

House Resolution No. 1268

Whereas, a period of five wondrous decades has passed since Bill Moyer lovingly took the hand of his beautiful bride, Esther, during a solemn ceremony officiated by Father Buhman on March 14, 1953, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Maryville, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Bill and Esther Moyer have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include their children, Steve Moyer of Polo, Peggy Combs and Dave Moyer of Grant City, Mick Moyer of Grain Valley, Terry Runde of Parnell, and Alan Moyer of Skiatook, Oklahoma; thirty-three grandchildren; and eleven and one-half great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, Bill Moyer has compiled an impressive record of achievement that includes serving four years in the United States Naval Air Force, farming, teaching school, selling insurance, taking countless photographs, and carrying mail for the United States Postal Service, from which he retired in 1993; and

Whereas, Esther Moyer has distinguished herself as a devoted wife and an accomplished mom, grandma, and great-grandma who has raised six children without a cordless phone, decorated cakes, taught ceramics, pieced and stitched many quilts, woven rugs, and put her green thumb to good use; and

Whereas, as they begin their sixth decade together, Bill has undertaken a new computer, digital photography, and e-mailing family and friends, while Esther has continued to enjoy her various hobbies; and

Whereas, Bill and Esther Moyer of Parnell commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on March 30, 2003, at the Ravenwood Community Building in Ravenwood:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Bill and Esther Moyer and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moyer.

Offered by _____
 Representative Brad Lager
 District No. 4

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1268, adopted April 1, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker