

THE QUEEN OF CARNIVAL

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arah Genevieve Shy is Queen of the 1996 celebration of Carnival Memphis! Our talented and

energetic Queen is a graduate of the Hutchison School where she accumulated dozens of awards for her athletic accomplishments, including the school's prestigious Marjorie Hudson Wright Award for sportsmanship, leadership, character and athletic abilities. She was named the most valuable player and was recognized in the the Best of the Preps for volleyball and basketball. She was elected captain of the volleyball, basketball and track teams and participated in all three sports for all four years of her high school career. The Queen placed second in the state high jump competition after winning the regional contest three of four years. She was a member Hutchison's Twelve Year Club and President of the H club, an athletic service club. She also found time to volunteer with the King's Daughters and Special Olympics. Queen Genevieve was presented at Junior Cotillion

The Queen continued her volleyball career at the University of Mississippi and was nominated the Southeastern Conference, Freshman of the Year and was named to the second team all-SEC her freshman and junior years, the only Ole Miss player to

receive the honor! The Queen plays middle blocker and led the team with 105 blocks! In addition to her busy volleyball schedule, she is a member of Kappa Delta sorority and was named a Pike Calendar Girl.

The Queen maintains an active modeling schedule as a model for Robbins Models and Talent and

has modeled in Paris and Milan for Richardo Gay. She has worked with photographers in New York and modeled in New York and in Memphis for Pat Kerr.

This past summer, the Queen trained in New York and East Hampton with physical fitness expert, -

Radu Teodorescue who is also the trainer for Cindy Crawford, Regis Philbin and John Kennedy. After graduation from Ole Miss, the Queen plans to return to New York to work in advertising and continue her modeling career.

A life long Memphian, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Malone Shy. Her brother, Sellers served as a Scarab to Queen Baylor Ledbetter and is a member of the Osiris Committee. The Queen's other brothers, DeWitt, David and Robert are all former members of Osiris and her mother is a past Memphi Duchess. Queen Genevieve received valuable experience in all things royal when she reigned as queen of the Grand Krewe of Osiris in the 1994 Carnival.

When asked what part of Carnival she is looking forward to the most she quickly replied "all of it, every single bit of it!"

Queen
Genevieve's
evening
costume was
originally worn
by her mother
when she was
Queen of the
Chattanooga
Cotton Ball! It



Sally & Queen Genevieve (seated)
DeWitt and Sellers (standing)
Twix and Hershey (kneeling)

has been totally restyled for Genevieve. Her daytime costume is a robin's egg blue sheath that is a festive salute to Carnival's sixty fifth anniversary celebration.

Queen Genevieve is ready for her role as Queen of Carnival and is anxiously awaiting "all the fun and the experience of a lifetime!"

Photo by: Kathy Daniel Patterson

