## **Coconut Macadamia Salmon**

- Prep Time: 10 minutes
- Cook Time: 14 minutes
- Total Time: 25 minutes
- Servings: 6



## **Ingredients:**

- 1/4 cup Southern Grove Roasted Salted Macadamias, chopped\*
- 1/2 cup Baker's Corner Coconut Flakes\*
- 1 Tbsp. lime zest
- 1 Tbsp. chopped thyme, plus additional for serving
- 2 pounds Fresh Atlantic Salmon Side
- 1/4 cup Carlini Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- ground Stonemill Sea Salt Grinder, to taste
- ground Stonemill Peppercorn Grinder, to taste

\*These are Seasonal items that are only in stores for a limited time and may no longer be available.

## **Directions:**

- 1. Heat oven to 375°.
- 2. Place chopped macadamias and coconut flakes on a baking sheet and toast for 5 minutes, stirring halfway through.
- 3. In a small bowl, combine macadamias, coconut flakes, lime zest and fresh thyme. Stir to combine. Reserve.
- 4. Cut salmon side into 6 portions.
- 5. Heat a large cast iron skillet over medium-high heat. Coat the bottom of the pan with oil. Sear the salmon skin side down for 1-2 minutes, until the skin is crispy. Turn and sear for 1-2 minutes. Remove the pan from heat. Turn fillets skin side down.
- 6. Top fillets with macadamia and coconut mixture. Place in oven and bake for 5 minutes or until cooked through. Season to taste with salt and pepper and garnish remaining thyme over salmon filets.

## Tip: For additional flavor, drizzle with a citrus hollandaise by combining 2 egg yolks, 1/4 of a lime, a pinch of salt, and 1/4 cup hot melted butter, whisking until completely emulsified.

