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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A golden wedding anniversary is truly cause for 2 rejoicing, and on December 20, 2003, A. D. and Mary Reed of Ackerly 3 marked this significant milestone in their long and happy marriage; 4 and

5 WHEREAS, A. D. Reed and the former Mary Oaks were married on 6 December 20, 1953, in Ackerly; graduates of Ackerly High School, 7 the couple has resided and farmed in this community since their 8 marriage; and

WHEREAS, The Reeds celebrated their anniversary 9 at а reception on December 14, 2003, hosted by their son, Billy Reed and 10 11 his wife, Sherry, their son, Don Reed, and their daughter, Jan Via 12 and her husband, Guy Walt; their extended family now includes six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, and Mr. and Mrs. Reed 13 14 take great pleasure in watching their grandchildren play sports and 15 participate in rodeos; and

16 WHEREAS, This devoted couple's enduring union remains a 17 source of inspiration and joy to the family and friends with whom 18 they have shared the richness of their lives, and they are most 19 deserving of warmest congratulations; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 21 Legislature hereby congratulate A. D. and Mary Reed on their 50th 22 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for 23 continued happiness; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Reed as an expression of high regard by
2 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 299 was adopted by the House on February 24, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House