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## LETTER TO THE EDITOR



I just finished reading your spring edition of the alumni magazine. It was extremely well done! In particular, I enjoyed the articles about Paul Anderson and the piece

about 16 members of the Furman Singers accompanying Kristen Chenoweth on Broadway. That is really impressive! I would not have known if your magazine had not reported it.

And I enjoyed the exposure you gave to new football coach Clay Hendrix and his staff of former Furman players who are proven winners. I do want to add a note to the resumé of new Furman Assistant Head Coach George Quarles. Furman has a really special guy in this man.

I know George personally having been on his booster board for four years at Maryville High School. In 2013, George (known to us as GQ) was recognized by MaxPreps and CBS Sports.com as the winningest coach in the nation. He won 14.4 games per season over a 10-year period). Think about that. Each year, the 15th game is the state championship.

George also achieved the distinction of reaching 200 wins faster than any other high school coach. He left the state of Tennessee with more state titles than any coach in state history. GQ is a winner across the board. He has a strong character and strong morals. Moreover, he is just a humble guy. We tried to name the stadium, the athletic complex, the field or anything in his honor. But the athletic director, who was GQ, would not allow it.

Thank you again for your excellent work.

*John C. Mitchell  
Parent of John David Mitchell '18*



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## CORRECTION

Erikah Haavie authored *The Furman Connection*, a spotlight feature that appeared on page 63 of the spring issue.

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