

TRINITY STUDENT

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THE TRUTH AS ONLY FICTION CAN TELL IT.

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Raid on freshman quad reveals slave trade, debauchery

San Antonio police detectives raided the first-year dorms last night at 3:00 a.m. to bust up an elaborate slave-trade ring. Approximately 250 freshmen were taken into custody from the freshman quad.

Detectives describe a complex scheme in which unsuspecting college freshmen were herded together into buildings and separated from the upperclassmen. There they drank beer, smoked cigars and enjoyed what they believed to be a fun, care-free life.

"The administrators told them they had to be separated from the other students so they could build class unity," said Lt. Guippetto Guiseppe. "They never realized they were being lured by brotherhood, only to be converted into jackasses and sold."



Chio

One lucky freshman was able to escape the tragedy and live off-campus, however.

"It's a good thing I had my friend, [senior] Jimmy da Criquet, to warn me," said freshman Pino Chio. "Since I'm off-campus, I have no strings to tie me down, to make me kick, and make me frown."

Residential life and other campus officials were unavailable for comment. Upperclassmen report being unaware of the situation because of being too drunk that night to remember.

Student studies abroad... in France

Ever since junior Yvonne Valens spent the fall semester of 2000 studying abroad, living and attending classes in Paris, France, she has attempted to mention her experiences abroad as much as possible.

"It was cute when she was sending us those 'Get an Eiffel!' postcards every week last semester," said suitemate Barbara Gull. "But last week, I was talking to her about our shower schedule, since both of us have 8:30 classes this semester, and she starts up about how the French aren't as obsessed with hygiene as Americans. Then she started talking about some river that she saw people bathing in. I kinda tuned her out at that point."

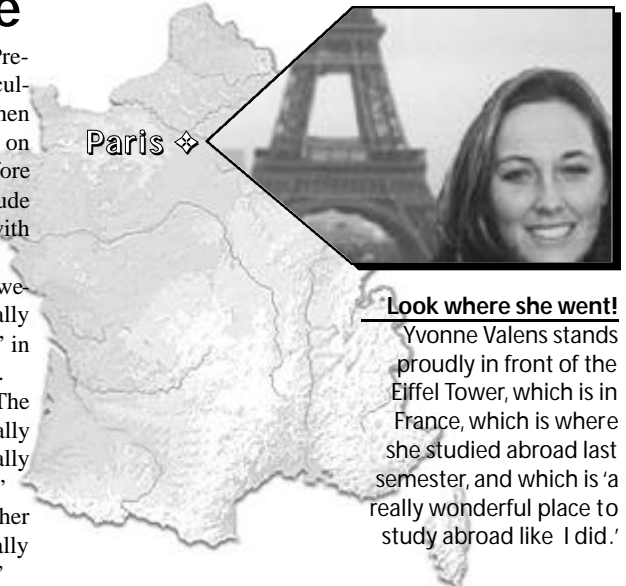
Valens' Paris-themed conversations have been noticed by several of her other acquaintances as well.

"We were talking about Pre-Columbian art in my Latin American cultures class yesterday," said Dr. Gretchen Espinoza, "And Yvonne started going on and on about the Louvre. The week before that, she couldn't stop talking about nude beaches, which had even less to do with our class discussion."

Valens, who describes France as "awesomely beautiful," says that she "really got to know French culture, n'est pas?" in just over three months spent near Paris.

"Oh my God," continued Valens, "The food is so good. And they don't really hate Americans. My family was really nice. They even spoke English to me!"

Valens is currently working on her Astronomy term paper, which "totally reminds [her] of the Arc de Triomphe."



Look where she went!

Yvonne Valens stands proudly in front of the Eiffel Tower, which is in France, which is where she studied abroad last semester, and which is 'a really wonderful place to study abroad like I did.'

IT'S LIKE A WHOLE OTHER COUNTRY

Where are we studying abroad?

45% Somewhere breathtakingly beautiful

23% Someplace totally bitchin, man

24% Where I hope to live after college

16% Where it's okay, they speak English

17% Houston technical college (weekends only)

Decorational drug use at record high

A study conducted by the Department of Campus Safety and Public Safety and Security indicates that students are using drugs for decorational purposes now more than ever.

"I know that the color-changing blown-glass makes it look like paraphernalia, but I swear it isn't," sophomore Julie Reese said. "It's really, um, a vase. I mean, a lamp. I mean, it lights up when you put plants in it. It was a gift! Look, I know my rights!"

One student, who wishes to remain anonymous, says he has run into the law over decorational drug use before.

