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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A century of living is indeed a special reason for 2 celebration, and on February 20, 2005, Ouida Jane Boyd Wall of 3 Carthage marks the singular event of her 100th birthday; and WHEREAS, Born on February 20, 1905, in scenic Panola County, 4 5 she has remained a lifelong resident of her native East Texas county 6 and has been a valued congregant of the Macedonia Baptist Church in 7 Carthage since childhood; and WHEREAS, This lovely lady married William Emory Wall on May 8 16, 1924, in Carthage, and with him enjoyed a rewarding marriage for 9 more than half a century, until his passing; Mrs. Wall still lives 10 in the house where she and her husband raised their children, and 11 12 today she is the beloved matriarch of a cherished family that grandchildren, 13 includes two children, seven 19 14 great-grandchildren, and 12 great-great-grandchildren; and WHEREAS, The birthday of Ouida Wall provides a fitting 15 opportunity to honor this delightful Texan, whose kindness and 16 friendship have touched and brightened the lives of so many people; 17 18 now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 19 Legislature hereby warmly congratulate Ouida Jane Boyd Wall on the 20 21 joyous occasion of her 100th birthday and extend to her sincere best 22 wishes for continued happiness and good fortune; and, be it further RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 23

prepared for Mrs. Wall as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 469 was adopted by the House on February 22, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House