

House Resolution No.

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on March 9, 1957, Frank Cook took the hand of his beautiful bride, Evelyn Amos, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at the home of groom's parents, Charles and Daisy Cook of St. Joseph, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Frank and Evelyn Cook have had the pleasure of watching their family grow in include two children and their spouses, Frank and Carla Cook and Sue Ann (deceased) and Mark LaFave; three grandchildren, one of whom is an angel in heaven; and one great-grandchild; and

Whereas, Frank Cook is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors at Iowas Missouri Walnut Company, from which he is now retired; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Evelyn Cook has further distinguished herself as a retired employee of ADCO; and

Whereas, Frank and Evelyn Cook have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, residents of St. Joseph, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary on March 9, 2007:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Frank and Evelyn Cook for their tremendous success in achieving fifty years of wedded bliss and in wishing them many happy and rewarding 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. Frank Cook.

Offered by _____
Representative Rob Schaaf
District No. 28

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. ____, adopted _____, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker