with Pear & Sesame-Dijon Dressing

(1) 20-30 MINS

2 SERVINGS

The star of this wholesome salad is the rich, savory dressing (made with tahini, dijon mustard, parmesan, and more) that brings together tender kale, sweet pear, and roasted carrots-all topped with seared chicken and crunchy sesame seeds.



MATCH YOUR BLUE APRON WINE



Zesty & Tropical

Serve a bottle with this symbol for a great pairing.



Ingredients



CHOPPED **CHICKEN BREAST**



PEAR



LEMON



6 oz **CARROTS**



2 Tbsps TAHINI



1/4 cup GRATED **PARMESAN** CHEESE



BLACK & WHITE SESAME SEEDS



1 clove GARLIC



1 bunch KALE



2 Tbsps VEGETARIAN WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE



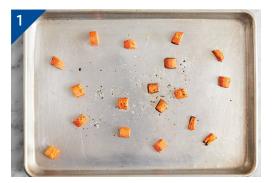
2 Tbsps **DIJON MUSTARD**



1 Tbsp WEEKNIGHT HERO SPICE BLEND*

^{*} Onion Powder, Garlic Powder, Smoked Paprika & Whole Dried Parsley













1 Prepare & roast the carrots:

- Place an oven rack in the center of the oven, then preheat to 450°F.
- ☐ Wash and dry the fresh produce.
- Peel the **carrots**; halve lengthwise, then cut crosswise into 1-inch pieces.
- ☐ Transfer to a sheet pan. Drizzle with **olive oil** and season with salt and pepper; toss to coat. Arrange in an even layer.
- ☐ Roast 15 to 17 minutes, or until browned and tender when pierced with a fork. Remove from the oven.

2 Prepare the remaining ingredients & marinate the kale:

- Meanwhile, peel 1 clove of garlic; using a zester, finely grate into a paste (or use the small side of a box grater).
- Quarter, core, and thinly slice the **pear**.
- Quarter and deseed the **lemon**.
- ☐ Separate the **kale** leaves from the stems; discard the stems, then thinly slice the leaves. Place in a large bowl; add **the juice of 2 lemon wedges** and **2 tablespoons of olive oil**. Season with salt and pepper. Using your hands, massage the kale to slightly soften. Set aside to marinate, stirring occasionally, at least 10 minutes.

3 Cook the chicken:

- Meanwhile, pat the **chicken** dry with paper towels; place in a bowl. Season with salt, pepper, and enough of the **spice blend** to coat (you may have extra); stir to thoroughly coat.
- ☐ In a medium pan (nonstick, if you have one), heat a drizzle of **olive oil** on medium-high until hot.
- ☐ Add the seasoned chicken in an even layer. Cook, without stirring, 3 to 4 minutes, or until lightly browned. Continue to cook, stirring occasionally, 3 to 4 minutes, or until browned and cooked through. Turn off the heat.

4 Make the dressing:

Meanwhile, in a bowl, whisk together the mustard, cheese, tahini, worcestershire sauce, the juice of the remaining lemon wedges, 2 tablespoons of water, and as much of the garlic paste as you'd like. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.

5 Make the salad & serve your dish:

- To the bowl of marinated kale, add the roasted carrots, sliced pear, and dressing; season with salt and pepper. Toss to thoroughly coat. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.
- Serve the **cooked chicken** over the **salad**. Garnish with the **sesame seeds**. Enjoy!