



Walter Mark Kitchen (right) shows guest Nancy Smith where to sit, as the dinner party arrives at the table after hors d'oeuvres in the living room. Host, Dr. James Lawson (center)



is served, while Ellen Schaeffer looks on while hostess Wendy Lawson savors her dinner.



## Famie makes dinner

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cally very simple, with some of the ingredients just different combinations of familiar ones.

Famie said he has been in the industry 10 years. "I can teach people and manage people quite well," he said. It doesn't bother him to share his cooking expertise. "I put some of my best recipes and secrets in that book," he said.

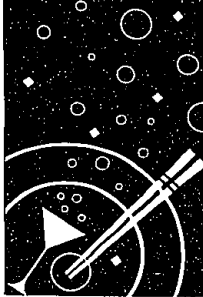
"Two favorites of mine are in there," he said. These are a grilled duck breast marinated in molasses and black pepper with Chambord liqueur — a dish that is on the menu every night at Chez Rafael's — and shrimp in a marinade with 16 ingredients, another grilled dish — occasionally on the restaurant's menu.

His cookbook priced at \$13.95 is available at the Merchant of Vino and Kitchen Glamour locations. Anxious to help people who find themselves at the other end of the spectrum, those who would go hungry without a helping hand, Famie is president of Michigan Chefs Against Hunger. The six chefs in the group have served fund-raising dinners to benefit the needy. On Christmas Eve, the chefs will do a dinner together at the Coalition on Temporary Shelter in Detroit.



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