

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, It is a great pleasure for the Texas House of
2 Representatives to join in honoring a very special Texan, Juliana
3 Alejandro of Weslaco, who recently commemorated her 105th birthday;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, Born on June 19, 1898, in Raices, Nuevo Leon,
6 Mexico, she grew up on her family's farm and recalls taking care of
7 her animals and her garden, riding horses, and participating in
8 show jumping; and

9 WHEREAS, Joined in marriage to Esteban Alejandro at the age
10 of 15, this lovely lady was blessed with nine children and shared a
11 warm and rewarding relationship with her husband until his passing
12 in 1977; she is the cherished matriarch and adviser to her large
13 extended family, which today includes 98 grandchildren, 199
14 great-grandchildren, and 50 great-great-grandchildren; and

15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Alejandro still resides in the same home that
16 she moved into in 1954 with her husband and children when they
17 arrived in Weslaco; still living a remarkably independent and
18 active life, Mrs. Alejandro takes walks regularly, tends to
19 household chores, and enjoys spending time with her loved ones; and

20 WHEREAS, The birthday of Mrs. Alejandro provides a fitting
21 opportunity to honor this remarkable woman who remains an
22 inspiration to all who are privileged to know her; now, therefore,
23 be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas

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1 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Juliana
2 Alejandro on the momentous occasion of her 105th birthday and
3 extend to her heartfelt best wishes for continued happiness; and,
4 be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for Mrs. Alejandro as an expression of high regard by the
7 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 30 was adopted by the House on August 5, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House