

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 419

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Reverend Dr. Prince Earl W. Bryant, Sr., for his 40 years of outstanding service in the gospel ministry; and

WHEREAS, Friends of Dr. Bryant are honoring him with a 40th anniversary celebration at the Anderson Memorial Temple Church of God in Christ in Houston on March 28, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, Pastor Bryant has studied at a number of Bible colleges, including the Gulf Coast Bible College in Houston and the Family Bible Institute in Denver where he worked toward a doctorate degree in divinity; he has also generously spent his time and energy in leadership positions in the church, both locally and nationally; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Bryant has ministered faithfully to the spiritual needs of countless Christians, and he has been active in a wide array of civic activities; he is a consultant to the Houston Police Department and is chairman of the Houston and Harris County Regional Substance Abuse Faith-Based Task Force Committee; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, he has received awards and commendations for his dedicated community service; he is married to Yolanda Howard Bryant, and the couple has five children and one grandchild; and

WHEREAS, A man of spiritual depth and devotion, Pastor Bryant is a highly respected church leader and humanitarian, and his work is an inspiration to his colleagues and the Houston community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby commend the Reverend Dr. Prince Earl W. Bryant, Sr., for his commitment to the ministry and his humanitarian efforts on behalf of all people and extend congratulations to him on his 40th anniversary in the gospel ministry; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of the high regard of the Texas Senate.

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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