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I THINK THAT'S FOR THE BEST. YOU'VE WASTED THIS WHOLE WEEK COMPLAINING ABOUT IT

AND MAYBE THIS IS A GOOD THING. LIKE A SIGN THAT I SHOULD SPEND MORE TIME ON SCHOOL.

...OR 'AMIGO', AS THE SPANISH WOULD SAY

SEE, YOU'VE LEARNED SOMETHING NEW ALREADY

I KNOW... SORRY

I JUST FEEL LIKE I'VE LOST A GOOD FRIEND

by R. DeLuna

Cornyn

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and really get to know students and what they're looking for in a representative," Jones said. "The important for students realize that they can't say in their government and that these types of gatherings provide excellent opportunities for their political leaders."

Shannon Duhon, president of the chapter of College Republicans and a more political science major, said Cornyn was important to the campaign off in College Station. "Many students support the area because of him in the past."

"We are really proud to be able to have an Attorney General here today for students," Duhon said. "The basic ideas of this University," Duhon said. "[Texas Gov. Perry] started out here as well, it is only fitting that Cornyn do the same."

funny side up ↑

OKAY, BUZZ. I WROTE A PERSONAL AD TO SEND TO THE PAPER SO I CAN TRY TO MEET A GIRL. TELL ME WHAT YOU THINK.

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BETTER.

by Josh Darwin

Griffith teaches students

By Tanya Nading
THE BATTALION

Margaret Griffith, better known as Maggie the Aggie, has been serving Texas A&M students for five years as health education coordinator and HIV and sexual health specialist at the A.P. Beutel Health Center.

Griffith is the primary adviser for Aggie REACH, an on-campus group of volunteer peer educators trained to give presentations about sexual health, nutrition and general wellness to residence halls, student organizations and in the classroom.

"My student peer group gave me the name Maggie the Aggie and it's stuck ever since," Griffith said. "No matter where I go, whether it be the supermarket, or around campus, I hear people calling out, 'Maggie the Aggie!' It's a wonderful feeling. I'm truly honored that the students have decided to call me Maggie the Aggie."

Griffith is the daughter of Texas A&M graduates Carolyn and Edgar McMurry. She was born in New Orleans and raised in College Station. She attended Texas Tech University before transferring to A&M in the spring of 1965.

"I was one of the first girls to live in a dorm here at A&M," Griffith said. "Women had just begun to be accepted at this University so I went through quite a culture shock. But we (the women) did have an advantage because there were so few of us and so many men."

She soon met Craig Griffith, Class of 1967, and left school to marry him. Throughout his career in the military, she worked various jobs and continued to attend school. She eventually received two majors in business administration and psychology from Saint Mary's College in Leavenworth, Kan. In 1996 she received her masters in health education from A&M.

Her son, Jason Griffith, who received his bachelor's in kinesiology from Texas A&M, went into a military program for his master's in physical therapy at Baylor University. He is now a four-year medical student in San Antonio, Griffith said.

Griffith worked with the Bryan Aids Services of the Brazos Valley, Planned Parenthood and the Bryan Family Health Services before taking the job at Texas A&M.

"In Lake Charles, La., I started working for the Aids Prevention Education and Services and with that comes (jobs in) sex and sexuality," she said.

While in Louisiana she became the Director of Southwestern Louisiana AIDS Council, which was her first time to work with people who have the HIV virus.

"I got involved with this organization because I knew a woman whose son died. Her story was so compelling, it really touched me, so when she wanted me to be the director, I did," Griffith said.

After eight months as an HIV and sex educator at Texas A&M, Griffith was promoted as the Health Education Coordinator.

"I have the best job in the world," Griffith said. "There is no place I'd rather be. I love working with the students here. I feel that they are the best group of people to work with."

Griffith was named a Howdy Camp namesake in 2000.

Griffith teaches a human sexuality course, Health 342, which is an elective for non-health majors. Griffith said she wants to make sure students know that they should not be afraid to seek help.

As a mentor and an Aggie Ally, Griffith said her door is always open.

"Get your education but know that over the course of your life you may be faced with multiple changes. Go where your heart leads you," Griffith said. "Find out information when you need it and don't be scared."

Griffith said that for students this is the time where help comes at no cost.

"If you don't want to come in person, send us an email," Griffith said. "We are non-threatening; we can lead you in the direction you need to be in. We are the people who can set you back on track if you are momentarily derailed."

Duncan claims he followed advice of lawyers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The auditor fired for destroying documents in the Enron Corp. affair is laying the blame squarely on his accounting firm, Arthur Andersen LLP, telling congressional investigators he was just following advice from its lawyers.

The auditor was questioned for several hours Wednesday as the White House disclosed that President Bush's chief economic adviser, Lawrence Lindsey, was asked to study the

impact of an Enron collapse after presidential aides were alerted to the problem last fall.

The energy-trading concern, once the seventh-largest U.S. company, entered the biggest bankruptcy in the country's history on Dec. 2. David Duncan, the former chief auditor for Andersen's Enron account, said the Big Five accounting firm's lawyers suddenly began emphasizing Andersen's policy allowing destruction of some documents.

Duncan told investigators with the House Energy and Commerce Committee that in September general discussions began at Andersen of what Enron-related documents to discard.

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