

## House Resolution No. 3164

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Robert E. “Bob” Schottel, a treasured resident of King City, Missouri, who will commemorate the resplendent occasion of his Eightieth Birthday with a festive celebration and reception to be held June 7, 2003, at the Smith Veale Center in King City; and

**Whereas**, Bob Schottel came into this world in Gentry County on June 6, 1923, as the tiny infant son born to loving parents William Dale and Mary Ann Schottel, who welcomed him into their hearts as a precious gift from God; and

**Whereas**, Bob Schottel was a bright and capable student who went on to dutifully serve his country during World War II as a member of the infantry in the European theatre; and

**Whereas**, on December 10, 1942, Bob Schottel embarked upon a new and exciting chapter in his life when he married his beloved Katherine Ellis, a kind and loving woman with whom he shared thirty-seven years of wedded success and happiness until her departure from this world in 1979; and

**Whereas**, a proud father and caring husband, Bob Schottel provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones through many years of tireless endeavor as a farmer in the King City community, where he still enjoys farming; and

**Whereas**, Bob Schottel has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his children, Bill and Alva Lou Schottel of St. Joseph, Lloyd and Betty Schottel of Kansas City, Jim and Nancy Schottel of Clinton, Illinois, and Nancy and Doug Maudlin of King City, and his eight grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren; and

**Whereas**, now eighty years young, Bob Schottel looks forward to the beginning of each day with renewed hope and happiness and continues to lead a good Christian life, sharing his experiences and exciting stories of times gone by with those he holds most dear:

**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 birthday greetings to Bob Schottel as he proudly celebrates eighty years of long life, and in wishing him tremendous peace and contentment as he continues his journey 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 Robert E. Schottel, as a mark of our esteem for him.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative James O. Guest  
 District No. 5

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. 3164, adopted June 3, 2003.

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 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker