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Re: Tenkara, now everybody will want one

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Quote:

Smike wrote:

Easy, about another 2 feet, no guides, something to attached a fixed line to at the end, and oh at least \$350 less than a 'mid' grade fly rod.

So, then, what you're saying is the fly rod is actually more useful by dint of having guides and an actual line I can extend, or shorten, beyond the fixed length?

So, without the mystical zen qualities all you've really got is a non-adaptable piece of equipment, eh?

Oh, but it costs much less? Yet, oddly enough, I can go to Cabela's and buy an 11' fly rod for \$199, \$40 more than the cheapest one from TenkaraUSA, which I think is fair enough considering the work involved in all those pesky guides.

So, uhm, I'm confused... its not really any cheaper, it sure is alot less flexible and I don't have to deal with any extra nonsense from *Western* ( 🤪 ) fishermen.

Yep.