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Garlic Scape Pesto



Photo by Eric Morar

Author Notes: Pesto is beginning to make a regular appearance at dinner at my house. Toss it with pasta, spread it on toast; thin it with more olive oil and it'll become a happy alternative to whatever you've been dressing your salads with. —**Kenzi Wilbur**

Makes about 1 1/2 cups

- 1 cup garlic scapes, thinly sliced crosswise
- ¼ cup pine nuts
- ½ cup good olive oil
- ¼ cup Parmesan
- Salt and pepper, to taste
 - 1. Add the scapes and pine nuts to the bowl of a food processor and pulse until everything is broken up a bit. Then turn the processor back on, and with it running, add the oil a little at a time until it's fully incorporated.
 - 2. Add cheese, pulse, then season with salt and pepper to taste.
 - 3. This won't brown like basil pesto will, so if you're not using immediately, just store in a container in the fridge. It will last a week.

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