

House Resolution No. 1350

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the lifetime achievements of Martie J. "Jay" Aboussie, Jr., an outstanding Missourian who positively touched the lives of countless individuals during his brief journey on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Jay Aboussie was born on February 1, 1983, the devoted son of Martie and LeEllen Aboussie and the loving brother of Amy Aboussie; and

Whereas, God took Jay Aboussie home to the love and beauty of His everlasting light on May 3, 2006; and

Whereas, Jay Aboussie's leadership qualities and academic excellence were recognized by the faculty and administration of Christian Brothers College High School, where he was selected Senior of the Year among a class of 217 seniors and enjoyed membership on the Honor Roll and the National Honor Society; and

Whereas, in spite of his chronic health problems, Jay Aboussie maintained a near perfect attendance record and earned a Bachelor's degree in political science at Saint Louis University on May 14, 2005; and

Whereas, Jay Aboussie's family, friends, and high school colleagues have chosen to honor his life and preserve his memory by supporting the Martie J. "Jay" Aboussie, Jr. '01 Scholarship Fund at Christian Brothers College, where a Memorial Trivia Night and Silent Auction will be held on March 24, 2007; and

Whereas, all proceeds will go towards the Martie J. Aboussie, Jr. '01 Scholarship Fund which was established to financially support young men who may not otherwise be able to attend Christian Brothers College; and

Whereas, Jay Aboussie will be remembered as a person of unbounded vision who zealously supported many significant endeavors throughout his life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in paying tribute to the late Jay Aboussie and in expressing to his family our best wishes in their efforts to maintain the Martie J. "Jay" Aboussie, Jr., Scholarship Fund; 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 in memory of the late Martie J. Aboussie, Jr.

Offered by _____
Representative Fred Kratky
District No. 65

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1350, adopted March 26, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker