

House Resolution No. 3604

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 July 11, 1958, Roy Lankford took the hand of his beautiful bride, Julia Golden, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Roy and Julia Lankford have had the pleasure of raising three children, Greg Lankford of Houston, Texas, Dee Lankford of Carl Junction, and Jack Lankford of Fayetteville, Arkansas, and the privilege of spoiling eight grandchildren and one great-grandson; and

Whereas, Roy Lankford 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 an employee of Rocketdyne and B.F. Goodrich, from which he is now retired; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Julia Lankford further distinguished herself as a valuable employee of Lazyboy prior to her retirement; and

Whereas, Roy and Julia Lankford have enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the years, a few of which include fishing, camping, being active members of Swars Prairie Baptist Church, and spending time with their loved ones; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Lankford, residents of Seneca, commemorate the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary on July 19, 2008, at Swars Prairie Baptist Church of Seneca:

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 Roy and Julia Lankford 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. Roy Lankford.

Offered by _____
Representative Kevin Wilson
District No. 130

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. 3604, adopted July 10, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker