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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Inez Rich has enriched the spiritual lives of 2 generations of students during 70 years as a Sunday school teacher 3 at Gholson Baptist Church, and it is truly fitting that her 4 exceptional dedication be recognized at the close of her 5 distinguished tenure; and

6 WHEREAS, Born and raised in Gholson, Mrs. Rich volunteered to 7 teach a Sunday school class of preschoolers when she was 18, and 8 over the course of the next seven decades, this dedicated Christian 9 led classes at all age levels; by reading her Bible every day and 10 diligently preparing her lessons, she has taught by example that 11 spiritual learning is a lifelong process; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Rich and her late husband, T. C., raised three children, and today she is the matriarch of a family that includes grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandchild; and

16 WHEREAS, Throughout her lifetime, Inez Rich has been a 17 blessing in the lives of many of her fellow citizens, and it is a 18 pleasure to join her family and friends in honoring her for her 19 unwavering commitment to her faith and service to others; now, 20 therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 22 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend Inez Rich for her 23 faithful service to her church as a Sunday school teacher for 70 24 years and extend to her heartfelt best wishes for continued

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1 happiness and fulfillment; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 238 was adopted by the House on October 2, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House