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DGC,

I do not believe anyone here trying to minimize the suffering of the man or his misery. I believe he was trying to pass off what must have been one of the most important aspects of his life to Sasquatch, who the man believes will value the fishing tools in the proper way. I think that the man, though really distraught by his plight, is leaving his legacy in Sasquatch's hands, which is a serious responsibility for Sasquatch to accept. I think Sasq. has accepted it in the proper manner.

As one who is now 63 and who knows how long I'll be on the water (hopefully for a while), I have instructed my wife to pass my fly-fishing equipment, fly tying equipment, and books on to a couple of young guys in town who I think will value them. (My son doesn't fly fish, so he is to get my hunting stuff and other gear.) I believe these "young lions" will value and use my gear in the proper spirit.

Anyhow, I repeat: I don't believe anyone is trying to minimize the man's situation. Sasq. has noted that it is a bittersweet moment, obviously an important one in his fishing life, if not his entire life.