

House Resolution 1234

By: Representative Greene of the 151st

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Kathryn G. Hardwick; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Kathryn G. Hardwick on January 31, 2018; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Kathryn G. Hardwick was born on August 23, 1923, a beloved daughter of
5 Beulah Jones and John H. Gilmore; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Kathryn was an active member of Cuthbert
7 United Methodist Church; and
- 8 WHEREAS, she was united in love and marriage to her husband, Wiley, and was blessed
9 with three remarkable children, Kathy, Wiley, and Jonathan; six wonderful grandchildren,
10 Chad, Jim, Gene, Tyler, Kelly, and Hannah; 15 incredible great-grandchildren; and one
11 exceptional great-great-grandchild; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she gave inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep concern
13 for her fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding she demonstrated to
14 her family and friends were admired by others; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Kathryn taught chemistry, physics, and home economics at Andrew College
16 prior to its becoming coeducational; was a partner in the family Western Auto business for
17 over 49 years; served as an assistant principal and district test/math coordinator in Stewart
18 County; and served as superintendent of schools for eight years in Randolph County; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Kathryn was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
20 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she made
21 of her life, she made this world a better place in which to live; and

22 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous woman, she will long be remembered for her
23 love of family and friendship and will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing
24 her.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Kathryn G. Hardwick and
27 express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
30 family of Kathryn G. Hardwick.