

House Resolution No. 2157

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Mary Jo Rieth, who has been chosen as the Outstanding Teacher of the Year in the Secondary Division; and

Whereas, Mary Jo Rieth has taught English and Journalism at Marshall High School for the past six years, prior to which time she taught with the Malta Bend R-V School District for three years; and

Whereas, a graduate of Marshall High School, Mary Jo Rieth received her Bachelor's degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia, her Education Certification from Missouri Valley College, and will receive her Master of Administration from William Woods University in the summer of 2008; and

Whereas, a Girl Scout Leader for fourteen years, Mary Jo Rieth is a member of the Community Teachers Association, Professional Learning Communities Leadership Team, Marshall High School Leadership Team, and eMINTS4all; and

Whereas, a proud recipient of the Robert J. Greef Award, Mary Jo Rieth also serves as the Community Arts Department Chair; and

Whereas, Mary Jo Rieth has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband, Ron Lawson; and her two daughters, Meg Lawson and Amber Bloom:

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 Mary Jo Rieth at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; 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 Mary Jo Rieth.

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. 2157, adopted April 23, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker