PICKLED BAJA WHITE SHRIMP

AVOCADO TAHINI, BREAKFAST RADISH, TOMATO TARTARE MICRO BASIL

WHITE WINES SPRING 2024

For the Shrimp and Marinade:

1 lb. white shrimp, cooked, 16-20

count, peeled (example)

1 cup rice vinegar

½ cup of lemon juice

1/4 cup sugar

1/4 cup olive oil

2 lemons, sliced thin

1/4 red onion, sliced thin

1 celery stalk, sliced thin

2 cinnamon sticks

6 fresh bay leaves

1 tsp. salt

1 tsp. pepper

For the Tomato Tartare:

4 Roma tomatoes

½ shallot, diced

1 tbsp. chives, diced

2 tbsp. olive oil

For the Avocado Tahini:

2 avocados

2 tbsp. lemon juice

4 tbsp. tahini paste

2 tbsp. olive oil

For Garnish:

1 breakfast radish, shaved

1 tbsp. micro basil

METHOD

Shrimp:

Combine marinade ingredients and shrimp in a large bowl. Toss.

Marinate for 4 hours. Remove cinnamon sticks and bay leaves.

Tomato Tartare:

Preheat oven to 325°.

Fill a large bowl with ice and water.

Bring a saucepot with salted water to a boil.

Blanch the tomatoes for 30 seconds, then transfer to ice bath to cool.

When cool, remove from the ice and remove skin with a paring knife.

Cut into quarters lengthwise, remove seeds and lay out on a sheet pan. Bake for 30 minutes. Let cool.

Dice small and mix with shallot, chive and olive oil.

Avocado Tahini:

In a food possessor combine all avocado tahini ingredients and pulse until smooth.

To plate:

Smear avocado tahini on a platter.

Pile marinated shrimp and top with tomato tartare.

Garnish with breakfast radish and micro basil.