

## House Resolution No. 2795

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

**Whereas**, Genevieve Thompson of Mound City, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of her Ninety-eighth Birthday on April 30, 2003; and

**Whereas**, on April 30, 1905, God brought a special gift to this great nation with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Genevieve, who would put a twinkle in people's eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

**Whereas**, while celebrating her birthday, Genevieve Thompson had the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Bill Thompson (deceased) and the births of their two children; and

**Whereas**, God has blessed Genevieve Thompson with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include one son and one daughter, James Thompson and Joan Liggett, both of whom are angels in heaven; and one cherished grandchild; and

**Whereas**, Genevieve Thompson distinguished herself by doing missionary work in the Appalachian Mountains, studying abroad, and attending beauty school; and

**Whereas**, at the respectful age of 98, Genevieve Thompson still enjoys reading and writing a weekly newspaper article for the Mound City News; and

**Whereas**, Genevieve Thompson derives a tremendous amount of spiritual fulfillment through her affiliation with the Nazarene Church and is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received from the good Lord who is the center of her life:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Genevieve Thompson at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; 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 Genevieve Thompson, as a measure of our esteem for her.

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. 2795, adopted May 12, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker