

House Resolution No. 4153

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Herold, treasured residents of Bellefontaine Neighbors, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary on October 3, 2008, with a festive celebration to be held at Santa Cruz Knights of Columbus Hall; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on October 2, 1948, Ferdinand E. Herold and Lorraine M. Masnica began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony; and

Whereas, since that happy day, Ferdinand and Lorraine Herold have witnessed with pleasure the growth of their mutual trust and understanding, qualities which continue to endear them to one another with each passing year; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband, Mr. Herold provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones as a stellar employee of IBM for thirty-nine years, while Mrs. Herold enjoyed her family immensely and further distinguished herself as a secretary with Oliver for four years and member of the Ladies Guild at St. Jerome Parish (Holy Name of Jesus Parish); and

Whereas, invaluable members of their community who were active in the Scouting program, Ferdinand and Lorraine Herold attribute their sixty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to follow which include their seven children, Barb, Larry, Ed, Jim, Mary, Mike and Tom; and their twenty-one grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in a thunderous round of applause for Ferdinand and Lorraine Herold upon the glorious celebration of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them much peace and prosperity as they proudly continue their journey 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. Ferdinand Herold.

Offered by _____
Representative Gina Walsh
District No. 69

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. 4153, adopted September 17, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker