

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The passing of Cecilia McPherson Smith of Houston on  
2 April 3, 2004, deeply saddened the family and many friends of this  
3 esteemed Texan; and

4           WHEREAS, Born on March 4, 1908, in Groveton, Mrs. Smith had  
5 the privilege of witnessing some of the world's most significant  
6 events and advancements, and the wealth of knowledge she gained and  
7 the experiences she shared with her family and friends positively  
8 influenced their lives immeasurably; and

9           WHEREAS, Mrs. Smith was a devoted mother, grandmother, and  
10 great-grandmother, as well as a cherished friend to many; she was a  
11 valued member of the Parkwood Baptist Church, and her spirit will  
12 continue to live in the hearts of those individuals who were  
13 fortunate enough to have known her; now, therefore, be it

14           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
15 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of  
16 Cecilia McPherson Smith and extend sincere sympathy to the members  
17 of her family: to her sons, Edward E. Smith, and his wife, Lucy, and  
18 Gary L. Smith; to her brothers, Bill and Donald McPherson; to her  
19 grandchildren, Clint Smith, Dawn Askew, and Sean Smith; to her  
20 great-grandchildren, Brooke Smith, Foster Askew, Sterling Askew,  
21 Faith Askew, Jadd Smith, and Kenly Smith; and to her other relatives  
22 and many friends; and, be it further

23           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
24 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of

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1 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Cecilia  
2 McPherson Smith.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 114 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 17, 2004.

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Chief Clerk of the House