

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Roger and Marie Johnston of Corsicana have marked a  
2 momentous occasion in their lives together with the celebration of  
3 their 69th wedding anniversary; and

4           WHEREAS, Mr. Johnston and the former Lillie Marie Beauchamp  
5 first met on Beaton Street; four months later, he asked her on a  
6 date, and they married a year and a half later on March 23, 1937, at  
7 Roger Stewart's home in Fairfield; their enduring union has been  
8 blessed with two children, Peggy Sue Johnson and Pamela June Burns,  
9 and they have shared in the joy of welcoming into their cherished  
10 family six grandchildren, Sherri Michelle Weaks, Brian Allan  
11 Johnson, Paulette Renee Cunningham, Kimberly Jeanice Allen,  
12 Charles "Chuck" Burns, Jr., and Kristi Lynette Garcia, and 14  
13 great-grandchildren, Heath Carl Weaks, Courtney Blair Bishop,  
14 Jonathan David Weaks, Nathan Michael Weaks, Kate Samantha  
15 Cunningham, Emma Faith Cunningham, Ashley Nicole Allen, Brittany  
16 Elise Allen, Melanie Brooke Fields, Bethany Ann Burns, Mark Adam  
17 Burns, Matthew Mason Burns, Justin David Garcia, and Breanna Molly  
18 Garcia; and

19           WHEREAS, Natives of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston are  
20 valued members of the community and congregants at First Baptist  
21 Church; he retired from Mastervend and she retired from Adams Hat  
22 Factory; and

23           WHEREAS, This devoted couple have shared 69 years of  
24 marriage, filling each other's lives with many happy times and

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1 special family memories, and it is a pleasure to honor them; now,  
2 therefore, be it

3           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
4 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Roger and  
5 Marie Johnston on their 69th wedding anniversary and extend to them  
6 best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

7           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
8 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Johnston as an expression of high regard  
9 by the Texas House of Representatives.

Cook of Navarro

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 70 was adopted by the House on April 27, 2006, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House