Dear Skip . . .

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Mary Anderson has a brother named Joe Morgan who is the Vice President for Finance at Southern Miss. *Many* reports say she has threatened to go to him – and has gone to him – when she does not get her way. Without question she believes you will be sitting in her chair, i.e., her daddy's chair. Be prepared for it. You and the dean may want to map out a strategy in advance so *when* it happens, and Nail is out of the office, you know you are green-lighted for action. Do not let her publications fool you. Ask her to publish some articles without her dissertation chairman; see what happens.

We wish you the best of luck with your program for change.

An Optimistic Fan