

Fly in my Email Dennis Stead



Simple Scud

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The scud is a simple fly to tie but for some reason I don't do it as well as others. But here goes. First, put down a thread base and leave your tag end of thread. I will use it later for the ribbing.



Add dubbing to your thread by winding the dubbing on the thread in the same directions.



Build up the scud's body with the dubbing. Wind you tag end of the thread forward to form the ribbing.





Tie off your tag end of thread and whip finish. Take a wire brush and comb the dubbing downwards which will be the legs.



Some scuds have a parasite that grows in their body. Adding a red bead in the middle of your hook is a good way to represent that parasite.



Red bead has been added; now build the body with your dubbing.



Rid with your tag end of thread and tie off. Whip finish and comb out your dubbing

Let me know what you think. dmstead@aol.com



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Materials:

Hook: TMC 2487BL

Hook sizes: 12, 14, 16, and 18

Thread: UNI-Thread 8/0, color to match material.

Body: Dubbing

Optional: Add a small red bead in the middle.

Fishing instructions: Dead Drift with a strike indicator

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