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### Sigma Kappa Mourns the Loss of Delta Theta Chapter Member

CARMEL, INDIANA – It is with great sadness that Sigma Kappa shares the passing of **Ashley Gough**, a collegiate member of the Delta Theta Chapter at Truman State University. Ashley, a junior Health Science major, passed away on May 7.

Ashley served her chapter as vice president of programming, was involved in the Nursing Students' Association, played women's club lacrosse, and worked at the Campus Recreation Center.

According to the Delta Theta chapter president **Kyndall Penyweit**, "Ashley was the sister known for being bright and bubbly. She was able to make everyone she talked to feel so seen, loved, and appreciated. Ashley could put a positive spin on any situation and could make you laugh at even the darkest of times. She was well loved and will be dearly missed."

National President **Ann O'Connell Adams**, *Theta*, commented, "We mourn the loss of a young life, gone much too soon. Ashley was a vital and valued member of Sigma Kappa, and her loss is felt all throughout our organization. Our hearts go out to Ashley's family, friends, chapter sisters and all who knew her during this difficult time."

Letters of condolences can be sent to: Sigma Kappa Sorority, Delta Theta Chapter, 100 E. Normal Ave., Kirksville, MO 63501.

#### About Sigma Kappa:

Sigma Kappa was founded at Colby College in Waterville, Maine in 1874. Valuing personal growth, friendship, service, and loyalty, the sorority has initiated over 168,000 women nationwide. The purpose of Sigma Kappa is "to provide women lifelong opportunities and support for social, intellectual, and spiritual development by bringing women together to positively impact our communities."