

# Yellow Stone



## Recipe

Hook: Mustad #94840 or #94833 Size: #16  
Thread: Light Olive, 6/0  
Body: Pale Yellow Rabbit and Olive Rabbit Dubbing, mixed 50/50.  
Rib: Grizzly Hackle, palmered  
Wing: Mottled Turkey, single wing, tied flat over the body, extending 1 hook gap distance beyond the end of the hook.

*Tying Tips:* Easy to tie. Bill added 'Flexament' to the wings to make them more durable. I'm not sure if Bill ever tied it in other sizes but, matching the insects in your area is the most important thing. The body color here is important but you can use any dubbing material.

*Fishing Tips:* Tied to imitate the Little Yellow Stone (*Alloperla caudate*). Use it any time from late May to the end of the season, from late afternoon on into the evening.

*Historical Note:* This fly was created and tied by Bill Koernke of Grayling, Michigan. He was a tier and the owner of Bill's Fly Shop back in the 1980's and 1990's. His shop was located on Lovells Road just south of County Road 612. Request for additional information on Bill and his recipes have not been acknowledged by his family. The recipe was reconstructed by reverse engineering, under a microscope.

*Tier:* Bill Koernke

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