

House Resolution No. 2934

Whereas, the union of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lee, residents of Monett, Missouri, is characterized by their enduring affection and serves as a glorious illustration of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, Vern and Juaneva Lee commemorated the joyous occasion of their Sixty-third Wedding Anniversary on April 20, 2003; and

Whereas, as they proudly marked this splendid milestone in their life, Vern and Juaneva Lee undoubtedly looked back with satisfaction upon all that has transpired since they pledged their eternal love to one another and began their long, joyful walk down life's path; and

Whereas, it was sixty-three wondrous years ago that Vern Lee and Juaneva Rogers joined their hands, their hearts, and their lives together in a solemn nuptial ceremony on April 20, 1940, in Alva, Oklahoma; and

Whereas, over the course of the past sixty-three years, Vern and Juaneva Lee have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include two children, Deanne Welch and Lloyd "Bud" Lee; eight grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a World War II veteran of the United States Army, Vern Lee was employed as a brick and block layer for forty-five years, while Juaneva owned her own beauty shop for four and one-half decades; and

Whereas, active members of their community and the Christian Church in Monett, Vern and Juaneva Lee have distinguished themselves as a remarkable couple, whose sixty-three years of shared joy and contentment so beautifully illustrate the strength, grace, and splendor of the lasting marriage bond:

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 Vern and Juaneva Lee upon the joyous occasion of their Sixty-third Wedding Anniversary and further wish them continued happiness in the years to come; 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. Vern Lee.

Offered by _____
 Representative Jack Goodman
 District No. 132

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. 2934, adopted May 15, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker