

House Resolution No. 4462

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 September 21, 1957, Richard C. Vaughan took the hand of his beautiful bride, Catherine L. Gibler, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at the First Christian Church in Jefferson City, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Richard and Catherine Vaughan have had the pleasure of raising two children, Richard W. Vaughan and Cathy L. Crocker, and the privilege of spoiling four grandchildren, Eric Vaughan, Christopher Crocker, Casey Crocker, and Caleb Crocker, and one great-grandchild who is due on September 29, 2007; and

Whereas, a former member of the Evening Lions Club, Richard Vaughan is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as the owner of Vaughan Pools, Incorporated, Vaughan Construction, and WAVCO Construction; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Catherine L. Vaughan 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, Richard and Catherine Vaughan have enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the years, a few of which include hunting, fishing, gardening, managing a farm for wildlife, and playing golf; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan, residents of Lohman, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on September 22, 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 Richard and Catherine Vaughan for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss 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. Richard C. Vaughan.

Offered by _____
Representative Bill Deeken
District No. 114

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. 4462, adopted August 16, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker