

House Resolution No. 4579

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize the significance of the institution of marriage as a vital foundation of American society and wholeheartedly believe that a successful union can be achieved only through a loving relationship of mutual honor, respect, and trust; and

Whereas, a period of five wondrous decades has passed since Marvin W. Lyle lovingly took the hand of his beautiful bride, Joyce L. Montgomery, during a solemn ceremony on December 18, 1954; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Marvin and Joyce Lyle have had the pleasure of raising three children, Debbie D. Ferguson, Martin E. Lyle, and Mark W. Lyle, and the privilege of spoiling two grandchildren; and

Whereas, Marvin Lyle has compiled an impressive record of achievement that includes working as a civil servant at Whiteman Air Force Base and playing the guitar and singing at senior citizen dances; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Joyce Lyle offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways and enabled them to become responsible citizens with families of their own; and

Whereas, during their half century together, Marvin and Joyce Lyle have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle, residents of Knob Noster, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on December 3, 2004, at the Johnson County Fairgrounds:

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 Marvin and Joyce Lyle and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand 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 Mr. and Mrs. Marvin W. Lyle.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

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. 4579, adopted December 2, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker