

## House Resolution No. 3840

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

**Whereas**, Stella Gladys Grinstead of Cameron, Missouri, will commemorate the awe inspiring and truly resplendent occasion of her One Hundred Fifth Birthday on June 10, 2007; and

**Whereas**, on June 10, 1902, in Cameron, God brought a special gift to this great state with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Stella, who would put a twinkle in people's eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

**Whereas**, while celebrating her birthday, Stella Grinstead will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as growing up in the company of two sisters and attending Barwick Rural School, Missouri Wesleyan College Academy, and Warrensburg State College; and

**Whereas**, Stella Grinstead distinguished herself in the education world by teaching at Caldwell County rural schools for nine years, Cameron Elementary School for thirteen years, Johnston County, Kansas, for twenty-four years, and Cameron Elementary School for five years; and

**Whereas**, Stella Grinstead has enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the past century, a few of which include volunteering at the Cameron Nutrition Center and for the Oats Bus, and by taking part in various church activities; and

**Whereas**, at the respectable age of 105, Stella Grinstead is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

**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 and special birthday greetings to Stella Grinstead at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; 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 Stella Gladys Grinstead, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative James O. Guest  
District No. 5

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. 3840, adopted May 22, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker