

Madsen



Recipe

Hook: Mustad #94833 Size: 10-14
Thread: Black, 6/0
Tail: Woodduck Flank Fibers
Body: Emerald Green Yarn, tied full
Rib: Brown, palmered
Wing: Gray, tied sail wing (one hackle tip)
Hackle: Gray

Tying Tips: No special techniques needed. There is a variation of this fly that was actually more popular than the original. The variation called for gray wool or floss body, grizzly wing and hackle.

Fishing Tips: Originally designed for 'choosey' fish. The variation became popular fished early mornings, during the hot mid-summer months.

Historical Note: This fly was designed by Earl Madsen probably sometime between 1930 and 1945. It was named by Paul Young.

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