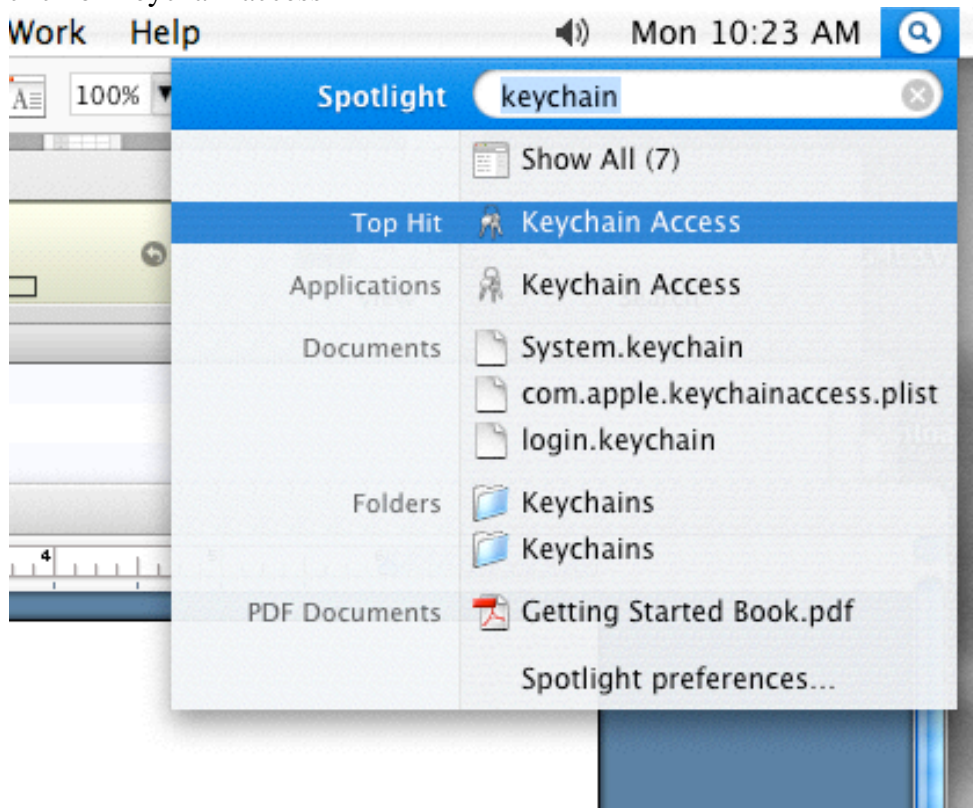


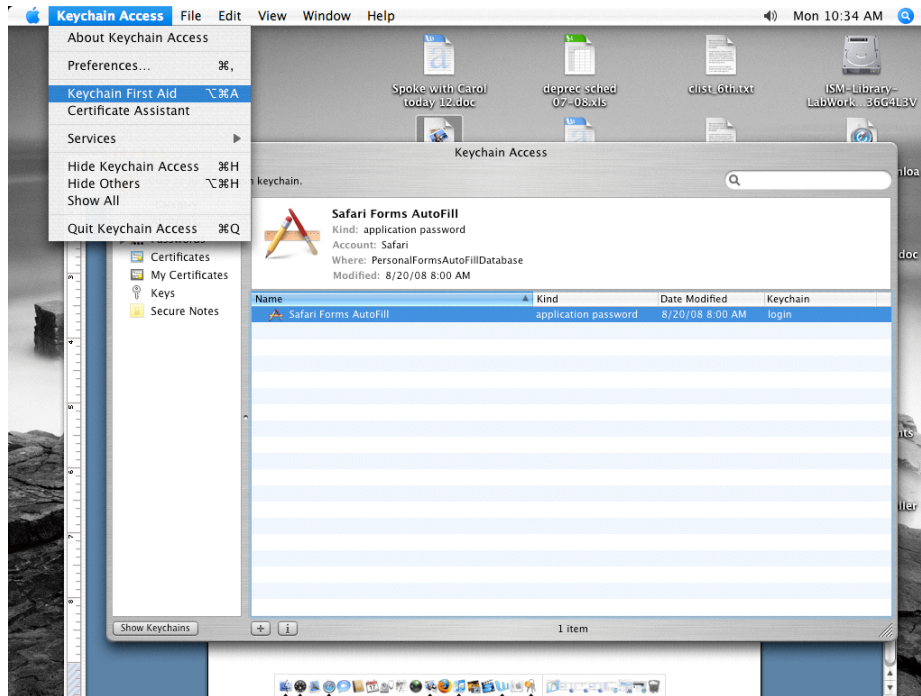
## All about Keychains:

This tutorial applies to those people who keep having an annoying keychain password box pop up in the middle of using programs, especially Safari.

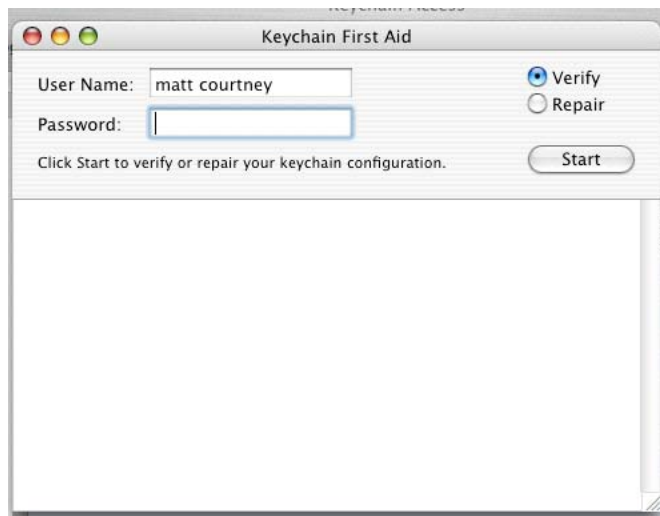
First: Do a spotlight search (the blue circle at the top right of your screen) for “keychain”.  
Next click on keychain access



You have just opened the keychain utility. We can now perform a couple quick tasks to assure that the keychain access is working properly. Click on “keychain access” and then “keychain first aid”. You will be prompted to enter a password, type in your login password used for accessing your user account in the startup prompt (when you turn the computer on).



You may now run the “verify” and “repair” functions to fix any potential errors in your keychain utility.



For what should be the final step of the keychain procedure go to the “keychain access” menu again and click on “Preferences...”.



Make sure that all the boxes are checked under the “First Aid” tab.

That should be it!

That wasn't it? if you see the keychain pop up again, try typing in your login password once.

Still popping up?

If it comes back again try the following....



Click on the hard drive icon.

Next click on “Users”, then click on your account. Find the folder entitled “Library” and open it.

Now find the folder titled “Keychains” and open it. Inside you will find a file labeled “login.keychain”. Change the name of this to read “oldlogin.keychain”. Close all windows and restart the computer. After restarting go back to the keychain preferences and ensure that the “first aid” boxes are all checked. You should now have a less annoying computer!