

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 118

WHEREAS, When they married many years ago, Angelina and Raul Mendez placed great faith and trust in the future, and they have been amply rewarded, as they recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Raul Rios Mendez and Angelina Chavez were married on May 21, 1955; the world has changed considerably during the years of their marriage, yet Mr. and Mrs. Mendez have continued to cherish traditional family values; and

WHEREAS, Raul served his country for over 20 years in the Texas National Guard, and he faithfully provided for his family as a corporate vice president for Harry Joseph for over 40 years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Mendez have only grown stronger in their love and devotion as together they have experienced the joys and sorrows of everyday living; blessed with a wonderful family, they are beloved and respected by their children, Rolando, Angelica, and Armando; and

WHEREAS, Raul and Angelina shared their happiness with their family and many friends at a reception in honor of their anniversary on May 21, 2005; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby extend sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mendez on their golden wedding anniversary; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for them as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Barrientos

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on July 19, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate