

Yuzu Garlic Parmesan Salmon Bites

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Serves 6

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I discovered the fresh fruit is almost

impossible to find here in North America, but the juice (or extract) is widely available.

It's an emerging ingredient that has a familiar flavour. Any dish that normally uses lemon juice can be elevated to a higher level by swapping in yuzu extract.

Here's a simple recipe that takes advantage of Yuzu's awesome citrus flavour: Battercrisp Salmon Bites tossed in a yuzu garlic parmesan sauce. The sauce is incredibly simple and crafted to order. The fact that you're making the sauce in-house and to order is something you should let your customers know! I'm confident you and your quests will love it!

Chef Philman

Ingredients

- 18 pieces Battercrisp Salmon Bites
- 3 tbsp butter
- 3 tbsp 35% cream
- 1 tbsp fresh chopped parsley
- 1 tbsp fresh chopped garlic
- 1 tbsp yuzu extract (or 2 tbsp fresh lemon juice)
- 1 tbsp fresh grated parmesan
- Lemon zest for garnish

Directions

- Deep fry salmon bites according to box directions. Set aside.
- 2 In a sauté pan, sweat garlic using half the butter.
- To pan, add 35% cream, yuzu extract and parsley and bring to a simmer.
- 4 Swirl in remaining butter and transfer sauce to a mixing bowl.
- 5 Toss deep fried salmon bites with sauce. Garnish with grated parmesan and lemon zest and serve.