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Subject: Well, crap

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Looks like my pci slots, even though they're keyed to be 5v slots, may not be. As soon as I plug in the EDS card I get a bios beep code that says there's a problem with one of the pci cards.

Damn.

I'm going to call HP in the morning and see if I can find a tech who has a clue who can see exactly what's up with those two slots.

Otherwise, it's off to ebay for a magma. VirtuaVia looks nice, but all they sell is pci-e and I ain't got those.

Hell, ebay is 95% pci-e and express card. Barely a pci version in the bunch.

And most of the guys selling have split them up so I have to try and win TWO freakin' auctions.

I'm being punished. This is what I get for abandoning my G4-based Paris system.

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