

Dear USM News,

Your reader's connection of Frank Pickering's older case in Hattiesburg against Harold Doty to the situation now confronting Mrs. [Karen] St. John in Tyler, TX at the same hands (of Doty) is a stroke of brilliance. I'm guessing that your readers from east TX know little, if anything, about Pickering's claim against Doty, the one dealing with lewd comments made by Doty in regard to Pickering's wife. As the story goes, the Pickerings attended a cocktail party related to advisory/fundraising in USM's business college. Doty was there of course, as were several business college benefactors. Remarks were made about how attractive Pickering's wife is, to which Doty added that he agreed, and wanted to get Pickering out of town more often on fundraising business so that he/Doty might have a shot at sleeping with Pickering's wife. Classless doesn't even come close to describing this situation.

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