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gfen - Sounds like a pontoon would be the ticket for you. They're no more funny looking than you are. 😊

Mine has a 600lb capacity, and is nice to fish out of on lakes with the use of kick fins to keep you from being at the mercy of the wind. Don't need a motor - it rows VERY well.

As far as fishing out of it in moving water - forget it. Drift socks, drag chains, etc, are not a good idea on rivers, unless you want to do a face plant in the water. Fins SUCK on rivers - think rocks. Best option is to drift until you find a good spot, park it on shore, and wade fish. My toon collapses down to fit in a huge duffle bag. I leave the frame assembled and hang it on a wall, and the rest stays in the duffle bag, but the whole thing fits in the bag.

I suggest a day of fishing in the near future - I'll take you up to Hidden Lake, and you can play with my boat to see if you like it.