

# stonefly *(stone-fly)*

## Definition

n. primitive winged insect with a flattened body; used as bait by fishermen; aquatic gilled larvae are carnivorous and live beneath stones

## Example Sentence

The fisherman used a **stonefly** to hook the bass.

## Synonyms

winged insect; plecopteran; flat-bodied insect

## Antonyms

bird

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