

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Mary Margarite Sides has attained considerable distinction as a homemaker and manager of her family farm; and

**Whereas**, Mary Sides recently enhanced her already impressive record of achievement when she was selected to receive the Pioneer Heritage Award from the Pemiscot County Historical Society; and

**Whereas**, Mary Sides is an award-winning member of the Bootheel Saddle Club, a life member of Marvin Chapel, a 4-H adult volunteer, and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and numerous Bible study classes and quilting clubs; and

**Whereas**, Mary Sides was active in the Methodist church until the local congregation closed and is now a member of the Caruthersville Presbyterian Church; and

**Whereas**, Mary Sides has traveled extensively and is particularly known for her journeys to foreign countries; and

**Whereas**, Mary Sides is the wife of the late Billy Joe Sides, the loving daughter of Odell and the late Elhel Watt, the wonderful mother of Michael Joe Sides and of Leslie Sides, a devoted grandmother to two children, and a great-grandmother to one:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Mary Sides for the Pioneer Heritage Award given by the Pemiscot County Historical Society and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued success for many more years to come; 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 presentation to Mary Margarite Sides of Caruthersville, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative Terry Swinger  
 District No. 162

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2007.

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 Rod Jetton, Speaker