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Re: Fly fishing programs on TV

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Swattie,

I'm with ya brother, no offense taken. One of the great parts about my vocation is that I travel over a good portion of the country and I almost always have my fly rod in tow and I couldn't agree more with the respect part of it.

I think the difficulty for us in PA if you are talking trout/chrome is the access issues that we have. I was recently in Michigan fishing the Grand River. Thee Steelhead and Salmon in the Grand run most of the way across the state of Michigan which is outstanding. I was on a stretch of river on a great night for fishing directly below a hydro dam (popular spot) and I literally came across two other guys and they were so far away from me that if I yelled hello they wouldn't have heard me. I could have have worked miles of river without coming across more than a handful of anglers. Contrast that to what we see on Elk, Walnut, 20Mile, etc...

The same can be said for our trout waters. Head to Penn's, Fishing, etc.... and on a good day there is a guy planted in every hole, run, or promising riffle. You are probably right in that my comments were not exactly steeped in reciprocity. I am eager to learn about a great fishery in Wisconsin but I'd prefer our fisheries to remain a bit more of a local gem. (and yes I know that is not at all realistic)

But hey... one can wish can't they?