"I don't know why they thought it was a place to hide my stash," he said. "It's just a

cookie jar that's shaped like a glow-in-the-dark alien sitting on top of a mushroom with a guitar that plays Grateful Dead songs when you press this button shaped like a pot leaf."

He then added: "I mean, *maple* leaf..."

The results of the study have prompted a re-evaluation of campus efforts to discourage drug use, according to DCS&PS&S.

"Until now, we've been fighting the symptoms, but not the disease," campus drug czar Martin Douglas said. "We will shift our focus away from the drugs and more toward the actual decorative paraphernalia—the real problem that is ruining these kids' lives. This scourge of vases and cookie jars must end!"

PEANUT GALLERY

How did you commemorate Martin Luther King day?



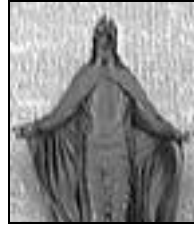
"I had lunch with that black guy on campus. He said he'd call me!"

— Atlas



"If I had any NUTS, I'd have frozen them off! Get out of my face."

— George Storch Head



"It's not a holiday up here in Heaven, but I took the day off anyway."

— I have a Jesus



"Me and my boys threw back a fotey and ... wait, Martin Luther King day? When was that?"

— Esplanade Trash Can



"I went to that required lecture by that lady on civil writers or whatever."

— Large Interior Form

God delays destruction of Earth again

Announces Doritos "Pick your own apocalypse!" contest

For the second time in as many years, God (NYSE: GOD) has announced another delay in the impending destruction of planet Earth. A press release issued from Heaven states that the apocalypse has been postponed due to a "creative retooling" of Judgement Day, the final 24 hours in which God will separate the damned from His chosen people.

"God is pleased to announce the Doritos™ 'Pick your own apocalypse!'"™ contest, in which one lucky winner will get to choose how the mighty hand of God will strike out to purge the Evil from the Good," said Heaven's director of public relations Blessed Debbie Kirst. "Plus, three lucky runners-up will receive an autographed 'Wrath of God' baseball jersey, with a retail value of over \$90!"

"Though the classical destruction of Earth through the appearance of a seven-

headed dragon and the Antichrist is a time-honored tradition, God felt that his own creations were the most apt to choose their method of mass destruction and death, from the brutality of Ivan the Terrible to the more recent genocide of Native Americans and Jews," Kirst said.

The "Pick your own apocalypse!" contest is sponsored by Doritos.™ Look for details on specially-marked packages of Doritos™ brand corn chips. No purchase necessary. For entry forms, send a SASE to Doritos™ Pick Your Own Apocalypse,™ Heaven. Send all contest entries and related inquiries via prayer, or email doritoscontest@godcreated.com. The deadline for entries is February 8, 2001.

Winning entries will be published in an upcoming issue of Trinity Student! Maybe you'll be the one to bring about The End!

TS FUNHOUSE

What's wrong with this picture?



Can you find what's wrong in this picture?

Oh, no! The Department of Public Relations goofed! This is supposed to be a picture of Trinity, but can you spot all the reasons why it isn't?

Answers: 1. Students are awake and attentive. 2. The computer has not crashed. 3. The minorities outnumber the white males. 4. Given $r = 0$ and $A = 10$, $fA = f \cdot 3^{r/dt}$ and so the amount of drug in the patient at time $t < 0$ is $A = -2t/2 + 10$. Instead of whatever your roommate's notes from last year say.

ABOUT TRINITY STUDENT

This copy of *Trinity Student* belongs to:

Well, it looks like we'll crank out another issue. Sorry about our little holiday break extending into late January, but you know how it goes. We're busy people! We have places to sit around, things to put off and people not to call back. It's enough to make us drop what we're doing and then just sit there doing nothing. Hey, we're not lazy, we're motivationally disinclined. So motivate us! Send us your comments and story ideas. We'll see what we can do.

Trinity Student makes up all the names, except when we're satirizing public figures. Otherwise, anything that seems false or offensive is probably intended to be false or offensive, ya dope. Your input is welcomed! Send it to trinitystudent@yahoo.com.

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Quills

MOVIE

Directed by Phillip Kaufman

If catching a glimpse of Kate Winslet's yummy teet isn't enough motivation for you to see *Quills*, then perhaps Geoffrey Rush's full frontal nudity will be. *Quills* also features Joaquin Phoenix and Michael Cain, but they never get naked. The story is the fascinating account of the Marquis de Sade's last days in an insane asylum. It's a tale of good surviving in the face of unbridled evil, love and lust, and censorship—a triumph of the human spirit—all rolled into one tasty dish with a garnish of Peruvian Marble. Based on the play by Doug Wright.