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Beavers are such wonderful creatures. I love seeing them when in the great outdoors, especially when fishing. On more than one occasion I have had one swim right by my legs in beautifully clear water, heard them slap their tails, and once my dog even startled one and it exploded from the vegetation on the rivers edge and landed in the water not even an arms length from me.

Beyond just enjoying their presence I know that they are very important for the functioning of the environment, including creating clean water, habitat for endangered species like salmon and steelhead and raising the water table while preventing erosion.

Please protect beavers and all the wonderful things they provide for us.