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## RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, On April 4, 2003, Patricia and Marshall Middleton of
- 2 Lubbock celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, marking a golden
- 3 milestone in their long and happy union; and
- WHEREAS, Joined in marriage on April 5, 1953, in Lamesa, Mr.
- 5 Middleton and the former Patricia Blanton enjoy a warm and
- 6 fulfilling relationship that is an inspiration to all who know
- 7 them; and
- 8 WHEREAS, The couple take great pride in their family, which
- 9 includes two daughters, Lynn Hanson and Becca Brooks, and four
- 10 grandchildren; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Valued citizens of Lubbock since 1993, the
- 12 Middletons moved there from Lamesa, where Mr. Middleton was the
- owner and operator of Middleton Oil Co. for a number of years; now
- 14 leading an active semiretirement, the couple work for Lubbock
- 15 Greater Service and Mr. Middleton also teaches on a part-time basis
- 16 at an adult learning center; and
- WHEREAS, For five decades, Mr. and Mrs. Middleton have filled
- 18 each other's lives with love, and their marriage has been enriched
- 19 by cherished family memories and many joyful times; now, therefore,
- 20 be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby congratulate Marshall and Patricia Middleton on
- 23 their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best
- 24 wishes for the future; and, be it further

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