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Re: Back at the Vise...

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afishinado wrote:

Nice Ed. I tie CDs pretty much the same way, but I use my fingernail to crease the wing instead of using a HH tool. Great idea. I'll have to try using the tool. Good stuff.

I actually don't do either. I tie in my wing first (about a 1/4 to a 1/3 of the way back and secure it tight and clip off all the butts a few at a time so I can get as small a bump behind the wing as possible. I then secure it both back and then front. Leaving the wing bent at probably a 45 degree angle forward. I then run my thread halfway back and tie it to the tail. I wrap it back to the bend and then split the tails using a simple figure 8 technique. I then dub up to the back of the wing placing a loose wrap over the bump. I then put about 3" (depending on hook size, of course) of tightly wrapped dubbing using wax onto the thread and then hold the wing back as I dub tightly right at the base on the wing. I then finish dubbing up to my tie off point and secure with a whip finish. I then fan the wing as described by H-A.