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FiveWeight wrote:

I'm just curious, what make of line is it? I have a line on an old glass rod that stands out on the back deck that I yard cast when I'm letting the dogs out

Scientific Anglers GPX 5WFF. It might be 3 years old, fished hard but generally kept out of the hot car when not in use.

Its still nice and supple, just cracked to pieces. I like to think I'm making it into my own Sharkskin at this point.

I actually think its my cheap rod that's eating it up, I noticed the tiptop is kinda poorly made and leaves some sharp edges I figure its hitting during cast. I filled it with some epoxy, dried and then filed it off a little bit to help.

That and stepping on it. I step on line, alot. That's the nice thing about an automatic reel, I just pick it up after every cast.