

The Christine Story

Christine Jorgensen, the ex-GI who came back from Denmark a "woman," refused to confirm or deny stories that "she" was a castrated male. U. S. doctors, commenting on Christine (r.), have said that a person's sex can never be changed, but that a woman with masculine traits could have these traits erased by female sex hormones and surgery. Christine, however, was born a male (female hormones, therefore, would only have made him an effeminate male). The ex-GI, however, has decided to live as a female, talks even of marriage.



Christine: female by choice

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