

SENATE RESOLUTION 82

By Gresham

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Luther G. Vaughan and Alma Jean Taylor Vaughan on the celebration of their seventieth wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly take great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, on April 16, 1949, Luther G Vaughan and Alma Jean Taylor were joined in holy matrimony, and since that fateful day, this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan have been highly respected citizens of their community for a number of years; they are the very epitome of good neighbors, as they always endeavor to treat others as they would like to be treated; and

WHEREAS, this fine couple's praiseworthy marriage has produced two children, each of whom has excelled in his or her particular field of endeavor; the Vaughans' children are William Garland Vaughan and Jeana Renne; and

WHEREAS, the Vaughans are also the proud grandparents of Russell D. (Kristen) Vandiver and Rex Allen (Michelle) Vandiver and the proud great-grandparents of Addison Faith Vandiver, Alexis Grace Vandiver, Sammie Ashlyn Vandiver, and Kimber Elizabeth Cisco; and

WHEREAS, for seventy years, this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the Vaughans' are truly the rock-solid foundation upon which our society is built and a beacon of sanity and continuity in these turbulent times; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate Luther

G. Vaughan and Alma Jean Taylor Vaughan on the celebration of their seventieth wedding anniversary and extend to them our best wishes for much continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.