

House Resolution No. 376

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, Helen Elizabeth Staub of Marshall, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her One Hundredth Birthday with a special celebration on April 20, 2008, at Bloomfield's Restaurant in Marshall; and

Whereas, on April 22, 1908, in Blosser, God brought a special gift to Theodore S. and Alma Kunze Staub with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Helen, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, Helen Staub made her debut in 1908 along with such notable people as American actress Carole Lombard and American gunman and bank robber Baby Face Nelson; and

Whereas, an individual who has lived during the most exciting time in history, Helen Staub was born the same year that Ford produced its first Model T, the General Motors Corporation was formed, the Union of South Africa was established, and the book, Anne of Green Gables, written by Lucy Maud Montgomery was published; and

Whereas, Helen Staub has compiled an impressive list of achievements that include serving as an accounting technician at Scott Air Force Base in Illinois for thirty years and as a member of the Fitzgibbon Ladies Auxiliary, the Monday Club of Marshall, and the First Presbyterian Church; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 100, Helen Staub 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 Helen Staub 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 Missouri centenarian Helen Elizabeth Staub, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Joe Aull
District No. 26

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 376, adopted February 5, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker