

House Resolution No. 4057

Whereas, Mabel M. Bell Jones of Portland, Missouri, will commemorate her Seventy-fifth Birthday with a special celebration on September 6, 2008, at the Portland Community Building; and

Whereas, on September 2, 1933, God brought a special gift to James Walter and Jessie Ellen Atterberry Bell with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Mabel, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Mabel Jones will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Roy R. Jones, Sr., (deceased), and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, Mabel Jones has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include three children, Roy Richard Jones, Jr., of Rhineland, Ruth Ann Jones Mistler of Lake Ozark, and Mary Sue Jones Olendorff (deceased); six grandchildren, Scott Mistler, Jada Reynolds, Jayce Olendorff, Terry Jones, Tina Jones, and Mike Wallau (adopted at heart); her great-grandchildren, Zachary Wallau (adopted at heart), Tanner Reynolds, Brooklyn Reynolds, Jared Mistler, Hannah Mistler, Tucker Jones, and Hudson Jones; two brothers, James Bell of Williamsburg and Raymond Bell of Fulton; and one adopted brother at heart, Wayne Goff of Fulton; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Mabel Jones has further distinguished herself as a retired farmer, an organizer and past Community Leader for the Rolling River 4-H Club, and a very active member of the Portland Baptist Church who enjoys fishing, gardening, and keeping in touch with her family and friends; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 75, Mabel Jones 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 Mabel Jones 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 Mabel M. Bell Jones.

Offered by _____
Representative Danie Moore
District No. 20

Representative Tom Todd
District No. 163

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. 4057, adopted September 5, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker