SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 418

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to join the citizens of Houston in recognizing March 25, 2003, as Rosemary Davis Branch Day in Houston and to pay tribute to her on the grand occasion of her 75th birthday; and

WHEREAS, A gracious lady who is well known for her charm and generosity of spirit, Rosemary is a revered resident of Houston; and

WHEREAS, Rosemary Branch was born March 25, 1928, in Harlingen; she moved to Houston 40 years ago and encouraged other members of her family to settle there; her family has since raised three generations of Houstonians; and

WHEREAS, A beloved and respected member of her community, Rosemary is noted for her courage, her compassion for others, and her enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest; and

WHEREAS, In celebration of her birthday, family and friends will gather on March 29, 2003, to congratulate her and share in this important milestone; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby recognize Rosemary Davis Branch as a treasured citizen of Houston and the State of Texas and extend best wishes to her for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as a memento of this special day.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 20, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate