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I agree with k-bob that stream pictures are more interesting. I take some, but need to take more.

When I'm "on my game", I like to have "threads" of pictures, with both scenery and fish. In chronological order. The reason I take pictures is so that the set of pictures tells the story of the day. And 3 years down the road I can open up that folder and re-live a memorable day, filling in the gaps between pictures with memories. The catching of a fish usually reminds me to take pictures. But I have a habit/problem of not taking scenery pics during the longer fishless periods.

As far as fish pics, fish stays in water till I ready the camera. I usually grab the fly to position the fish for the pic, unless it's really big. Then slide it onto something, like a wet streamside moss, my wet waders, etc. Lift, snap, and put it back in the water with a twist so that the fly comes out, and the fish is off.

If the hook is in a difficult spot, like deep or in that tough little corner of the mouth, where it might be hard to remove, then I don't take pics. And that's probably when I'm at most danger of hurting the fish, cause it can take a little bit to get that hook out.