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H.R. No. 840

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Seven decades of marriage is truly a reason for
2 celebration, and on February 9, 2005, Merejildo and Felipa Heredia
3 of Midland marked this milestone in their life together with a mass
4 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church; and

5 WHEREAS, Lifelong Midland residents, Mr. Heredia and the
6 former Felipa Gonzales were joined in matrimony in 1935, in a
7 ceremony held at St. George Catholic Church in their hometown;
8 through the years, they have nurtured an enduring union that has
9 brought much happiness to them, as well as to their large circle of
10 loved ones; and

11 WHEREAS, Cherished by their adoring family, Mr. and Mrs.
12 Heredia have been richly blessed with nine children, 18
13 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren, and 14
14 great-great-grandchildren; and

15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Heredia has been a loving wife and mother and a
16 dedicated homemaker throughout her marriage, while Mr. Heredia is
17 retired from employment with the City of Midland Parks and
18 Recreation Division, Tampico Spanish Inn, El Monterrey Restaurant,
19 and ranching; and

20 WHEREAS, Together, this devoted couple have shared the trials
21 and triumphs of 70 years of marriage and parenthood, and it is a
22 distinct pleasure to join in honoring them on the joyous occasion of
23 their 70th wedding anniversary; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

1 Legislature hereby warmly congratulate Merejildo and Felipa
2 Heredia on the momentous milestone of their 70th wedding
3 anniversary and extend to them heartfelt best wishes for continued
4 happiness; and, be it further

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