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You will a ton of opinions on wading shoes so here's mine:

Chota STL's are great but the studs will wear out in about a season depending on conditions. Of course you can easily replace them. The STL's are my favorite wading shoes and have held up great after more than 4 seasons of HARD use.

But also take a look at the Korker Konvertables. You can wear the regular rubber lug sole for the hike in, and then swap out to the sole of your choice stream side. They are redesigned for 2007 so IF you hear stories about soles "popping" off, they are probably talking about the pre-2007 shoes. BTW, I have the "old" version and NEVER had a sole come loose.

Obviously how much you want to spend may impact your decision too and both of these shoes are over \$100.