

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A 70th wedding anniversary is truly cause for  
2 celebration, and on September 2, 2003, J. K. and Orene Blackshear of  
3 Greenville marked this significant event in their lives with a  
4 family party at their home; and

5           WHEREAS, The couple were joined in marriage on September 2,  
6 1933, in a ceremony held in Fannin County; through the years, their  
7 close and enduring relationship has served as an inspiration to  
8 their wide circle of loved ones and has been the source of much  
9 happiness and contentment for these two committed individuals, both  
10 of whom are retired from the Greenville Independent School  
11 District; and

12           WHEREAS, The heart of a close-knit family, Mr. and Mrs.  
13 Blackshear have been blessed with one son and daughter-in-law, J.  
14 B. and Weyma Blackshear, and two daughters and a son-in-law, Sue and  
15 Clete Holt, and Martha Meador; they also take great pride in their  
16 seven grandchildren and many great-grandchildren; and

17           WHEREAS, Together, this devoted couple have nurtured a strong  
18 bond of love and filled each other's lives with great joy, and it is  
19 a privilege to join in honoring them at this time; now, therefore,  
20 be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
22 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate J. K. and  
23 Orene Blackshear on the momentous milestone of their 70th wedding  
24 anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued

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1 happiness; and, be it further

2           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
3 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Blackshear as an expression of high regard  
4 by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 161 was adopted by the House on  
September 25, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House