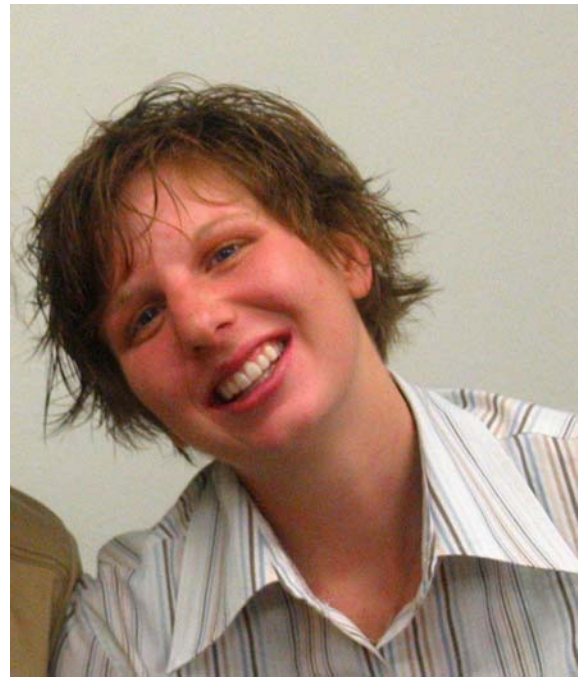


with each new day comes

new strength

AND new

--Eleanor Roosevelt



Thoughtful Living...

**Celebrating the 2005
Outstanding Service of**

jennifer boettcher

Thoughtful Campus Service...

JENNY, FRONT AND LEFT, WITH FRIENDS FROM WEST.



New strength and new thoughts pervade in the life of Jennifer Boettcher. Her involvement throughout the campus is evident by her immersion in activities in both the college of engineering from the freshman to her junior year and the college of Architecture her senior years. Through Phi Kappa Phi, an honorary society, the National Society of Collegiate Scholars, K-State Telefund, Architectural Engineering Institute, and Engineering Ambassadors, Jennifer has served the K-State community. Her experience, communication, and leadership has made K-State a richer community.

Thoughtful Hall Service...

Jenny, as her friends call her, started as college freshman in Moore Hall, then she moved to West and made her home for a year and a half. Off campus living called her for three years with a short study abroad semester, but residence life held her heart for her last year at K-State.

Returning to the hall has earned respect of others as Jessica Divine, West Hall Governing Board President summarizes: "It is so awesome that Jenny came back to West after a couple of years gone. It has been fun to get to know her." Coming back to the resident hall was not a hard choice--she is the biggest fan of Derby Dining Center. Many can attest to the fact that Jenny is always ready to eat ice cream!



JENNY + ICE CREAM

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At 6:00 am in the morning every Monday and Wednesday, Jenny is the first person many residents see in the morning. Lack of sleep and energy from a late night of talking with friends does not dampen her spirits. Rolling out of bed with springy feet and raisin bran for the morning, she skips her way to the front desk of West Hall to greet and serve the women who will need her care in the early morning hours. She sees everyday as an opportunity to be intricately involved with women of West! She sees potential in every person!

Serving West Hall is not a new thing for Jenny. Her sophomore year, she served as Intramural Chair for her floor and organized all sporting events of the second floor. This semester, Jenny has volunteered her skills and creative genius in conjunction with Hall Governing Board to help make West Hall feel more like home. She is planning a new design for the redecoration of the television room which will include new upholstery for the couches and chairs as well as warm paint and an inviting seating arrangement. Her efforts on the project will be felt for years by new residents of West.

Thoughtful Academics...

Along with balancing work and activities, Jenny has received high honors in the academic world. This May, she will graduate with honors as a Summa Cum Laude of her graduating class. Throughout her college career, she has consistently earned the Dean's Honor List honor as well as earning the title of All American Scholar for Architecture. She has received many prestigious scholarships such as the Swears-Tuben Design Scholarship for Architecture. But Jenny's modesty about her academic accomplishment is well stated by Eleanor Roosevelt: "as for accomplishments, I just did what I had to do as things came along." Jenny does what needs to be done, but always involved people in the process.



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One of the most interesting and life changing experiences during her college life is her study abroad trip to Trier-Fachhochschule, a design school in Germany the second semester of last year. While in Europe she gained a perspective another culture and she loved experiencing unique activities such as Greece baths, German yogurt, and Turkish bike rides. Her time in German prepared Jenny to be ready for the times spent in the resident halls this year.

Thoughtful Life...



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Along with her involvement in her college, she also makes priority of her spiritual life. She has attended Christian Challenge campus group throughout her life at college. This year, she has taken a leadership role to lead a Bible Study in order to invest her life in the younger generation of K-State students. She also is on the Freshman/New Student Ministry Team with Christian Challenge where she helps plan events that will integrate and pursue new students into the for the next generation of leaders.

Jenny finds joy in the simple pleasures of life. On nice afternoons, she is found outside with a good friend enjoying the sun, nature, praying. Good food brings excitement and a big smile to Jenny—especially over peppermint soft serve ice cream with sprinkles at the dining center. During the fall, Jenny participated in Hall Governing Board sponsored Fall Westival, an event that included a carnival of activities which concluded with a timed pie eating contest. Jenny not only represented west at the event, but she won the pie contest! Never has there been a woman that could can down a pudding pie in less than five minutes! At the Valentine's Dance in February, Jenny encouragement brought encouragement and life to the party. Her rap dance moves were quite famous! Where there is fun and people, Jenny is there! Jenny's joy for life is evident to all, for as Sarah Jones, second floor president explains, "Jenny is so sweet, outgoing, and energetic...its inspiring."



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Thoughtful Friendship

many people will walk in and out of

but only true friends will leave
footprints on your heart

--Eleanor Roosevelt



ONE OF THE MANY JENNY CREATION

Jenny has a gift of sensing the needs of others. Erin Jones, a friend of Jenny exclaims: "I see Jenny giving up time to love others in the way they need to be loved whether that be quality time for a note of encouragement. She has such a servant's heart, but she is so modest and does not like the recognition—it is just something that she does. It has been a humbling experience to learn from someone like her." Jenny is always ready to pursue others in friendship.

Jenny demonstrates exceptional qualities valued in friendship. She is intuitive--as evidenced by her special way of personalizing every gift she creates. She is encouraging in her notes to others and time spent with her is quality. Above all, Jenny always pursues the lost potential. She purposely seeks those people who might seem quiet or reserved, Her dedication to others makes those in her presence feel loved and accepted.



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Thoughtful Personality Characteristics

- IDEALIST
- GOAL SETTER
- SEARCH FOR MEANING
- INTUITIVE
- CARING
- FLEXIBLE
- LAID BACK
- COMMUNICATOR THROUGH WORDS
- SUPPORTING
- ENCOURAGING
- SENSITIVE
- LOYAL
- DEEP CAPACITY FOR LOVE
- AUTHENTIC
- ALTRUISTIC
- ORIGINAL STYLE
- CREATIVE
- AWED BY BEAUTY
- PERCEPTIVE
- INTRIGUED BY DETAIL
- ABLE TO SEE NEEDS
- PURSUIT FOR THE LOST
POTENTIAL
- EXPRESSIVE
- VALUED FRIEND
- HONEST
- SPEAK LITTLE, LISTEN
OFTEN
- OPTIMIST
- DEEP THINKER
- GRACIOUS
- PATIENT
- KIND
- GENEROUS WITH TIME
- SPONTANEOUS
- DEDICATED



Jennifer Boettcher—Outstanding Service Nominee

Eleanor Roosevelt once said that “when you cease to make a contribution, you begin to die.” Jennifer Boettcher, throughout her time at Kansas State University, has made a lasting contribution in the lives of others; her investments in others will never die or even be forgotten. Her work and leadership on campus earns respect in Interior Architecture program as well as in the hall. Her redecoration of the TV room basement will be seen for many generations by new residents of West Hall. Residents will be able to enjoy her creative flair and comfortable, warm atmosphere. As a returning resident after a three year absence, she still finds excitement in the ability to invest in other’s lives. While cultivating thoughtful and meaningful relationships, she has the ability to encourage and lift up others in her care and circle of influence. Jenny’s special and creative gifts are a testament of the value she places in others. As a Community Assistant this year in West Hall, Jenny has used her time at the front desk to seek others and care for the needs of the women in her care. Jennifer Boettcher is an outstanding woman, additionally, she is an outstanding servant of others!