

Congratulations, Radcliffe Club of San Francisco, for undertaking the Oral History Project. Having a historical record of the female counterpart of an "Ivy" is unparalleled and the Radcliffe story is unique. I was honored to be part of the project - the interview brought back memories, and perhaps a slightly different experience for the collection.

I was a commuter and therefore did not have the social (Radcliffe) aspect of college life. I was one of 3 in my class who majored in Architectural Sciences which was a different educational (Harvard) component. We 3 plus about 15 guys were a small cohesive group, and with 2 double design courses in our Junior and Senior years, we spent a lot of time together.

As alums, many of my classmates along with several from '58 formed the Committee for the Equality of Women at Harvard. It was during our fundraising for the Radcliffe Alumnae Professorship that I met Ellen LaFollette '54, and I have 2 additional connections with your Club - Ellie Zuckerman '53, a classmate and Carolyn Wilson '55, a cousin.

With best wishes for the next phase of your project,
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