

## House Resolution No. 4186

**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. Willard Kisor, treasured residents of Vandalia, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Eightieth Wedding Anniversary on July 26, 2008, with a festive celebration and fish fry at their home; and

**Whereas**, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on September 8, 1928, Willard Kisor and Clemma Lee Cox began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony at the Curryville Baptist Church; and

**Whereas**, since that happy day, Willard and Clemma Lee Kisor 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 whose hobbies include hunting, playing cards, and listening to country music and baseball games, Mr. Kisor provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones as a farmer who raised corn, milo, soybeans, cattle, and hogs, while somehow finding the time and energy to serve as the Director of the Vandalia Farmers Elevator and Special Road District, and as the local delegate for the MFA Exchange and MFA Oil Company; and

**Whereas**, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker who likes quilting, sewing, baking bread, and working in the garden, Mrs. Kisor enjoyed her family immensely and showed her special love for them by dutifully caring for her home and remaining supportive of their every endeavor; and

**Whereas**, Willard and Clemma Lee Kisor attribute their eighty 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 two children and their spouses, Virginia and Richard See and Clementine and the late Bob Utterback; and their six grandchildren, eighteen great-grandchildren, and nine great-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 Willard and Clemma Lee Kisor upon the glorious celebration of their Eightieth 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. Willard Kisor, as a measure of the high esteem in which we hold them.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Terry L. Witte  
District No. 10

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. 4186, adopted September 18, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker