

By: Bohac

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, For 25 years, Dr. H. Edwin Young has served as pastor  
2 of Second Baptist Church in Houston, sharing his knowledge and  
3 experience with his fellow congregants and benefiting his community  
4 in countless ways; and

5           WHEREAS, Born in Laurel, Mississippi, on August 11, 1936, Dr.  
6 Young attended the University of Alabama before enrolling in  
7 Mississippi College; he later continued his education at  
8 Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest, North  
9 Carolina; and

10           WHEREAS, This respected gentleman led churches in North  
11 Carolina and South Carolina before beginning his outstanding tenure  
12 with the Second Baptist Church in Houston; respected by congregants  
13 and peers alike, he has served as president of the Southern Baptist  
14 Convention and authored several books; and

15           WHEREAS, A devoted family man, Dr. Young has enjoyed a strong  
16 and loving marriage with his wife of 44 years, Jo Beth; together  
17 they have been blessed with three sons and eight grandchildren; and

18           WHEREAS, Dr. Young is a man of great faith and integrity, and  
19 his passion for teaching and preaching the Word continues to  
20 inspire those who are privileged to know this fine man; now,  
21 therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
23 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby honor Dr. H. Edwin Young  
24 for his 25 years of service as pastor of Second Baptist Church in

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1 Houston and extend to him best wishes for continued success and  
2 happiness; and, be it further

3           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Dr. Young as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
5 House of Representatives.