

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are proud and pleased to recognize marriage as one of the cornerstones of a vibrant and healthy society; and

Whereas, the members feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize couples who enter into that joyous union; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Micah Louis Berman and Rachel Sarah Bloomekatz, of Columbus, Ohio, who maintain close ties to the great State of Missouri and who are to be wed in holy matrimony on May 25, 2008, at a solemn ceremony to be held in Columbus, with Rabbi Harold Berman and Rabbi Kenneth Kantor officiating; and

Whereas, a former resident of Missouri, Micah Louis Berman practiced law at Stinson Morrison Hecker LLP, one of the largest law firms in the country; and

Whereas, Micah Louis Berman is the treasured son of Rabbi Harold Berman and Beth Berman and the grandson of Elise Shapiro; and

Whereas, Rachel Sarah Bloomekatz is the beloved daughter of Drs. David Bloome and Laurie Katz and granddaughter of Debbie Katz and Sel Bloome; and

Whereas, Micah Louis Berman is an attorney and an Assistant Professor at the New England School of Law who earned his B.A. from Brandeis University and his J.D. from Stanford Law School; and

Whereas, Rachel Sarah Bloomekatz is also an attorney and law clerk to the Honorable Guido Calabresi of the United States Court of Appeals who earned her B.A. from Harvard University and J.D. from the UCLA School of Law:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our best wishes to Micah Louis Berman and Rachel Sarah Bloomekatz on the illustrious occasion of their marriage, with our hope for a happy and prosperous life together as husband and wife; 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 Micah Louis Berman and Rachel Sarah Bloomekatz.

Offered by _____
 Representative Jake Zimmerman
 District No. 83

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. ____, adopted _____, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker