

By: Anderson

H.R. No. 683

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, China Spring residents Alphonse Joe "A. J." and  
2 Mildred Louise "Mickey" Uptmore observed the joyous occasion of  
3 their 60th wedding anniversary on April 27, 2006; and

4           WHEREAS, To commemorate this special event, the Uptmores were  
5 the guests of honor at a reception held on April 29, 2006, at the  
6 First Baptist Church in China Spring; and

7           WHEREAS, Mr. Uptmore and the former Mildred Herbelin were  
8 united in matrimony in 1946 in Waco; they have been residents of  
9 China Spring since 1948 and have been blessed with three children,  
10 Danny Uptmore and his wife, Vicki, Terry Uptmore and his wife,  
11 Danida, and Brenda Uptmore Smith and her husband, Jerry, as well as  
12 a host of cherished grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and

13           WHEREAS, Mr. Uptmore was in the U.S. Army in World War II and  
14 received a Purple Heart for his service on Guadalcanal; he is a  
15 retired farmer and has served on the China Spring ISD board, the  
16 McLennan County REA board, and the Double Circle Co-op board; Mrs.  
17 Uptmore is a member of the China Spring Civic Club and the Senior  
18 Club, and both have been active in the First Baptist and Grace  
19 Baptist Churches, where she has taught Sunday school and he has  
20 served as a deacon, teacher, and choir member; and

21           WHEREAS, The enduring union of A. J. and Mickey Uptmore is a  
22 source of inspiration to all those with whom they have shared the  
23 richness of their lives, and it is indeed a pleasure to honor them;  
24 now, therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
2 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate A. J. and  
3 Mickey Uptmore on their 60th wedding anniversary and extend to them  
4 best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

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