

House Resolution No. 4406

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Joyce I. Weaver of Memphis, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her One Hundredth Birthday on October 18, 2008, in the Terrace Family Room at Scotland County Residential Center; and

Whereas, on October 22, 1908, in Lee County, Iowa, God brought a special gift to Louis and Mary Roady with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Joyce, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Joyce Weaver will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Robert Weaver and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, Joyce Weaver has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include two children, Margaret Mishra and Marilyn Gerdes; six grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Joyce Weaver further distinguished herself by toiling as a teacher; raising countless chickens; being a member of the Methodist Church, the Scotland County Library Board, the Order of the Eastern Star, of which she was a Worthy Matron and a recipient of a Fifty-Year Pin, and P.E.O., of which she served as President and also earned a Fifty-Year Pin; and by serving as a Mother Advisor for the Rainbow Chapter, a 4-H Leader, and a Brownie and Girl Scout Leader; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 100, Joyce Weaver 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 Joyce Weaver 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 Missouri centenarian Joyce I. Weaver, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Brian Munzlinger
District No. 1

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. 4406, adopted October 16, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker