

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 975

WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary is a splendid occasion and calls for much celebration, and Dr. and Mrs. Mayes of Austin have much reason to rejoice; and

WHEREAS, Since their marriage on May 24, 1953, Dr. and Mrs. Mayes have spent 50 years together in loyalty and devotion; and

WHEREAS, The world has changed considerably during the years of their marriage, yet Dr. and Mrs. Mayes have cherished traditional family and moral values; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, their love has grown stronger as together they have experienced the joys and sorrows of everyday living; and

WHEREAS, The happy couple has been blessed with a wonderful family; their children, Lori Hartman, Mark Mayes, Lisa Mayes, and Jon Mayes, and their grandchild, Samuel Gordon Mayes, have been the source of much pride and joy; and

WHEREAS, Prior to moving to Austin, Dr. and Mrs. Mayes lived in Lubbock, where Dr. Mayes was a successful orthopedic surgeon until his retirement a few years ago; B.K. and Gordon Mayes were exemplary citizens of Lubbock, where they made many deep and lasting friendships; and

WHEREAS, The loving relationship that B.K. and Gordon share is truly an inspiration to all who know them; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby join the family and friends of Dr. and Mrs. Mayes in extending to them best wishes and congratulations on their 50th wedding anniversary; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for this distinguished couple as a memento of this grand occasion.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 27, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate