

House Resolution No. 2122

Whereas, it is with sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize an outstanding Missouri couple whose devotion to each other has enabled them to experience a long, happy, and successful marriage; and

Whereas, this legislative body is exceedingly proud of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groves, treasured residents of Grain Valley, Missouri, and wishes to honor them on the joyous occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary; and

Whereas, Robert and Sally Groves began their life together as husband and wife fifty years ago in a beautiful ceremony on February 14, 1954, in Harrison, Arkansas; and

Whereas, on their wedding day, Robert and Sally Groves began to nurture a love that has flourished and grown to bring them immeasurable joy for a half century; and

Whereas, Robert and Sally Groves have been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include four children, Vicki Hutcherson of Grain Valley, Jay Groves of Gallatin, Tennessee, and Gene Groves and Valerie Palecek of Grain Valley; eleven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; and

Whereas, Robert Groves provided a comfortable home and secure future for his loved ones through his successful endeavors as a Supervisor at General Motors Leeds Assembly Plant; and

Whereas, Sally Groves has distinguished herself as a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker who has been in the real estate business for twenty-seven years and works as a Realtor for Reece & Nichols in Blue Springs; and

Whereas, Robert and Sally Groves commemorated the glorious occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on April 17, 2004, at the Grain Valley Community Center:

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 Robert and Sally Groves at this significant milestone in their married life and in wishing them many happy and glorious 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. Robert Groves.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2122, adopted April 26, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker