
- 3 cups Mixed small tomatoes such as red and yellow grape or cherry, halved
- 2 Tbsp Capers
- 1/4 cup Chopped basil
- 2 Tbsp Chopped chives
- 2 Tbsp Chopped dill
- 2 Tbsp Vegetable oil
- 12 large Sea scallops, side muscle removed

- 1. Whisk 3/4 cup dressing with shallots, garlic, 3/4 tsp each salt and pepper. Toss with tomatoes, capers, basil, chives, and dill. Let stand for 30 minutes.
- 2. Meanwhile, pat scallops dry with paper towel. Season all over with remaining salt and pepper. Heat olive oil in a large skillet set over high heat until just barely smoking.
- 3. Sear scallops, without moving, for 3 to 5 minutes, turning once, or until a golden brown crust has formed and scallops release easily from skillet.
- 4. Divide evenly among 4 plates. Top with seared scallops. Drizzle each serving with remaining dressing.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Course <u>Dinner</u>, <u>Entrees</u>

Cuisine <u>American</u>, <u>Seasonal Summer</u>

Category Salads, Seafood

Serving Size 4