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## President's Message

#### Paula Ely and Dora Aschenbek, Chapter Presidents

Wow! How fast this biennium has passed! We have loved being your leaders and appreciate all the support we've been given. We had a wonderful March meeting with almost as many guests as members. It was lots of fun learning the history of our song, about the writer, and reasons for the way it is. There have been efforts to make changes through the years but it is ONE constant in our organization which has never been changed. So go ahead and learn the words:) We had a lovely initiation ceremony and would like to thank Patty Cordrey and Mary Ann for getting it all set up. It was possibly the best attended meeting of the year and we were definitely Zeta Tau Proud! Be sure to get to know our new initiate, Cathy Erickson, assistant principal at Spring Forest Middle School. We know that you

still have about six weeks left of school and that June 2nd will not get here soon enough. There is always so much to do at the end of the school year and hopefully everything will go well for each of you. Remember, our last meeting is upon us and will be Thursday May 12th, atMary Ann Slaughter's home. Her address is 1610 Westhurst Lane, Houston, 77077. Her phone number is 832-664-9414. We will be celebrating Zeta Tau's birthday, founder's day, and each other. We will also have the installation of new officers. What fun it would be to see everyone!

Paula and Dora

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Expand the Vision: Educate, Inspire, Encourage

#### Mission Statement:

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.

#### **Vision Statement:**

Leading women educators impacting education worldwide.

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 12th @ 4:30 at MaryAnn Slaughter's 1610 Westhurst Ln. 832-664-9414



Make sure you mark your calendars!!!! June 23-25 you and your DKG sisters need to make your way up to Frisco, Texas and join in the fun and excitement as we enjoy the fun and fellowship of the 87th Texas State Organization Convention. This year we have the pleasure of watching our TSO President Marilyn Gregory throw out the first pitch at the Rough Riders baseball game. She has been practicing! It's not every day we have a DKG night at the ballpark. So pack your bags and load the car...it's time to road trip it with your DKG sisters to Frisco to "Experience the Heart" because we are the heart of the society! See you there!



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Delta Kappa Gamma members continue to support education even after retirement. In a recent installation ceremony conducted by Zeta Tau sister, Julie Eisenhauer, two of our Zeta Tau sisters were installed as new officers. Diana Apsey was installed as President of the Spring Branch Association of Retired School Employees and Patty Cordrey was installed as Secretary.

Congratulations to these sisters! If you are retired it is important for you to take an active role in the retired teacher association. Important decisions will be made when the Texas Legislators begin their session in January, about the future of the Teacher Retirement System as well as the TRS Care insurance. Want to learn more? Check out the website

http://www.localunits.org/northwestha rris/ Stay informed!!!! Your future depends on it!!



It is with deepest sympathy that we as sisters surround Judy Grissell with our love and prayers at the loss of her husband. Please keep her family in your prayers as they say good-bye to a life that was taken from this Earth too soon. May they

find peace and comfort in this difficult time.

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Here comes the Bride!!
Congratulations to our very
own Sasha Luther on her
engagement! We wish you
all the happiness as you
begin your lives together.



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