

House Resolution No. 4267

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to acknowledge a momentous occasion in the life of one of the Show-Me State's most beloved senior citizens; and

Whereas, Lois Simpson, a treasured resident of Alton, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday on September 13, 2007; and

Whereas, Lois Simpson came into this world in Oregon County on September 13, 1907, as the tiny infant daughter born to proud and loving parents Clarence and Bessie Van Winkle Smith, who welcomed her into their hearts as a precious gift from God; and

Whereas, Lois embarked upon a new and exciting chapter in her life when she married Harvey Simpson, a kind and loving gentleman who enjoyed every moment of her company until his passing from this world; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker whose hobbies include cooking, sewing, gardening, and dancing, Lois Simpson enjoyed her family immensely and further distinguished herself as a school teacher at Hollis School for two years and stellar employee of the Sunbeam Factory in Chicago for seventeen years; and

Whereas, Lois Simpson has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her two children, Jerry Simpson and the late Linda Simpson Neiman; and her four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and three step-great-grandchildren:

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 and robust congratulations to Lois Simpson as she proudly celebrates ninety years of achievement, and in wishing her much peace and prosperity as she continues her journey 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 Lois Simpson, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Mike Dethrow
District No. 153

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. 4267, adopted July 18, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker