

Long Term Friends

Being able to find a group of five best girl friends through out high school is probably my biggest accomplishment. It's not related to my academics or to soccer, but it is related to my emotional well-being. Every single one of my girl friends has been there by my side through the tough times and the good times. We have cried together, laughed together and just been plain crazy together. I want to share a little bit about each on of my best friends.

The best memory that I have with Eliza is when she supported me when I was having some personal problems in 11th grade. She could always cheer me up when I was feeling down. I learned so many great sayings from her: little baby, teeny tiny wooly lamb, "oh dadddd" and the littlest babies in all the land, I will always love. Helene's laugh because it makes me want to laugh as well. One of the funniest memories I have with her is when we went to a Tim McGraw concert and ended up eating about a pound of food in our friend's car while the concert was still going on. I will always remember Jessie's laugh as well because it is exactly like mine, so it basically sounds like a seal. Whenever we laugh together, we always end up laughing so hard that our stomachs hurt because our laughs sound exactly the same. I will remember Kirsten's devotion to her friends. She will always have your back no matter what. Lastly, I will remember Sammi because she and I have been friends since we were five years old and played soccer together since we were ten.

I know we will always remain friends, no matter where we may end up as we move on with our lives.

Insights:

Looking back, I realize that I would rather have a good amount of really good friends than a large amount of friends who I don't truly know. I also have learned that I can maintain long-term relationships, which is a very important talent to have in life. The people who have known you since you were a teenager are the people who can give you the best advice and support you later on in life. I know I will always remain close with my group of girl friends from high school and I know I can always count on them no matter what.