

House Resolution No. 3713

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens or distinguished themselves through significant personal achievement; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Isabel Taylor, of Chicago, Illinois, who will be recognized as a nonagenarian member of the Women's Missionary Society during the Annual Conference of the Southeast Missouri, Illinois, and Wisconsin Region of the Third Episcopal District Christian Methodist Episcopal Church to be held in early August of this year in St. Louis; and

Whereas, the Women's Missionary Society and Missionary Region President Christine S. Buchanan are saluting all the pioneering members of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church who have been blessed to live ninety years or more to show God's strength to all the generations that have followed them and in recognition of the Society's 90th anniversary; and

Whereas, born August 11, 1909, and a retired teacher, Isabel Taylor is a loyal and faithful member of the Allen Metropolitan CME Church; and

Whereas, known for her consistent attendance at local, district, regional, and connectional meetings and conferences, Isabel Taylor has served as a Circle Leader on the local level, and she works unyieldingly with the Allen Metropolitan CME's Annual Baby Contest; and

Whereas, Isabel Taylor served as Vice President of the Local NAACP while she lived in Mississippi, and she is the winner of a prestigious Poetry Award from the Library of Congress; and

Whereas, the author of two books and the proud recipient of many recognitions and citations, Isabel Taylor is justifiably proud to be the wife of the late Luke Taylor and the mother of ten children:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere congratulations to Isabel Taylor on the illustrious occasion of being recognized as a nonagenarian member of the Women's Missionary Society, with our most sincere wishes for continued happiness and success; 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 in honor of Isabel Taylor and the Women's Missionary Society.

Offered by _____
Representative Juanita Head Walton
District No. 81

Representative Esther Haywood
District No. 71

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. 3713, adopted July 25, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker