

House Resolution No. 13

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Zackery C. Gerstenberger of Cameron, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on January 15, 2005, at St. Munchins Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Zackery, a member of Boy Scout Troop 87, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved making improvements to a nature trail at the Pony Express Conservation Area; and

Whereas, during his eight years in Scouting, Zackery mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, forty-three merit badges, and the status of Runner in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, Zackery demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Quartermaster, Historian, Assistant Patrol Leader, and Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, the son of Phillip and Elaine Gerstenberger, Zackery developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers; and

Whereas, Zackery's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Zackery Gerstenberger for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; 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 Eagle Scout Zackery C. Gerstenberger.

Offered by _____
Representative James O. Guest
District No. 5

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 13, adopted January 5, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker