

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary is truly cause for
2 celebration, and on September 2, 2005, James Truman Taylor and
3 Arlene Weyer Taylor of Friendswood are marking this golden
4 milestone in their long and happy marriage; and

5 WHEREAS, These college sweethearts first met while attending
6 Baylor University, and in 1955, the two were wed in Shreveport,
7 Louisiana; and

8 WHEREAS, Over the years the couple have been blessed with a
9 loving family that includes their children, State Representative
10 Larry Taylor and his wife, Kerri, and Teri Taylor Wells and her
11 husband, Raymond, and four grandchildren, Carly, Trudy, and Jake
12 Taylor and Wisteria Wells; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor worked together running Truman
14 Taylor Insurance for more than three decades before retiring in the
15 late 1990s; the business thrived, due in no small part to the
16 dedication of each family member; now leading an active retirement,
17 the couple are enjoying life to the fullest, seeing the country by
18 car, motorcycle, and motor home and making international
19 destinations a part of their travel plans; and

20 WHEREAS, Respected residents of their community, the Taylors
21 attend First Baptist Church of Friendswood, where he serves the
22 congregation as a deacon and she is a Sunday school teacher; known
23 for their kindness and generosity, they have often opened their
24 home to people in need; extremely supportive of their loved ones as

1 well, they are two of their son's best campaign volunteers; and

2 WHEREAS, For half a century, this loving pair have shared a
3 union filled with many happy times and joyful family memories;
4 their relationship is a source of inspiration to all who know them,
5 and it is indeed appropriate that they be honored at this time; now,
6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
8 Legislature hereby pay tribute to James Truman Taylor and Arlene
9 Weyer Taylor on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary and
10 extend to them best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Taylor as an expression of high regard by
14 the Texas House of Representatives.

Taylor

H.R. No. 1922

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1922 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House